

IN THIS COURSE YOU ARE GOING TO:

develop your academic English

- practise listening, speaking, reading and writing
- □ have a lot of opportunities to **discuss** geological topics
- Iearn new vocabulary from the geological context
- □ revise grammar and learn new grammar structures
- practise for the exam
- □ have **fun**!

REQUIREMENTS

Class participation (you can be absent max twice)

- Activity in the class (homework, materials for the lesson, etc.)
- Short presentation (you will teach me what you learned.)
- Description of a volcanic eruption
- **Test** (60 % at least)

GEOLOGY

Geology and you (present your perspective and introduce yourself)

Geology and the world (which aspects given in the video do you consider important?)

Geology and this course (try to formulate your expectations. What do you want to learn at this university and in this course?)

VOCABULARY - LISTENING

- to circulate (air)
- to figure out (the past)
- to investigate (the Earth)
- in space
- solid (surface)
- to measure
- modern technology
- to reveal (secrets)
- natural hazards
- resources

- models
- vibrations
- education
- forces (that formed mountains)
- to separate
- erosion
- to grasp (the incredible history of the planet)
- to sustain (life)
- to address (some issues)

PRESENTATIONS – TEACH ME WHAT YOU LEARNED

- Make groups (4 people)
- Choose a role
- 1. to present your ideas
- 2. to look up relevant vocabulary
- 3. to prepare the presentation structure, design, etc.
- 4. to check and organize

VOCABULARY – STUDIES – DISCUSS THE DIFFERENCES AND MEANING

- halls of residence x dormitory x dorm
- faculty x department
- professor x associate professor x assistant professor x lecturer x assistant lecturer x master x bachelor
- seminar x course
- lectures x seminars x tutorials
- tutor x teacher x lecturer

- office hours
- rector x vice-rector x dean x vicedean x registrar
- semester x term
- vacation x holiday
- supervisor
- college x university x school
- finals x exams x credit test
- undergraduate x graduate x postgraduate
- further education x higher education

TOPICS

- University Studies
- Earth Science
- Earth's Spheres
- Earth as a System
- Extinction
- Earthquakes
- Tsunami
- Volcanoes
- Fossil Fuels
- Alternative Energy

Go to the MU website (you can also include your own experience or other websites) and find the following information:

- How can you enjoy Brno?
- Structure (departments/fields of study at Faculty of Science)
- Interesting details (why is it good to study there?)
- Further career opportunities
- Academic staff
- Academic year
- Accommodation
- Erasmus

From all the universities in the world choose one where you would like to study. Go to its website and find the following information.

- Background (country/language/culture)
- Structure (departments/fields of study)
- Interesting details

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- Further career opportunities
- Academic staff
- Academic year
- Accommodation
- How can you study there as a foreigner?

SOURCES

- <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_tvWDPBNiD4&list=PLFg3s</u> <u>IcKgMg_MdT5qTVxnzaFcgXkelfzE</u>
- <u>https://www.muni.cz/en</u>