

Intermediate Vietnamese: Skill development

Fall quarter 211

1. Tones, alphabet, spelling – review Viet 100
2. Chapter 1: Making acquaintances
3. Chapter 2: Traveling and vacation options
4. Chapter 3: Weather, climate, and geography – writing 1 due
5. Review week for test 1 (grammar and reading)
6. Chapter 5: Housing and accommodation: renting and doing chores
7. Chapter 6: Family kinship and family activities
8. Chapter 7: Eating habits and options, dinner gatherings – writing 2 due
9. Review week for test 2 (grammar and listening)
10. Research and presentation

Winter quarter 212

1. Review Viet 211
2. Chapter 9: Shopping for special events: clothes, accessories, and vacations
3. Chapter 10: Public services and doing errands
4. Chapter 11: Sports, leisure, and entertainment – writing 1 due
5. Review week for test 1 (grammar and reading)
6. Chapter 13: Appearance and personalities; dating & marriage
7. Chapter 14: Health and medicine: at the doctor's and dentist's
8. Chapter 15: Mass media: Newspapers, radio, TV, and the internet – writing 2 due
9. Review week for test 2 (grammar and listening)
10. Research and presentation

Spring quarter 213

1. Review Viet 212
2. Chapter 17: Education and career choices
3. Chapter 18: Lunar New Year: Traditions and activities
4. Chapter 19: Wedding and Funeral: etiquettes – writing 1 due
5. Review week for test 1 (grammar and reading)
6. Chapter 21: Vietnamese landscapes and economy
7. Chapter 22: History and historical figures: street names
8. Chapter 23: Religions, spiritual, and cultural life – writing 2 due
9. Review week for test 2 (grammar and listening)
10. Research and presentation

Grading: 20% homework (writing and grammar)
20% class participation (speaking)
20% for 2 tests – 50 minutes each (reading, grammar, and listening)
20% for research and presentation
20% for 2 take-home essays
10% extra credit for independent projects or extra curricular activities that are relevant to the course content (Vietnamese language, culture, and literature)