

Hindi-Urdu

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HIN-URD 1A Introductory Hindi 5 Units

Department: Hindi-Urdu

Course level: Undergraduate

Terms course may be offered: Fall and spring

Grading: Letter grade.

Hours and format: 5 hours of Lecture and 1 hour of Laboratory per week for 15 weeks.

Hindi writing systems. Survey of grammar. Graded exercises and readings drawn from Hindi literature, leading to mastery of grammatical structures and essential vocabulary and achievement of basic reading and writing competence.

Instructor: Jain

HIN-URD 1B Introductory Hindi 5 Units

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HIN-URD 2A Introductory Urdu 5 Units

Department: Hindi-Urdu

Course level: Undergraduate

Terms course may be offered: Fall and spring

Grading: Letter grade.

Hours and format: 5 hours of Lecture and 1 hour of Laboratory per week for 15 weeks.

The course concentrates on developing skills in reading, writing, speaking, and aural comprehension. Evaluation is based on attendance, written homework assignments, quizzes, dictations, and examinations. Conventional teaching materials may be supplemented by popular songs and clips from contemporary Indian cinema.

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HIN-URD 15 Intensive Elementary Hindi-Urdu 10 Units

Department: Hindi-Urdu

Course level: Undergraduate

Term course may be offered: Summer

Grading: Letter grade.

Hours and format: 20 hours of Lecture and 5 hours of Laboratory per week for 8 weeks.

A comprehensive introduction to modern standard Hindi. The Hindi (Devanagari) writing system; pronunciation; acquisition of grammar and basic vocabulary through graded exercises and readings; special emphasis on the ability to speak and understand Hindi (and spoken Urdu).

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HIN-URD 100A Intermediate Hindi 4 Units

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