

English Bridge Course 2020

Objective:

- To bridge the gap between school and collegiate education to meet the students communicative requirements
- To prepare the students for a classroom atmosphere in which English is the medium of instruction.
- To test and hone their comprehension powers of the English language
- Develop confidence and ease in interpersonal and spontaneous communication

Duration: 30 hours

Intended for:: First Year students of all programs

Sr Number	Topic	Time allotted(in hours)
1	Basic idea on parts of speech and sentence	1 - Debbie
2	How to use- is, are, was, were	1 - NS
3	Subject - Verb - Agreement	2- NS
4	Verbs	2(1+1activity) NS
5	Tense, Tense forms and applications	3 -SHARANY
6	Prepositions versus Conjunctions	2((1+1activity) SHARANYA
7	Vocabulary Building a. Synonyms Antonyms b. Similar sounding words c. Words with different meanings e. Singular Plural forms-standard rules and deviations f. Single word substitution	2 KRM
8	Abbreviations(e.g.: you're, it's, plural forms) Common mistakes	1SHARANYA
9	Basic sentence structure	1 NS
10	Basic paragraph structure	1 NS

11	Basic speaking etiquette	1 NS
12.	<p>Advanced speaking activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Expression opinion ● Argumentative speaking ● Elevator pitch ● Discussions ● Presentations 	<p>6(2+4 activities) DJ Debate Presentation(speech+ sentence & paragraph structure) Paralinguistics</p>
13.	Listening comprehension: Understanding pronunciation through Ted Talks, news clip	2+1 activity -identifying difficulties, pronunciation KRM
14.	<p>Reading comprehension: Reading book/excerpts/ movie reviews</p> <p>Writing/reading a book or film review</p>	3 KRM
15	Test- MCQs- 25 marks + 5 marks for participation	1