

GOKARAJU RANGARAJU INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY

ENGLISH

Course Code: GR15A1005

I Year I Semester

L:2 T:1 P:0 C:3

Prerequisites: Familiarity with basic language and communication skills.

Course Objectives: At the end of the course the students are expected to

- Improve the English Language proficiency with an emphasis on LSRW skills.
- Study the academic subjects with better understanding.

Course Outcomes

- Develop the ability to read and comprehend a wide range of text and understand the importance of life-long learning.
- To express themselves fluently and appropriately in social and professional fields and strengthen their professional etiquettes.

Unit-I

- 1. Chapter entitled Sir C.V. Raman: A Path breaker in the saga of Indian Science from "Enjoying Every day English", Published by Sangam Books, Hyderabad.
- 2. Chapter Entitled Mother Teresa from "Inspiring Speeches and Lives", Published by Maruthi Publications, Guntur

Tutorial-1: Present a small biographical sketch of an inspiring personality

Tutorial-2: Prepare an essay on "Charity begins at home."

Unit-II

Grammar & Vocabulary Development: Articles: Types of Articles and their usages; Tense and Aspect; Subject and Verb Agreement; Prepositions

Vocabulary Development: Synonyms and Antonyms; One-word substitutes; prefixes and suffixes; words often confused; idioms and phrases.

Speaking & Writing skills: Information transfer: verbal to graphical presentation and from graphical presentation to verbal. Public Speaking: Body Language, Presentation Skills and its Features.

Tutorial-3: Worksheet on the usage of Tenses, Articles and Prepositions

Tutorial-4: Exercises on vocabulary

Tutorial-5: Interpretation of data from different formats



Unit-III

- 1. Chapter Entitled The Connoisseur from "Enjoying Every day English", Published by Sangam Books, Hyderabad
- 2. Chapter Entitled Sam Pitroda from "Inspiring Speeches and Lives", Published by Maruthi Publications, Guntur.

Tutorial-5: Story Analysis

Tutorial-6: Present a person who bears risk taking ability to solve the problems of people/society

Tutorial-7: Describe a strange event that occurred in your life

Unit-IV

- Chapter Entitled Bubbling Well Road from "Enjoying Every day English", Published by Sangam Books, Hyderabad
- 2. Chapter Entitled Amartya Kumar Sen from "Inspiring Speeches and Lives", Published by Maruthi Publications, Guntur
- **Tutorial-9:** Oral Presentation on "Does the quality of Unity in Diversity helped us to acquaint easily with the trends of globalization?"
- **Tutorial-10:** Develop an essay "The ways to impart moral and ethical values amongst the students."

Unit-V

- 1. Chapter entitled The Cuddalore Experience from "Enjoying Every day English", Published by Sangam Books, Hyderabad
- 2. Chapter Entitled Martin Luther King Jr. (I have a dream) from "Inspiring Speeches and Lives", Published by Maruthi Publications, Guntur
- **Tutorial-11:** Presentation on "The possible ways to educate students about Disaster Management."

Tutorial-12: Write or present "Is every present leader was a follower?"

Text Books

- 1. Enjoying Every day English by A. Rama Krishna Rao- Sangam Books
- Inspiring Speeches and Lives by Dr.B. Yadava Raju, Dr.C. Muralikrishna, Maruthi Publications.

Reference Books

- 1. Murphy's English Grammar with CD, Murphy, Cambridge University Press.
- 2. Effective Technical Communication, M. Ashraf Rizvi, Tata McGraw Hill.
- 3. Technical Communication, Meenakshi Raman, Sangeeta Sharma, Oxford higher Education.
- 4. English for Engineers Made Easy, Aeda Abidi, Ritu Chaudhry, Cengage Learning.
- Communicate or Collapse, Pushp Latha, Sanjay Kumar, PHI Learning Pvt.Ltd.
- 6. Communication Skills, Sanjay Kumar, Pushp Latha, Oxford Higher Education.
- 7. A Hand Book for Engineers, Dr. P. Eliah, BS Publications