

**Academic discipline:**  
**"Foreign language practice (general knowledge)"**

<b>Code and name of specialty</b>	1-02 03 04 Russian Language and Literature. Foreign Language (English)
<b>Training course</b>	1
<b>Semester of training</b>	1
<b>Number of class hours:</b>	72
<b>Lectures</b>	-
<b>Seminar classes</b>	-
<b>Practical classes</b>	72
<b>Laboratory classes</b>	-
<b>Form of current assessment (credit/differential credit/exam)</b>	credit
<b>Number of credits</b>	3
<b>Competencies to be formed</b>	To carry out effective oral and written communication in a foreign language. To carry out professional communication (in the sphere of education) in a foreign language. To master the system of techniques of written and consecutive interpretation from Russian (Belarusian) to a foreign language and vice versa. To carry out communication in a foreign language taking into account the peculiarities of its phonetic and grammatical system.

**Brief content of the academic discipline:**

The discipline "Foreign language practice (general knowledge)" is a part of the state component of the educational process of the module "General professional disciplines" and is an integral part of the continuous language training in the profile block of disciplines aimed at training a specialist in the field of English. The thematic content is aimed at the formation of students' basic knowledge of the phonetic system of the English language and the rules of functioning of phonetic units in speech, as well as skills and abilities of pronunciation norms of modern English. Teaching grammar is subordinated to phonetic requirements, since the selection and sequence of grammatical structures and their lexical content are conditioned by the sequence of introduction of sound and prosodic units. The teaching of the discipline is based on modern methods, techniques, means and forms of learning that contribute to the realization of all goals of language learning and intensification of the learning process.