

**SHIVAJI UNIVERSITY, KOLHAPUR  
CENTRE FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

**SPOKEN ENGLISH**

**Duration:** 3 months (3 days/week, 1 and ½ hrs per day)

**Student Eligibility:** 10<sup>th</sup> equivalent or 9<sup>th</sup> pass student with above 60% marks in English.

**Staff Qualifications:**

M.A. with English with two years experience in teaching / More than 5 years professional experience in teaching English Communication skills.

**Number of Students/batch:** Maximum – 30

**Course Fees:** Rs. 500/- + Rs.150 Evaluation Fee

**Infrastructure Requirement:**

- Classroom facilities for 30 students.
- Tape recorder
- Daily subscription of any English newspaper (Indian Express or Times of India)
- Monthly or fortnightly English magazine such as Reader's digest, Outlook and Frontline.

**Objectives: -**

To enable students to use grammatically correct and situation ally appropriate English on a variety of everyday occasions. The Course intends to make the students aware that their language must be sensitive to the differences in functions and register. After completion of the Course, they should be able to engage in real life-like conversations, and use appropriate modality markers and idiomatic expressions in their speech.

**Syllabus**

**A) Pronunciation, Stress and Intonation:-**

1. Introduction to English Sound System- Consonants, vowels and diphthongs.
2. Intonations and Stress patterns
3. Weak forms of words.

**B) Grammar**

1. Assertive and declarative sentences.
2. Negation and Interrogation
3. Tense and Aspect.
4. Use of articles and Prepositions

**C) Functions**

Introducing, greeting, requesting, asking advice, offering suggestions, complaining and apologizing etc.

**D) Vocabulary building**

**References:**

1. Speaking- Martin Bygote, Oxford University press
2. A University Grammar of English – Quirk and Greenaum, Longman
3. English vocabulary in use, - Redman, Cambridge Lowpriced Edition.
4. Better English pronunciation- J.D.O' Connor  
(With two audio cassettes), Cambridge Low priced Edition
5. Patterns of Spoken English- Knowles
6. English: The Easy Way – Norman Schachter, South- Western publishing Company.