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Cross Cutting Issues related to Human Values & Professional Ethics Gender Sensitization

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### **DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH**

#### General English for B.A., B.Com & B.Sc SEMESTER - I (With effect from 2023-2024)

#### A COURSE IN COMMUNICATION AND SOFT SKILLS

#### **Syllabus**

## I. UNIT: Listening Skills

- a. Importance of Listening
- b. Types of Listening
- c. Barriers to Listening
- d. Effective Listening

#### **II. UNIT: Phonetics**

- a. Sounds of English: Vowels and Consonants
- b. Syllable
- c. Word Stress
- d. Intonation

#### III. UNIT: Grammar

- a. Words Often confused
- b. Articles
- c. Prepositions
- d. Tenses
- e. Question tags

## IV. UNIT: Speaking Skills

- a. Greetings & Introduction
- b. Asking and Giving Information
- c. Yes, We Can

Barack Obama

- d. Agreeing/Disagreeing
- e. A Leader Should Know How to Manage Failure Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam

### V. UNIT: Soft Skills

- a. SWOC
- b. Attitude
- c. Emotional Intelligence
- d. Netiquette
- e. Interpersonal Skills

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## GENERAL ENGLISH FOR B.A.,B.Com.,B.Sc: 2023-2024 SEMESTER -II (With effect from 2023-2024) A COURSE IN READING AND WRITING SKILLS

#### Prose

- 1. The Last Leaf O'Henry
- 2. The Night Train at Deoli --- RuskinBond
- 3. God sees the Truth but waits Leo Tolstoy

#### Poetry

4. Night of the Scorpion Nissim Ezekiel
5. Ulysses Alfred Lord Tennyson

6. Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening Robert Frost

#### **Non-Detailed Text**

- 7. Florence Nightingale
- 8. An Astrologer's Day RK Narayan

### **Academic Skills**

- 1. Skimming and Scanning
- 2. Note Making / Taking
- 3. Reading Comprehension (Top Down, Bottom Up and Schema Theory)
- 4. Expansion of Ideas
- 5. Vocabulary: Conversion of Words
- 6. One Word Substitutes

#### **Professional Skills**

- 7. Notices, Agendas and Minutes
- 8. Curriculum Vitae and Resume
- 9. Letters
- 10. E-Correspondence

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#### **LUNIT**

Speech: 1. Tryst with Destiny Jawaharlal Nehru

Skills: 2. Greetings

3. Introductions

#### II. UNIT

Speech: 1. I Have a dream

Interview: 2. A Leader Should Know How to Manage Failure Dr.A.P.J.Abdul

Kalam/ India Knowledge at Wharton

Skills: 3. Requests

III. UNIT

Interview: 1. Nelson Mandela's Interview With Larry King

Skills: 2. Asking and Giving

Information: 3. Agreeing and Disagreeing

IV. UNIT

Interview: 1. JRD Tata's Interview With T.N.Ninan

Skills:

2. Dialogue Building:

3. Giving Instructions/Directions

V. UNIT 1. Speech: 1. You've Got to Find What You Love Steve Jobs

Skills: 2. Debates

3. Descriptions

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### **KAKINADA**

## Department of English REVISED UG SYLLABUS UNDER CBCS

(Implemented from the Academic Year - 2023-24)

## SYLLABUS: 2023-2024 LIFE SKILLS COURSES COMMUNICATION SKILLS

#### **SEMESTER-I**

Theory Credits: 2 2 hrs/week

#### **UNIT-I**

#### **BASICS OF COMMUNICATION**

- 1. Nature and importance of communication
- 2. Process of Communication
- 3. Principles of communication
- 4. Barriers to effective communication
- 5. Strategies for effective communication

#### **UNIT-II**

#### PRESENTATION SKILLS

- 1. Preparation of a good presentation
- 2. Verbal communication in presentation
- 3. Non-verbal communication in presentation
- 4. Visual aids/Materials in presentation
- 5. Analyzing audience and managing questions

#### **UNIT-III**

#### INTERVIEWS AND GROUP DISCUSSIONS

- 1. Interview and its types
- 2. Before, during and after an interview
- 3. Do's and Don'ts in an interview
- 4. Basic Interview questions
- 5. Structure and process of Group Discussions
- 6. Role functions, Do's and Don'ts

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Department of English
SKILL COURSE w.e.f. AY 2023-24
CBCS I YEAR UG HONOURS DEGREE PROGRAM - 2023-2024
SEMESTER-II BUSINESS WRITING

Time:2 hours Max. marks: 40

Theory Credits: 2 2 hrs/week

Unit 1. Introduction to Business Writing: Importance and purpose of effective business writing; Characteristics of good business writing; Common challenges and misconceptions. Writing Clear and Concise Emails: Appropriate email etiquette in the professional environment, organizing email content and using effective subject lines, Understanding tone and formality in email communication.

Unit 2. Memos and Interoffice Communication: Formatting and structure of memos, Writing memos for various purposes like updates, announcements, requests. Ensuring clarity and coherence in interoffice communication. Business Letters and Formal Correspondence: Structure and components of a business letter, writing persuasive and professional business letters, Responding to inquiries and complaints effectively.

Unit 3: Business Proposals and Reports: Crafting business proposals for projects and initiatives, Formal report writing - format, sections, and organization, Analyzing data and presenting findings in reports. Writing for Digital Platforms: Business writing for websites, social media, and online communication, Leveraging technology for efficient and impactful





