## Course Unit Descriptor

**Study Programme:** Elementary Teacher

Course Unit Title: Secondary Verbal Skills – Digital Literacy - Culture

Course Unit Code: U-4-2-1-4

Name of Lecturer(s): Ferenc Németh, Ottó Beke

Type and Level of Studies: Undergraduate Studies (BA)

Course Status (compulsory/elective): Elective

Semester (winter/summer): Summer Language of instruction: Hungarian

Mode of course unit delivery (face-to-face/distance learning): Face-to-face learning

**Number of ECTS Allocated: 2** 

**Prerequisites: -**

Course Aims: The aim of the course is to enlighten contemporary age in terms of its technological-communicational surroundings with its opportunities and dangers. During the course we deal with information sometimes transferred not only in a written form but communicated in sound, too, this way giving insight into cultural processes. Secondary verbal skills are interactive, it is connected to the given situation and phenomena of contemporary history of written word.

## **Learning Outcomes:**

Secondary verbal skills in communication theory, complex system of digital writing and culture. During lectures and practical classes literary texts will be analyzed, which were taken from an everyday context of social surroundings. Students will be able to organize and interpret expressions which follow from secondary verbal skills and technological development of the modern era.

## **Syllabus:**

Theory

Primary and secondary verbal skills and literacy. The significance of real places, personal contacts and paper based documents in the era of the internet. The relationship between communication and real space. Local and global trends in contemporary culture, knowledge in mobile world, digital culture and the third revolution of knowledge, cultural-historical significance of images.

Practice

Practical classes follow the content of lectures.

## **Required Reading:**

Compulsory:

Benczik Vilmos: Nyelv, írás, irodalom kommunikációelméleti megközelítésben Bp. 2001.

Optional:

Assmann, Aleida: Szövegek nyomok, hulladékok: a kulturális emlékezet változó médiumai. In: Narratívák 8. Elbeszélés, kultúra, történelem (szerkesztette: Kisantal Tamás) Bp. 2009

Meyrowitz, Joshua: A glokalitás hajnala: A hely és önazonosság új élménye a globális faluban, <a href="http://www.vilagossag.hu/pdf/20050902145557.pdf">http://www.vilagossag.hu/pdf/20050902145557.pdf</a>)

Nyíri Kristóf: Konzervatívnak lenni az internet korában. In: Információs Társadalom 2006/4.

Poster, Mark: Digitálisan lokális: a kommunikációs technológiák és a tér, <a href="http://www.vilagossag.hu/pdf/20050902145716.pdf">http://www.vilagossag.hu/pdf/20050902145716.pdf</a>.

Weekly Contact Hour 2(30)	rs:	Lectures: 1 (15	6)	Practic	eal work: 1 (15)
Teaching Methods:					
Lecture, practice, work with mentors, discussion, individual work, consultation.					
Knowledge Assessment (maximum of 100 points):					
Pre-exam obligations	points		Final exam		points
Active class participation	20		Oral exam		50
Practical work	30				
Fieldwork					
Seminar(s)					
The methods of knowledge assessment may differ; the table presents only some of the options: written exam,					

oral exam, project presentation, seminars, etc.