

ENGLISH

Total: 3 hours /week
Lecture: 3 hours/week
Tutorial: 0 hour/week
Practical: 0 hours/week
Lab: 0 hours/week

Course Description:

This course is designed with a view to provide students techniques in using English for academic and communicative purposes, train them in the comprehending varieties of texts, terminologies, grammatical and communicative areas of English language, make them see the relationship between structure and meaning. This guides the students from general to comprehensive understanding of language.

Course Objectives:

On completion of the course the students will be enabled to:

- Construct sensible sentences applying the grammatical structures.
- Answer the questions given after the comprehension passage.
- Use terminologies vocabularies to construct sensible sentences.
- Perform the communicative functions in given situation.
- Write paragraphs on people, place and events correctly and meaningfully.
- Analyze the literary texts.

Part 1: Language Development

63hrs.

Unit 1: What are you like?

4 hrs.

- Reading Comprehension: Finding the real you
- Vocabulary: Character Adjectives (Mature, decisive, motivated)
- Grammar: Review of Tenses
- Writing a formal letter
- Project Work: Write a formal letter of application for a vacancy of health worker precisely describing yourself.

Unit 2: Health Matters

6 hrs.

- Reading Comprehension: An Unhealthy Obsession
- Vocabulary: Health and Wellbeing
- Grammar: Direct and Indirect Speech
- Writing an academic essay: Introduction
- Project work: Write the first paragraph of academic essay on assigned topic

Unit 3: Looking Ahead

4 hrs.

- Reading Comprehension: Destination Mars!
- Vocabulary: Phrasal Verbs with *Up* and *Down*
- Grammar: Future Forms
- Writing: Body Paragraph of an academic essay

- Project work: Write body paragraphs for assigned topic

Unit 4: It's a crime

8 hrs.

- Reading Comprehension: Writing crime fiction
- Vocabulary: Crime and Punishment
- Grammar: Passives
- Writing: Conclusion of an academic essay using linking phrases
- Project work: Write a five paragraph academic essay on assigned topic

Unit 5: Buying and Selling

6 hrs.

- Reading Comprehension: The appeal of eBay
- Vocabulary: Expressions with business and shopping
- Grammar: Making Wishes
- Writing: A Report
- Project Work: Write a report of a recent excursion from your college

Unit 6: Family

4 hrs.

- Reading Comprehension: Family
- Vocabulary: Family related terminologies
- Grammar: Root words and prefixes
- Writing: An Informal Letter / Email / Correspondence letter
- Project Work: Write an email to your brother/ sister living abroad

Unit 7: Sports

7 hrs.

- Reading Comprehension: Euro 2020
- Use of sports related terminologies
- British and American Pronunciation
- Writing a news story
- Write a news story on the assigned topic

Unit 8: Education

8 hrs.

- Reading Comprehension: A Story of My Childhood
- Use of terminologies of Education
- Expressing the degrees of Certainty
- Writing a Memo
- Project Work: Write a memo for your college friends reminding them about participation in sports week.

Unit 9: Humor

8 hrs.

- Reading Comprehension: Why do we laugh inappropriately?
- Synonyms and antonyms of verb: 'laugh'
- Giving Advice: Models (Should/ would / could)
- Writing advice slips/ prescription
- Project Work: Write an advice slip on first aid of a deep cut.

Unit 10: Hobbies	4 hrs.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reading Comprehension: On Walking • Finding words in dictionary • Arranging words in alphabetical order • Keeping a daily diary/ Journal • Project Work: Share your daily journal to the class friends 	
Unit 11: Globalization, Diaspora and Diversity	4 hrs
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reading-Identity Crisis in <i>Seasons of Flight</i> • Vocabulary: Homophones (Principal/ Principle) • Writing: Book Review • Grammar: Prepositions of Time and Place • Project Work: Write a review of a book you have recently read and present it in the class. 	
Section 2: Literature	42 hrs.
Unit 12: Short Stories	12hrs
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Use of Force – William Carlos Williams • A Respectable Woman - Kate Chopin • A Devoted Son - Anita Desai • The Last Lesson - Alphonse Daudet • Birth- A. J. Cronin 	
Unit 13: Poems	12hrs
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New Nepal- Siddhicharan Shrestha • A Day - Emily Dickinson • Every Morning I Wake - Dylan Thomas • The Parrot in the Cage- Lekhanath Poudyal • Childhood- Kevin Young • Lunatic – Laxmiprasad 	
Unit 14: Essays	12hrs
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • On Libraries - Oliver Sacks • Marriage as a Social Institution - Stephen L. Nock • Journey to the End of the Earth- Tishani Joshi • The Six-Million Dollar Man- Harold J. Morowitz • Stay Hungry, Stay Foolish!- Steve Jobs 	
Unit15: Play	6hrs
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Malini- Rabindranath Tagore 	

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Final written exam marking scheme

Unit	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	Total
Unit hours	4	6	4	8	6	4	7	8	8	4	4	12	12	12	6	105
Marks	3	5	3	6	5	3	5	6	6	3	3	9	9	9	5	80