

Peking University English-taught Undergraduate Courses

The PKU academic year, from early September to July, is divided into two semesters, each of 18 weeks duration, including 16 weeks of classroom attendance and 2 examination weeks.

One credit normally equals one class hour per week, therefore one course with 3 credits normally takes 3 class hours per week, in total 48 class hours for one semester.

Course Code	Course	School	Credit	Semester	Course Prerequisites
12631190	Environmental Emerging Contaminants	城市与环境学院 College of Urban and Environmental Sciences	2	Autumn	
01231890	Physics and Chemistry of the Earth's Interior	地球与空间科学学院 School of Earth and Space Sciences	2	Autumn	
01231900	Isotope Geology (Radiogenic and non-traditional isotopes)	地球与空间科学学院 School of Earth and Space Sciences	2	Autumn	
01231931	Earth Science Lectures by Distinguished Scholars I	地球与空间科学学院 School of Earth and Space Sciences	1	Autumn	
02930156	Moot Court Practical Training and Experience	法学院 Law School	2	Autumn	
02930184	Legal English (I)	法学院 Law School	2	Autumn	
00332020	Heat and Mass Transfer	工学院 College of Engineering	3	Autumn	
00332910	Flight Control and Simulation	工学院 College of Engineering	2	Autumn	
02800000	Primary Business Chinese I	光华管理学院 Guanghua School of Management	2	Autumn	
02800001	Primary Business Chinese II	光华管理学院 Guanghua School of Management	2	Autumn	
02801960	Understanding Chinese Society I: From the 18th to late-20th century	光华管理学院 Guanghua School of Management	2	Autumn	
02831100	Organization and Management	光华管理学院 Guanghua School of Management	3	Autumn	
02831680	Financial Risk Management	光华管理学院 Guanghua School of Management	2	Autumn	

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02832690	Logistics and Supply Chain Management	光华管理学院 Guanghua School of Management	2	Autumn	
02834390	Strategic Management	光华管理学院 Guanghua School of Management	2	Autumn	
02837140	Doing Business in China	光华管理学院 Guanghua School of Management	2	Autumn	
02838180	Financial Statement Analysis	光华管理学院 Guanghua School of Management	2	Autumn	Prerequisite: Financial Accounting
02838350	Channel Management	光华管理学院 Guanghua School of Management	2	Autumn	
02838460	International Finance	光华管理学院 Guanghua School of Management	2	Autumn	Prerequisite courses or experiences in corporate finance and financial investment would be ideal
02839160	Quantitative Reasoning	光华管理学院 Guanghua School of Management	2	Autumn	
02830260	Shadow PBoC	光华管理学院 Guanghua School of Management	2	Autumn	
E2832121	Macroeconomics	光华管理学院 Guanghua School of Management	3	Autumn	
E2832231	Business Simulation Games	光华管理学院 Guanghua School of Management	2	Autumn	
E2833431	Corporate Finance	光华管理学院 Guanghua School of Management	3	Autumn	
02430159	English Composition	国际关系学院 School of International Studies	1	Autumn	
02432090	Chinese Perspective on International and Global Affairs	国际关系学院 School of International Studies	3	Autumn	
02432380	International Development Policy	国际关系学院 School of International Studies	3	Autumn	
02432340	International Public Policy	国际关系学院 School of International Studies	3	Autumn	Prerequisites: History of International Relations, Theories of International Relations
06239084	Intermediate Macroeconomics	国家发展研究院 National School of Development	3	Autumn	

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06239116	Frontiers in International Development: Theories and Practices	国家发展研究院 National School of Development	3	Autumn	Prerequisite: Principles of Economics
06239124	China's Economy	国家发展研究院 National School of Development	3	Autumn	Prerequisite: Principles of Economics
01034310	General Chemistry	化学与分子工程学院 College of Chemistry and Molecular Engineering	4	Autumn	
01034373	Organic Chemistry (II)	化学与分子工程学院 College of Chemistry and Molecular Engineering	2	Autumn	
12730080	Environmental Issues and Policies in China	环境科学与工程学院 College of Environmental Sciences and Engineering	2	Autumn	
06731020	China's Education and Its Cultural Foundations	教育学院 Graduate School of Education	2	Autumn	
02533570	Corporate Finance	经济学院 School of Economics	3	Autumn	
02534660	The Introduction of Behavioral Finance	经济学院 School of Economics	2	Autumn	
02534870	Computer Programming in Financial Engineering	经济学院 School of Economics	2	Autumn	Prerequisite: Computer Programming
02535300	Business and Society in Modern China: An Institutional Perspective	经济学院 School of Economics	2	Autumn	Prerequisite: Principles of Economics
02535360	Life and Health Insurance	经济学院 School of Economics	2	Autumn	Prerequisite: Principles of Insurance
02234040	World Archaeology: the Deep History of Human Societies	考古文博学院 School of Archaeology and Museology	2	Autumn	
02100100	Latin Paleography	历史学系 Department of History	2	Autumn	
02113123	Intermediate Latin 3	历史学系 Department of History	2	Autumn	
02132091	Readings in World History (1)	历史学系 Department of History	3	Autumn	
02133111	Elementary Latin 1	历史学系 Department of History	4	Autumn	

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02133681	Readings on Historical Sources in English (1)	历史学系 Department of History	2	Autumn	
02133750	History of Modern Greece	历史学系 Department of History	2	Autumn	
04031211	English for Marxism	马克思主义学院 School of Marxism	2	Autumn	
01132681	Neural development and plasticity	生命科学学院 School of Life Sciences	2	Autumn	
01137010	Advanced Neurobiology	生命科学学院 School of Life Sciences	4	Autumn	
01139630	Biochemistry	生命科学学院 School of Life Sciences	4	Autumn	
00112266	"Algebra, Geometry and Analysis of Commuting Differential Operators	数学科学学院 School of Mathematical Sciences	3	Autumn	
00112267	Introduction to the course Deformation quantization	数学科学学院 School of Mathematical Sciences	3	Autumn	
00112268	Introduction to the Course "Geometry of Gromov-Hausdorff distance"	数学科学学院 School of Mathematical Sciences	3	Autumn	
00112269	Introduction to Arakelov theory	数学科学学院 School of Mathematical Sciences	1	Autumn	
00135520	Numerical Solution of Partial Differential Equations	数学科学学院 School of Mathematical Sciences	3	Autumn	
03530530	morden middle east studies	外国语学院 School of Foreign Languages	2	Autumn	
03530560	Theoretical and Applied Linguistics	外国语学院 School of Foreign Languages	2	Autumn	
03530600	Contemporary Korean Society	外国语学院 School of Foreign Languages	2	Autumn	
03530620	Korean Business and Management in the Asian Context	外国语学院 School of Foreign Languages	2	Autumn	
03536212	Selected Readings of English Newspapers And Journals in India(2)	外国语学院 School of Foreign Languages	2	Autumn	Prerequisite: Hindi language
03831020	Greek and Roman Mythology	外国语学院 School of Foreign Languages	2	Autumn	
03831120	Rhetorical Traditions: China and the West	外国语学院 School of Foreign Languages	2	Autumn	

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03832020	Introduction to Literary Forms	外国语学院 School of Foreign Languages	2	Autumn	
03832040	Selected Readings in European Literature	外国语学院 School of Foreign Languages	2	Autumn	
03833030	Selected Readings from Newspapers And Magazines	外国语学院 School of Foreign Languages	2	Autumn	
03833130	Selected Readings in English Novels	外国语学院 School of Foreign Languages	2	Autumn	
03834180	The 20th Century Literary Theory	外国语学院 School of Foreign Languages	2	Autumn	
03834240	Contemporary Chinese and American Fiction in Comparative Perspective	外国语学院 School of Foreign Languages	2	Autumn	
03834410	Readings in Western Classical Literature	外国语学院 School of Foreign Languages	2	Autumn	
03930050	Public English (3)	外国语学院 School of Foreign Languages	3	Autumn	
00410340	Advanced Quantum Mechanics	物理学院 School of Physics	4	Autumn	
00410440	Quantum Statistical Physics	物理学院 School of Physics	3	Autumn	
00410640	Quantum Field Theory	物理学院 School of Physics	4	Autumn	
00430170	An Introduction to Distance Measurement in Astronomy	物理学院 School of Physics	2	Autumn	
00432140	Electrodynamics (A)	物理学院 School of Physics	4	Autumn	
00432150	Quantum Mechanics (A)	物理学院 School of Physics	4	Autumn	
00432265	Modern Astronomy	物理学院 School of Physics	2	Autumn	
01630713	Time and Cognition	心理与认知科学学院 School of Psychological and Cognitive Sciences	2	Autumn	Prerequisite: General Psychology
01833140	Public Speaking in English	新闻与传播学院 School of Journalism and Communication	2	Autumn	

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01834190	Media and Society in China	新闻与传播学院 School of Journalism and Communication	2	Autumn	
03033600	Introduction to Health Informatics	信息管理系 Department of Information Management	2	Autumn	
03033800	Qualitative Data Analysis	信息管理系 Department of Information Management	2	Autumn	
04830140	Computer Architectures	信息科学技术学院 School of Electronics Engineering and Computer Science	3	Autumn	
04833110	Principles and Practices of Global Innovation	信息科学技术学院 School of Electronics Engineering and Computer Science	2	Autumn	
02333180	Comparison between Eastern and Western Philosophy	哲学系 Department of Philosophy	2	Autumn	Prerequisites: Chinese philosophy, Western philosophy
02034480	Chinese Folklore and Culture	中国语言文学系 Department of Chinese Language and Literature	2	Autumn	
12639080	Garden City's Practice in China	城市与环境学院 College of Urban and Environmental Sciences	3	Spring	Courses concerning "urban"----such as Urban History, Urban Planning, Conservation Planning of Urban Heritage and etc.----are suitable as the pre-studying ones of this course.
01231710	Elementary Sequence Stratigraphy	地球与空间科学学院 School of Earth and Space Sciences	2	Spring	Prerequisites: General Geology, Introduction to Sedimentary Petrology
01231820	Principles of Geobiology	地球与空间科学学院 School of Earth and Space Sciences	2	Spring	Prerequisite: Physical Geology
01231860	Marine Environments and Geodynamics	地球与空间科学学院 School of Earth and Space Sciences	2	Spring	
01231870	Stable Isotope Effect and its Utilities	地球与空间科学学院 School of Earth and Space Sciences	1	Spring	
02930185	Legal English (II)	法学院 Law School	2	Spring	

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00332020	Heat and Mass Transfer	工学院 College of Engineering	3	Spring	Prerequisites: Calculus, Mathematical Methods of Physics, Hydrodynamics
00332510	Circuits and Electronics	工学院 College of Engineering	3	Spring	Physics, Linear Algebra & Geometry, Ordinary Differential Equations
00333400	Dialogue with Global Innovation Masters	工学院 College of Engineering	2	Spring	
00333480	Biomedical Optics and Application	工学院 College of Engineering	3	Spring	Prerequisite: C Programming Language
00333630	Cellular and Molecular Imaging	工学院 College of Engineering	3	Spring	
02830230	Doing Business with the Chinese People	光华管理学院 Guanghua School of Management	3	Spring	
02830240	Operations Management	光华管理学院 Guanghua School of Management	2	Spring	
02830260	Shadow PBoC	光华管理学院 Guanghua School of Management	2	Spring	
02831600	International Finance and International Trade	光华管理学院 Guanghua School of Management	3	Spring	
02832480	Cost and Managerial Accounting	光华管理学院 Guanghua School of Management	3	Spring	
02837020	Investment Banking	光华管理学院 Guanghua School of Management	2	Spring	
02838130	Chinese Society and Business Culture	光华管理学院 Guanghua School of Management	2	Spring	
02838430	Financial Accounting	光华管理学院 Guanghua School of Management	3	Spring	
02839060	Venture Capital and the Finance of Innovation	光华管理学院 Guanghua School of Management	2	Spring	
E2834421	Security Analysis and Investment	光华管理学院 Guanghua School of Management	3	Spring	
E2834721	Introduction to the Probability and Statistics	光华管理学院 Guanghua School of Management	4	Spring	
02432090	Chinese Perspective on International and Global Affairs	国际关系学院 School of International Studies	3	Spring	

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02432140	Chinese Politics and Public Policy	国际关系学院 School of International Studies	3	Spring	
02432230	China and International Organizations	国际关系学院 School of International Studies	3	Spring	
02432260	Australian Studies	国际关系学院 School of International Studies	2	Spring	
02433230	Introduction to Non-traditional Security	国际关系学院 School of International Studies	3	Spring	
06238090	Introduction to Economic Growth	国家发展研究院 National School of Development	3	Spring	Prerequisite: Principles of Economics
06239084	Intermediate Macroeconomics	国家发展研究院 National School of Development	3	Spring	Prerequisite: Principles of Economics
06239085	Intermediate Microeconomics	国家发展研究院 National School of Development	3	Spring	Prerequisite: Principles of Economics, Calculus
01034371	Organic Chemistry (I)	化学与分子工程学院 College of Chemistry and Molecular Engineering	3	Spring	Prerequisite: General Chemistry
01034375	Organic Chemistry Praticce	化学与分子工程学院 College of Chemistry and Molecular Engineering	0	Spring	
01035180	Quantitative Chemical Analysis	化学与分子工程学院 College of Chemistry and Molecular Engineering	2	Spring	Prerequisite: General Chemistry
12730020	Our Changing Planet	环境科学与工程学院 College of Environmental Sciences and Engineering	2	Spring	
12730070	China's Energy and Environmental Challenges	环境科学与工程学院 College of Environmental Sciences and Engineering	2	Spring	
12733070	Scientific Writing in English	环境科学与工程学院 College of Environmental Sciences and Engineering	2	Spring	
06734020	Theories and Practices of International Organizations	教育学院 Graduate School of Education	3	Spring	
02534090	English for Economics Majors	经济学院 School of Economics	2	Spring	

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02535030	Enterprise Risk Management	经济学院 School of Economics	2	Spring	Prerequisites: Risk Management, Finance, Calculus, Probability
02535150	Principles of Risk Management	经济学院 School of Economics	2	Spring	
02101986	Modern Greek (2)	历史学系 Department of History	3	Spring	Prerequisite: Modern Greek (1)
02113121	Intermediate Latin 2	历史学系 Department of History	4	Spring	Prerequisite: Latin grammar
02132590	History of Sino-European Relations	历史学系 Department of History	3	Spring	
02133760	Modern Greek Movie and History	历史学系 Department of History	2	Spring	
02139420	History of contemporary Europe and European Union	历史学系 Department of History	2	Spring	
01132640	Advanced Cell Biology	生命科学学院 College of Life Sciences	3	Spring	open to sophomores
01133024	Drosophila Genetics	生命科学学院 College of Life Sciences	2	Spring	
01139630	Biochemistry	生命科学学院 College of Life Sciences	4	Spring	Prerequisites: General Chemistry, Organic Chemistry
01139732	Mathematical Modeling in the Life Sciences	生命科学学院 College of Life Sciences	3	Spring	Prerequisite: Advanced Mathematics B
00111770	Algebraic Geometry II	数学科学学院 School of Mathematical Sciences	3	Spring	
00137230	Topics on arithmetic geometry	数学科学学院 School of Mathematical Sciences	2	Spring	Prerequisites: Commutative Algebra, Algebraic Geometry
00432265	Modern Astronomy	物理学院 School of Physics	2	Spring	
01139510	Physiology	心理与认知科学学院 School of Psychological and Cognitive Sciences	2	Spring	
01630728	Research on Time Perception	心理与认知科学学院 School of Psychological and Cognitive Sciences	3	Spring	Prerequisites: General Psychology, Psychology Statistics, Experimental Psychology
01630733	Neuroaesthetics	心理与认知科学学院 School of Psychological and Cognitive Sciences	2	Spring	Prerequisites: General Psychology, Psychology Statistics, Experimental Psychology

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01630820	Neurobiology	心理与认知科学学院 School of Psychological and Cognitive Sciences	2	Spring	Prerequisites: Experimental Psychology, Physiology
01832350	Seminar on Famous Reporters	新闻与传播学院 School of Journalism and Communication	2	Spring	
01834100	China and Media Matters	新闻与传播学院 School of Journalism and Communication	2	Spring	
03032380	Professional Readings in Information Management	信息管理系 Department of Information Management	2	Spring	Prerequisites: Introduction to Information Management, The Organization of Information
04832240	Introduction to Parallel and Distributed Computing	信息科学技术学院 School of Electronics Engineering and Computer Science	3	Spring	Prerequisite: Introduction to Computation
04832710	Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing	信息科学技术学院 School of Electronics Engineering and Computer Science	3	Spring	Prerequisites: Linear Algebra, Programming, Mathematical Logic, Probability Theory & Statistics
04630901	Public Economics in the U.S. and China	元培学院 Yuanpei College	2	Spring	Prerequisite: Microeconomics
02316212	THE PROBLEM OF EVIL AND ETHICS	哲学系 Department of Philosophy	2	Spring	
02333160	Themes in Phenomenology	哲学系 Department of Philosophy	3	Spring	Prerequisite: history of Philosophy
02333180	Comparison between Eastern and Western Philosophy	哲学系 Department of Philosophy	2	Spring	
03832030	Selected Readings in Short Stories	外国语学院 School of Foreign Languages	2	Spring	
03832120	English Lexicology	外国语学院 School of Foreign Languages	2	Spring	
03832160	Consumer Culture and the Aesthetics of Existence	外国语学院 School of Foreign Languages	2	Spring	
03833160	English and American Drama	外国语学院 School of Foreign Languages	2	Spring	
03833270	Literature and Society	外国语学院 School of Foreign Languages	2	Spring	
03834070	Selected Readings of Canadian Novels	外国语学院 School of Foreign Languages	2	Spring	
03834130	Appreciation of Poetry in English	外国语学院 School of Foreign Languages	2	Spring	

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03834350	Contemporary American Literary Thoughts	外国语学院 School of Foreign Languages	2	Spring	
03834360	Foundations of English Literature	外国语学院 School of Foreign Languages	2	Spring	
03834370	Literature,Nature & Place	外国语学院 School of Foreign Languages	2	Spring	
03834420	Self, Crisis and Redemption in Modern European Fiction	外国语学院 School of Foreign Languages	2	Spring	