

VIDYASAGAR UNIVERSITY

Paschim Midnapore 721102, West Bengal

ABILITY ENHANCEMENT COMPULSORY COURSE (AECC) ENGLISH

Revised syllabus (w.e.f. academic session 2022-23)

AECC-English: English Communication Credits 02

Course Contents:

1. Communication Skills

- a) Types and Models of Communication
- b) Verbal and Non-verbal Communication
- c) Barriers and Strategies
- d) Inter-personal Communication

2. Listening Skills:

a) Active and Passive Listening

3. Speaking Skills:

- a) Different forms of Speaking Formal/Informal
- b) Group Discussion
- c) English in Situations: Greeting & Leave Taking, Making & Granting/Refusing Requests, Queries & Giving Information/Direction, Describing objects/process, Narrating events & Commentary, Persuasion & Motivation, Complaints & Apologies, Expressing disapproval, Alerting & Warning

4. Reading Skills:

- a) Close Reading
- b) Comprehension
- c) Summary
- d) Paraphrasing

5. Writing Skills:

- a) Report Writing
- b) Making notes
- c) Letter writing

Suggested Readings:

- 1. **Connect: Course in Communicative English**, Debashis Bandyopadhyay & Malathi Krishnan Cambridge University Press, New Delhi, 2018.
- 2. **A Textbook of English and Communication Skills**. Richa Mishra and Ratna Rao, New Delhi: Macmillan: 2019