

ESSENTIAL ENGLISH

I Year B. Tech. I Semester

(Common to CHEM, CIVIL, ECE, ECE (VLSI), EEE, EEE (EV), MECH, MECH (R & AI))

Course Code:

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Course Outcomes: At the end of the course, the students will be able to...

CO	Course Outcome	Bloom's Level
CO1	Identify the purpose, tone, and key ideas in academic and professional speeches, podcasts, and TED Talks.	L1
CO2	Demonstrate effective oral communication in formal and informal settings through introductions, JAM sessions, and presentations.	L3
CO3	Interpret both general and technical texts.	L2
CO4	Compose paragraphs and emails using appropriate format, tone, and coherence.	L3
CO5	Apply grammar and vocabulary appropriately in spoken and written contexts.	L3

LIST OF ACTIVITIES

(Any 12-14 activities shall be conducted)

1. Listening : Listening to formal and informal self-introductions.
2. Listening : Listening to accomplished speakers & podcasts
3. Phonetics : Vowel and Consonant Sounds
4. Pronunciation: Word Stress, Rhythm & Intonation
5. Speaking : Personal Introduction & Introducing Others
6. Speaking : Situational Dialogues
7. Speaking : Describing Pictures, People, Places & Objects
8. Speaking : One-Minute Talk (JAM)
9. Reading : Skimming, Scanning & Inference
10. Reading : Reading for main ideas
11. Writing : Paragraphs with unity and coherence
12. Writing : Emails
13. Grammar : Remedial Grammar (Articles, Prepositions, Tenses, Concord, Conditionals)
14. Vocabulary: Word Formation & Academic Vocabulary
15. Speaking : Individual/Pair/Group Presentation
16. Speaking : PPT Presentation

Reference Book(s):

Emma Heyderman & Peter May. Complete Preliminary, Student's book with answers. 2nd Ed., Cambridge University Press. South Asia Ed. 2022

Web References / Self-Learning Resources

- British Council LearnEnglish – beginner/intermediate listening, speaking, reading, writing and grammar practice. (<https://learnenglish.britishcouncil.org/>)
- BBC Learning English – vocabulary, pronunciation and everyday English. (<https://www.bbc.co.uk/learningenglish/>)
- Cambridge Dictionary – definitions, examples and pronunciation. (<https://dictionary.cambridge.org/>)
- Oxford Learner's Dictionaries – vocabulary and pronunciation practice. (<https://www.oxfordlearnersdictionaries.com/>)
