

Polis – The Jerusalem Institute of Languages and Humanities

COURSE	
Biblical Hebrew III	
ACADEMIC YEAR	SEMESTER
2021-2022	September Intensive, Fall
ECTS	TEACHING HOURS
6	80 Academic Hours [1 acad. hour = 45 min]
INSTRUCTOR	
Eyal NAHUM, Oobie WEINBERG	
PREREQUISITES	
Biblical Hebrew II	
OBJECTIVE	
Further assimilation of the morphology and vocabulary of the language.	
METHODOLOGY	
Full immersion in the language, using TPR, Storytelling and the Ulpan method.	
MODE OF ASSESSMENT	
40% average of three exams to be held throughout the semester, at the end of each chapter in the book 35% average of the quizzes (normally one per day) 10% written assignment 5% attendance & participation 10% homework	
PROGRAM	
<p>Chapters 12-14 of the textbook <i>מבוא לשפת</i>, that include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● binyan Hif'il (הִפְעִיל) ● Yiqtol (in various conjugations) ● Imperative (in various conjugations) ● comparative ● Verbal suffixes (שְׂמָעִי, יְשִׁמְנֵי) ● Conjugation of the prepositions מִן, אֶל, עַל 	

BIBLIOGRAPHY

מִבְּרֵאשִׁית (Mi-Bereshit), Biblical Hebrew for Beginners, written by Eyal Nahum (textbook)

NOT part of the course's requirements, but recommended to any student wishing to further delve into Biblical Hebrew grammar by his/her own:

Grammar:

- (1) Jouon-Muraoka, A Grammar of Biblical Hebrew, 2006
- (2) Paul Joüon, Grammaire de l'hébreu biblique, 1965 (=the original, in French)
- (3) Friedrich Heinrich Wilhelm Gesenius, Gesenius' Hebrew Grammar, 1990.

Dictionaries:

- (1) The Brown-Driver-Briggs Hebrew and English Lexicon (=the best one)
- (2) Gesenius' Hebrew and Chaldee Lexicon to the Old Testament Scriptures (older, but also one of the best and easily accessible on the web):

<http://www.tyndalearchive.com/tabs/Gesenius/>