**2024 FIRST YEAR ORAL EXAM GUIDELINES**

The oral exam will be a one-to-one interview between a candidate and an examining board or one examiner only. The exam will consist of two parts:

**The first part** will revolve around a discussion with or questions asked by the examiner related to the topics in the course bibliography.

Students are expected to be able to

* Introduce themselves and give personal information.
* Describe places. (e.g. their flat)
* Talk about
  + their families and friends.
  + daily routines.
  + school and/or work.
  + free time activities.
  + abilities.
  + the past.
  + their likes and dislikes.

**The second part** will consist of a discussion with or questions posed by the

examiner about ***Kidnap*** (plot, characters, opinion) using only present tenses.