

# COURSE DETAIL

## THE NATURE OF LANGUAGE

**Country**

Singapore

**Host Institution**

National University of Singapore

**Program(s)**

National University of Singapore

**UCEAP Course Level**

Lower Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Linguistics

**UCEAP Course Number**

10

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

THE NATURE OF LANGUAGE

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

NATURE OF LANGUAGE

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

6.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

4.00

## **Course Description**

This introductory overview of linguistics provides a solid foundation in the object, methods, and goals of the science of spoken language -- the prime tool of human communication. Through a principled analysis of patterns of sound, form, and meaning at the levels of word, sentence, and text, the course provides insight into what it means to say that language is a rule-governed system and an organic whole. The course examines and explores the relationship between language and mind, society and culture.

### **Language(s) of Instruction**

English

### **Host Institution Course Number**

EL1101E

### **Host Institution Course Title**

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### **Host Institution Course Details**

### **Host Institution Campus**

### **Host Institution Faculty**

### **Host Institution Degree**

### **Host Institution Department**

English Language & Literature

### **Course Last Reviewed**

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