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| ***ÇAĞ UNIVERSITY******Faculty of Arts and Sciences Department of Turkish Language and Literature*** |
| **Code** | **Course Title** | **Credit** | **ECTS** |
| TDE 361 | Turkish Mythology |  (3-0)3 | 4 |
| **Prerequisites** | **None** |
| **Language of Instruction** | Turkish | **Mode of Delivery**  | **Face to face** |
| **Type and Level of Course** | Undergraduate / Elective / 3. Year / Fall semester |
| **Lecturers** | **Name(s)**  | Lecture Hours | Office Hours | **Contacts** |
| **Course Coordinator** | Prof. Dr. Sevin Arslan  | Thuesday10:00-12:20 | Friday 13:30 - 14:30 | **alilsevin@cag.edu.tr** |
| **Course Objective**  | To comprehend the concept of myth, one of the most important cultural treasures of a nation, by examining the main lines of Turkish mythology, its content and features, the special elements it contains, the reflection of mythological elements on literary works, and the re-existence of myths in literary works as a symbol |
| **Learning Outcomes of the Course** |  | Students will be able to: | **Relationship** |
| Prog. Output | **Net Effect** |
| 1 | Evaluates period characteristics by following the development line of Turkish mythology. | 11 | 5 |
| 2 | Can determine the features of mythological thought through texts. | 13 | 5 |
| 3 | Evaluates the relations between mythology and social life culture. | 15 | 5,4 |
| 4 | Evaluates the relations of mythology with other cultural elements. | 17 | 5 |
| 5 | Can analyze mythological elements in literary texts. | 2 | 5 |
| **Course Description:**  Basic concepts of mythology, sources of Turkish mythology, material and spiritual cultural elements living in the historical development process and the traces of myths in social life. |
| **Course Contents:( Weekly Lecture Plan )** |
| **Weeks** | **Topics** | **Preparation** | **Teaching Methods** |
| **1** | Myth, mythology, literature and other fields of activity related to mythology | None | Lectures  |
| **2** | History of mythology studies, theories of mythology and methods of study | Ch. 1 | Mini Case Study |
| **3** | Central Asian origins of Turkish mythology | Ch. 2 | Lecture & Discussion & Question & Answer |
| **4** | Basic subjects and concepts of Turkish mythology | Ch. 2 | Lecture & Discussion & Question & Answer |
| **5** | Features that distinguish Turkish mythology from other mythologies | Ch. 2 | Lecture & Discussion & Question & Answer |
| **6** | The cults of Turkish mythology and its variations in the Turkic world | Ch. 3 | Lecture & Discussion & Question & Answer |
| **7** | Turkish folk culture and mythology | Ch. 3 | Lecture & Discussion & Question & Answer |
| **8** | Important animals and plants in Turkish mythology | Ch. 3 | Lecture & Discussion & Question & Answer |
| **9** | Important colors and numbers in Turkish mythology | Ch. 3 | Lecture & Discussion & Question & Answer |
| **10** | Gods and extraordinary beings in Turkish mythology | Ch. 5 | Lecture & Discussion & Question & Answer |
| **11** | Descent and creation myths | Ch. 5 | Lecture & Discussion & Question & Answer |
| **12** | The concept of the universe in Turkish mythology | Ch. 6 | Lecture & Discussion & Question & Answer |
| **13** | Eschatological myths |  | Lecture & Discussion & Question & Answer |
| **14** | General evaluation |  |  |
| **REFERENCES** |
| **Textbook** | 1. Ögel, B.(2003). Türk Mitolojisi I. Cilt, Ankara: Türk Tarih Kurumu Basımevi.
2. Ögel, B.(2006). Türk Mitolojisi II.Cilt, Ankara: Türk Tarih Kurumu Basımevi.
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| **Recommended Reading** | 1. Campbell, Joseph, (1992) İlkel Mitoloji, İmge Yayınevi, İstanbul
2. Levi-Strauss, C. (2002) Yaban Düşünce, Yapı Kredi Yayınevi, İstanbul
3. Uraz,M.(1992).Türk Mitolojisi, İstanbul: Düşünen Adam Yayınları.
4. Bayat, F. (2016). Mitolojiye Giriş, İstanbul: Ötüken Neşriyat.
5. Seyidoğlu,B. (2015). Mitoloji Üzerine Araştırmalar, Metinler ve Tahliller, İstanbul: Dergah Yayınevi.
6. ÇORUHLU, Yaşar (2002), Outlines of Turkish Mythology, Istanbul: Kabalcı Publishing House.
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| **Material Sharing** | Presentation, slides /CDs, film and written documents |
| **ASSESSMENT METHODS** |
| **Activities** | **Number** | **Effect** | **Notes** |
| Midterm Exam | **1** | **40%** |  |
| Homework |  |  | **Total** |
| Project |  |  | **Total** |
| Group Studies |  |  |  |
| ***Effect of The Activities*** | **1** | **60%** |  |
| ***Effect of The Final Exam*** |  |  |  |
| **ECTS TABLE** |
| **Contents** | **Number** | **Hours** | **Total** |
| Hours in Classroom (Face-to-face) | **14** | **3** | **42** |
| Hours out Classroom | **14** | **3** | **42** |
| Presentation |  |  |  |
| Group Studies |  |  |  |
| Midterm Exam | **1** | **25** | **35** |
| Project |  |  |  |
| Final Exam | **1** | **35** | **35** |
| **Total****Total / 30****ECTS Credit** | **144** |
| **=144/30=4.71** |
| **5** |