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Revised Syllabus for the B. A. F.Y. (Semester – I & II)

Programme :B.A. (Competitive Examinations Programme - CEP)

Course: English

Credit Based Semester and Grading System
(With effect from June 2019)

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Sub : English

Sem.	Title of Paper	Course Code	Marks	Credits
I	English for Competitive Examinations – I	U-COE-195	50	2
II	English for Competitive Examinations – II	U-COE-296	50	2

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Semester - I Sub : English

Course Code: U-COE-195

Course Title: English for Competitive Examinations – I

Credit: 2 Lectures: 50 Marks: 50

Objectives:

1) To acquaint students with word classes and their functionality.

- 2) To enable students with tenses, their sequence and usage.
- 3) Provide students with skills and opportunities to learn words independently as well as to help students build word power and vocabulary for better communication.
- 4) To teach students the meanings of specific words and nurture a love and appreciation of words.
- 5) To acquaint students with skills and strategies of reading texts so as to understand given texts of a certain length.

Outcomes:

- 1) Learn the word classes and their proper usage.
- 2) Understand the proper sequence and usage of tenses.
- 3) Learn the meaning of new vocabulary words.
- 4) Use the new words, learn while speaking and writing.
- 5) Understand words in a variety of contexts from a variety of roots (Greek, Latin, etc.)
- 6) Determine word meaning by analyzing the textual content.
- 7) Use their knowledge of word roots to determine its meaning.

Syllabus:

- 1) Word Classes
- 2) Articles
- 3) Tenses (Translation of Sentences)
- 4) Question Tags
- 5) Degrees of Comparison
- 6) Comprehension
- 7) Vocabulary Building (Synonyms and Antonyms)

References:

- 1) High School English Grammar and Composition, Wren & Martin, Rewised Edition, S. Chand Publishing.
- 2) English Grammar and Composition, Rajendra Pal & Prem Lata Suri, S. Chand Publishing.
- 3) Objective General English, Dr. R.S. Aggarwal, Vikas Aggarwal, S. Chand Publishing.
- 4) Compulsory English, LexisNexis

- 5) Objective English, Bakshi
- 6) Lucent's, General English, A.K. Thakur, Lucent Publication
- 7) Modern English Grammar, L.S. Deshpande, Abhay Pub. Nanded.

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Semester - II Sub : English

Course Code: U-COE-296

Course Title: **English for Competitive Examinations – II**

Credit: 2 Lectures: 50 Marks: 50

Objectives:

- 1) Provide students with skills and opportunities to learn words independently as well as to help students build word power and vocabulary for better communication.
- 2) To enable learner to understand the basic requirements of writing.
- 3) Analyze the grammatical structure of sentences, using grammatical terms correctly.
- 4) To apply the skills and strategies of a successful reader.
- 5) To develop their critical thinking, reading and writing skills.
- 6) Use grammatical structures meaningfully and accurately in oral and written work.
- 7) To acquaint students with grammatical items so as to understand the piece of writings to comprehend the meaning from them and also to translate it in their mother-tongue i.e. Marathi and also prepare them to write essays to express their views on particular situations, issues etc.

Outcomes:

- 1) The students will able to understand the basic grammar structures of English language.
- 2) Identify and rectify their own errors when using targeted grammatical structures.
- 3) Recognize components of a sentence.
- 4) To equip himself / herself to write a perfect essay for competitive exam.
- 5) There is grammatical correction in their writing as well as in spoken English.
- 6) To listen to lectures or read texts of varied lengths from a wide range of subjects and analyze them critically.
- 7) To improve their comprehension and retention of material through accurate and meaningful notes.

Syllabus:

- 1) Word formation / Word building
- 2) One word substitution
- 3) Punctuation: (Using appropriate punctuation marks)
- 4) Synonyms / Antonyms
- 5) Tense (Translation of paragraphs)
- 6) Correct formation of sentences and spotting errors
- 7) Comprehension
- 8) Précis / Summary Writing

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