



**Literature list for LINN23 Linguistics: Grammatical Patterns in Human Language 7,5 hp**

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*Total: 662 pp.*

Additional material may be distributed on the course platform (maximum 100 pp.).

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