



SARDAR PATEL UNIVERSITY
Vallabh Vidyanagar, Gujarat
(Reaccredited with 'A' Grade by NAAC (CGPA 3.25)
Syllabus with effect from the Academic Year 2021-2022

B. A. SEMESTER I
ABILITY ENHANCEMENT

Course Code	UA01AENG51	Title of the Course	GENERAL ENGLISH
Total Credits of the Course	04	Hours per Week	04

Course Objective:	The paper is designed to strengthen the language proficiency of the students of both English and Non-English streams. It focuses on the textual learning as well as grammatical and creative writing components.
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Course Content Text: College Collage: English Coursebook for College Students (Macmillan Publishers India Pvt. Ltd.)		
Unit	Description	Weightage* (%)
1.	Chapters from the text: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The Cactus• The Three Questions	25
2.	Chapters from the text: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The Strange Man's Arrival• The Zero Waster	25
3.	Grammar Part 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Parts of Speech• Articles I• Prepositions I• Subject –Verb Agreement	25
4.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Vocabulary I• Reading Comprehension	25

Teaching-Learning Methodology	Direct Teaching Method, ICT enabled Teaching, Q&A sessions, Problem Solving Activities, Collaborative & Co-operative Learning.
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Evaluation Pattern		
Sr. No.	Details of the Evaluation	Weightage



1.	Internal Written / Practical Examination (As per CBCS R.6.8.3)	15%
2.	Internal Continuous Assessment in the form of Practical, Viva-voce, Quizzes, Seminars, Assignments, Attendance (As per CBCS R.6.8.3)	15%
3.	University Examination	70%

Course Outcomes: Having completed this course, the learner will be able to...

1.	convey his/her ideas in English using simple and acceptable English in writing.
2.	understand to recognize and draft different types of writing – e.g. classroom notes, summaries, reports, exploratory and descriptive paragraphs, substantiating etc.
3.	develop a proper understanding of different pieces of literature.
4.	gain sound knowledge of grammar which will enhance their language accuracy.
5.	augment the art of comprehending.

Question Paper Format for Semester- end University Exam:	70 Marks
Q.1 Brief Answers (Attempt Any Five) based on Unit 1&2	20 Marks
Q.2 Short notes (Attempt Any Two) based on Unit 1&2	14 Marks
Q.3 Based on Unit 3	
(A) Fill in the blanks – Articles	06 Marks
(B) Fill in the blanks – Prepositions	06 Marks
(C) Fill in the blanks – Verb	06 Marks
Q.4 Based on Unit 4	
(A) Reading Comprehension	10 Marks
(B) Vocabulary Testing	08 Marks

