# Appendix "AC" Item No. 43

#### **ENGLISH**

# I/IV B. Tech. I/VI B. Tech + M.Tech. & I/V Architecture (Effective from 2018-2019 Admitted Batches)

(Common for all Branches)

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ENG1101	<b>ENGLISH</b>	3			30	70	100	3hrs	3

#### **OBJECTIVES**

# Reading Skills

- \* Addressing explicit and implicit meanings of a text on current topics.
- \* Understanding the context.
- \* Learning new words and phrases.
- \* Using words and phrases in different contexts.

#### Writing Skills

- \* Using the basic structure of a sentence.
- \* Applying relevant writing formats to create paragraphs, essays, letters, emails, reports and presentations.
- \* Retaining a logical flow while writing.
- \* Planning and executing an assignment creatively.

## Interactive Skills

- \* Analyzing a topic of discussion and relating to it.
- \* Participating in discussions and influencing them.
- \* Communicating ideas effectively.
- \* Presenting ideas coherently within a stipulated time.

### Life Skills

- \* Examining self-attributes and identifying areas that require improvement: self-diagnosis and self-motivation.
- \* Adapting to a given situation and developing a functional approach to finding solutions: adaptability and problem solving.
  - \* Understanding the importance of helping others: community services and enthusiasm.

#### **DETAILED SYLLABUS**

UNIT-1

Reading

On the conduct of life: William Hazlitt

Grammar

Prepositions

Vocabulary

Word Formation I: Introduction to Word Formation

Writing

Clauses and Sentences

Life skills

Values and Ethics

If: Rudyard Kipling

UNIT-2

Reading

The Brook: Alfred Tennyson

Grammar Articles Vocabulary

Word Formation II: Root Words from other Languages

Writing

Punctuation

Life skills

Self-Improvement

How I Became a Public Speaker. George Bernard Shaw

UNIT-3 Reading

The Death Trap: Saki

Grammar

Noun-Pronoun Agreement

Subject- Verb Agreement

Vocabulary

Word Formation III: Prefixes and Suffixes

Writing

Principals of Good Writing

Life skills

Time Management

On saving Time: Seneca

UNIT-4

Reading

Chindu Yellama

Grammar

Misplaced Modifiers

Vocabulary

Synonyms

Antonyms

Writing

**Essay Writing** 

Life skills

Innovation

Muhammad Yunus

UNIT-5

Reading

Politics and the English Language: George Orwell

Grammar

Clichés

Redundancies

Vocabulary

Common Abbreviations

Writing

Writing a Summary

Life skills

Motivation

The Dancer with a White Parasol: Ranjana Dave

UNIT-6

**Basics of Oral Communication** 

Pronunciation

Stress

Intonation

Rhythm

# **Everyday Communication I**

Introducing oneself and others

Announcements

## **Everyday Communication II**

Getting Someone's Attention and Interrupting

Listening Comprehension-I

Conversations

## **Everyday Communication III**

Making Requests and Responding to Them

# **Listening Comprehension -I**

Extended Listening Passage

## Interview Skills

Making Presentations

**Prescribed Textbook:** Language and Life: A Skills Approach Board of Editors, Orient Black Swan Publishers, India. 2018.

Course Outcomes

The student will acquire basic proficiency in English including reading and listening comprehension, writing and speaking skills.

## Suggested Readings

- \* Practical English Usage. Michael Swan. OUP. 1995.
- \* Remedial English Grammar. F.T. Wood. Macmillan.2007
- \* On Writing Well. William Zinsser. Harper Resource Book. 2001
- \* Study Writing. Liz Hamp-Lyons and Ben Heasly. Cambridge University Press. 2006.
- \* Communication Skills. Sanjay Kumar and Pushp Lata. Oxford University Press. 2011.
- \* Exercises in Spoken English. Parts. I-III. CIEFL, Hyderabad. Oxford University Press.