Subject		credits	assessment	Weighting in computation of overall grade in TCD
Language	two semesters	10 credits	State Russian language test (lexis and grammar, reading comprehension, writing, listening comprehension, oral) <sup>1</sup>	40%
Module 1	one semester	5 credits	Pass/fail	Compulsory, but not counted in final assessment
Module 2	one semester	5 credits	Pass/fail	Compulsory, but not counted in final assessment
Module 3	one semester	5 credits	Pass/fail	Compulsory, but not counted in final assessment
Module 4	one semester	5 credits	Examination <sup>2</sup>	10%
Module 5	one semester	5 credits	examination <sup>2</sup>	10%
Module 6	one semester	5 credits	examination <sup>2</sup>	10%
Language essay	one semester	10 credits	Essay (second marked in TCD)	30%
		50 credits		

1) Успешно сдавшим тест считается кандидат, выполнивший каждый из разделов теста не менее, чем на 66%. При этом по одному из разделов теста проходной балл может быть не ниже 60%.[Candidates are required to obtain a minimum mark of 66% in each part of the test to be deemed to have passed. Candidates may, however, obtain a minimum mark of 60% in one section of the test.]

Marks in Russian language test	TCD classes
60-69	III
70-79	II.2
80-89	II.1
90-100	I

2) A five (пятерка /отлично/ 5) is normally converted as a II.1 on a student's transcript. However, a first class overall result may be given if a student obtains fives (пятерки/5) for all the elements marked in the Litinstitut, as well as for the essay (marked by the LitInstitute and TCD) and a I class overall mark in the State Russian language test: in such cases a 70 is awarded for examined modules.