

Dr Ambedkar Institute of Technology, Bengaluru-56
Department of Humanities & Social Sciences
Scheme and Syllabus – OBE - CBCS – 2021 -2022

Course Title	COMMUNICATIVE ENGLISH						
Course Code	21HST108						
Category	Humanities & Social Sciences (HS)						
Scheme and Credits	No. of Hours/Week					Total	Credits
	L	T	P	SS	Total	Hrs./semester	
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CIE Marks: 50	SEE Marks: 50	Total Max. Marks: 100			Duration of SEE: 02 Hours		

COURSE OBJECTIVE: To enable the students to assimilate the correct patterns of the language, & to develop students' insight into the structure of English language. To enrich vocabulary bank, to communicate more effectively in English, to express opinions including facts & ideas & maintain conversation in everyday situations. To use digital literacy tools their LSRW skills can be enhanced and to master good speaking skills with different strategies.

UNIT I	4 hours
Introduction to Communicative English, Fundamentals of Communicative English, Barriers to Effective Communicative English, Different styles in Communicative English, Interpersonal Communication Skills, How to improve Interpersonal Communication Skills, Developing Interpersonal Skills. Grammar: Basic English Grammar and Parts of Speech - Nouns, Pronouns, Adjectives, Verbs, Adverbs, Preposition, Articles, Conjunctions.	
UNIT II	6 hours
Grammar: Preposition, kinds of Preposition and Prepositions often confused / used in different situations. Word Accent – Rules for Word Accent, Stress Shift, Question Tags, Question Tags for Assertive Sentences(Statements) – Some Exceptions in Question Tags and Exercises, Vocabulary: One Word Substitutes and Exercises, Synonyms and Antonyms, Exercises on it. Idioms & Phrases, Words often confused, Homophones, homonyms	
UNIT III	6 hours
Grammar: Articles – Definite & Indefinite articles, Spelling Rules and Words often Misspelt, Word Pairs (Minimal Pairs), Sequence of Tenses (Rules in use of Tenses), Situational dialogues: Self-introduction, greeting, thanking, accepting thanks, apologizing, invitations, making complaints, Wh-questions/ yes-no questions, Vocabulary: Contractions/Abbreviations, strong and Weak forms of verbs, Words Formation-Prefixes and Suffixes.	
UNIT IV	5 hours
Communication Skills: LSRW Skills	
UNIT V	5 hours
Speaking Skills: Extempore / Public Speaking, Difference between Extempore / Public Speaking, and Guidelines for Practice. Listening Comprehension. Oral Presentation, Role Plays Just a minute (JAM), Group Discussion, Persuasion Speech, Description.	
TEACHING LEARNING PROCESS: Chalk and Talk, power point presentation, videos	

COURSE OUTCOMES: On completion of the course, student will be able to:

CO1: Learn basic grammar rules, developed the mastery of language.

CO2: Enhance vocabulary and fluency will be increased.

CO3: Gain the ability to communicate confidently in various situations.

CO4: improve listening, speaking, reading and writing skills.

CO5: Overcome their stage fright and express their views freely without hesitation.

TEXT BOOKS

1. Workbook
2. English Grammar and composition by WREN AND MARTIN
3. Contemporary English Grammar by JAYANTHI DAKSHINAMURTHY
4. English for Technical Communication by LAKSHMINARAYANA K.R
5. Effective English for Technical Communication by FARATULLAH T.M

REFERENCE BOOKS

1. Objective English (Multiple choice questions with answers for competitive examinations) by Dr.B.James
2. The English Errors of Indian Students by T.L.H Smith Pearse.
3. Communication Skills by Sanjay Kumar and Pushp Lata, Oxford University Press - 2018.
4. A Textbook of English Language Communication Skills, Infinite Learning Solutions – (Revised Edition) 2020.
5. English for Engineers by N.P.Sudharshana and C.Savitha, Cambridge University Press 2018.
6. Technical Communication by Gajendra Singh Chauhan and Et al, Cengage learning India Pvt Limited [Latest Revised Edition] - 2019.
7. English Language Communication Skills – Lab Manual cum Workbook, Cengage learning India Pvt Limited [Latest Revised Edition] – 2019.
8. Practical English Usage by Michael Swan, Oxford University Press – 2016.
9. Technical Communication – Principles and Practice, Third Edition by Meenakshi Raman and Sangeetha Sharma, Oxford University Press 2017.
10. Effective Technical Communication – Second Edition by M. Ashraf Rizvi, McGraw Hill Education (India) Private Limited – 2018.

SCHEME FOR EXAMINATIONS

Theory Question Paper Pattern:

CIE- Objective type (Max. marks: 30 marks)

SEE- Objective type (Max. marks: 50 marks)

MAPPING of COs with POs

Ss	PO1	PO2	PO3	PO4	PO5	PO6	PO7	PO8	PO9	PO10	PO11	PO12
CO1												
CO2												
CO3												
CO4												
CO5												
Strength of correlation: Low-1, Medium- 2, High-3												