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Wed. 9/6
Course overview—What is linguistics?

Fri. 9/8-Fri. 9/22
Phonetics—articulatory phonetics, consonants, vowels, phonetic transcription

Mon. 9/25
Phonetics quiz

Wed. 9/27-Mon. 10/16
Phonology—phonemes, allophones, phonological distribution, phonological processes

Wed. 10/18
Phonetics and Phonology exam

Fri. 10/20
Discussion of exam results

Mon. 10/23- Wed.11/15
Morphology—morphemes, allomorphs, morphological categories and rules, inflection vs. derivation, morphophonemics

Fri. 11/17
Morphology exam

Mon. 11/20
Discussion of exam results

Mon. 11/27-Wed. 12/13
Syntax—lexical and syntactic categories, constituency, tree diagrams

Fri. 12/15
Course review

Fri. 12/22
Final exam 8:10-10:10

The required course text is Language Files (seventh edition). Reading and problem assignments will be made as appropriate. Grading will be based on two objective tests and three quizzes. Students eligible for graduate credit must complete additional work that I will assign early in the semester. No make-up exams (or quizzes) without adequate prior notice. Students making end-of-semester travel plans should note that no alternate final exam date will be scheduled.