Semester IV

Course: English C.C. Paper IV (L.L.)

Title of the Course: **English for Practical Purposes**

Subject Code No.: 450401

Paper	L	Cr	P/T	D	TP	TW	T
English for Practical Purposes	3	4	1*	2.30	75	25	100

^{*}Tutorial batches of 25 students each.

Objectives:

- 1) To enable students to read simple texts fluently with proper understanding.
- II) To enable students to speak simple English in informal as well as formal situations.
- III) To enable students to write correctly and coherently in English (answers from the texts, notes, instructions, direction, letters and paragraphs).

Learning Outcomes:

Learners will be able:

- 1) To read, understand and write responses in simple English.
- II) Learn ways of refusing or rejecting in a polite manner with the help of suitable words (telephone conversations, at the restaurant, at the shopping mall etc)
- III) Learn to answer various types of questions like factual, interpretative and personal responses.

Credits: 04

Teaching hours: 50

Marks: 100

Unit	Topic and Details	No. of	Weightage
		Lectures/	
		Tutorial*	

		assigned	in %
1	Reading Comprehension	20	35%
	a) 'The Library Girl' by Vishwapriya L. Iyengar		
	b) 'My Beloved Charioteer' by Shashi Deshpande		
	From 'The Inner Courtyard' (stories by Indian Women)		
	Edited by Lakshmi Holmstrom published by Rupa &		
	Company, New Delhi, 2002		
2	Speaking Skills	08*	15%
	• Short Speeches : on topics of general interest		
	Welcome Speech (To welcome and introduce the		
	chief guest of a programme)		
	Vote of thanks.		
3	Listening Skills	07*	10%
	• Listening comprehension exercises based on prescribed text (Unit 1, audio and video sources)		
4	Writing Skills	25	40%
	Writing Reports: Themes for examples: in-house		
	Annual day, cultural and sports day, newspaper and		
	medical camps, heavy rain etc.		
	Writing Formal Letters of Enquiries and		
	Complaints		
	• E-mails		
	• Grammar: Do as directed: verb, tenses, vocabulary, jumbled sentences		

Evaluation Scheme:-

Internal Examination: 25 Marks

1. Speaking Skills : 15 Marks

2. Listening comprehension : 10 Marks

External Examination: 75 Marks

1. Reading Comprehension : 15 Marks

(Passage from the prescribed texts with objective or short answer questions)

2. Short answer questions or multiple choice questions based on 'The Inner Courtyard'

:15 Marks 3.

Language in Use : 15 Marks

(Fill in the blanks, Correct the following, Multiple Choices, Sentence Construction, and Do as Directed)

4. Writing emails (one out of two questions to be answered) :10 Marks

5. a) Report Writing : 10Marks

b) Letter of Enquiry / Complaint. : 10 Marks

Recommended Reading:

- 1. Gangal J K. A Practical Course In Effective English Speaking. PHI Learning Private Limited. 2012.
- 2. Gangal J K. *A Practical Course In Developing Writing Skills in English.* PHI Learning Private Limited. 2011.
- 3. Sinha Chaudhari Santanu. *Learn English*. Mcgraw Hill Education Pvt.ltd. New Delhi. 2013.

L = No. of Lectures / week, P / T = Practical / Tutorial in hrs, <math>D = Duration of Theory paper for Examination in hrs, TP = Theory Paper-marks, TW = Term Work - marks,

P/V = Practical / Viva Voce - marks, T = Total