

FALL TERM

First Week

Course contents and basic concepts will be informed and discussed.

Second Week

What led to the decline of the Ottoman Empire and how Turkish Reforms carried out will be discussed. (Internal and external reasons, geography of the Ottoman Empire and economic situation)

Third Week

Modernization movements of the Ottoman Empire (Tanzimat Reforms, First Constitutional Era)

Fourth Week

Movements of thought of the Late Ottoman Period will be touched on. (Ottomanism, Turkism, Westernization, Socialism)

Fifth Week

Internal and External events of the Empire during its decline period (31 March, occupation of Creta and Bosnia, Balkan Wars and etc.)

Six Week

First World War and Mondros Armistice Agreement

Seventh Week

Occupation of Anatolia by states, reaction to this invasions, Communities and activities of Mustafa Kemal Pasha will be analysed.

Eighth Week

First step towards to national struggle and congresses and conventions will be discussed.

Ninth Week

Ottoman General Elections in 1919, Mısak-ı Milli (National Oath or National Pact) and Occupation of the Istanbul

Tenth Week

Establishment of Grand National Assembly of Turkey, its structure and activities and reactions to the parliament

Eleventh Week

San Remo Conference, Treaty of Sevres, Kurdish and Armenian issue, situation of Eastern and South eastern part of Anatolian.

Twelfth Week

Dissolution of Kuvayı Milliye (National Forces), Establishment of regular army, Wars in West Anatolia with Greeks.

Thirteenth Week

Supreme Military Command of Mustafa Kemal Pasha, Sakarya War and other events.

Fourteenth Week

Great Offensive (Büyük Taaruz), Greek Army withdrawal from western Anatolia, Armistice of Mudanya.

SPRING TERM

First Week

Lausanne Treaty (its articles, importance and results)

Second Week

Revolution in the Political Fields

Third Week

Multi Party Period, (Establishment of Progress Republican Party, Sheikh Said Rebellion, Law on the maintenance of Order, attempt to assassination of Pasha, establishment Free Republican Party, İzmir Meeting and etc.)

Fourth Week

Reforms in Law, Secularization Process of Turkey

Fifth Week

Reforms in Cultural and Educational Field (law on unity of education, Latin Alphabet etc.) Reforms in Medicine Area.

Sixth Week

Izmir Economic Congress, Turkish economic development, Early Turkish economic policy.

Seventh Week

Establishment of Constitutional System and its developments (1921 Constitution, 1924 Constitution, and others.)

Eighth Week

Turkish Foreign Policy during Atatürk Era

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Tenth Week

Definition of Ataturk's system of thought, its contents, Ataturk's Principles

Eleventh Week

Supplemental Principles (Internal political affairs in Turkey from 1960 to 1980s, economical and political crises, terrorism etc.)

Twelfth Week

Situation of Turkey after Ataturk (Death of Mustafa Kemal Pasha, WWII)

Thirteenth Week

Transition to a multi-party system (Democrat Party Period, being member of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization and 1960 Military Coup etc.)

Fourteenth Week

Geopolitical Position of Turkey, its modernization in the 21th century.