

# TECRIA INSTITUTE OF ADVANCED STUDIES

GRADE 'A' INSTITUTE

Department of Information Communication & Technology

COURSE PLAN

ACADEMIC SESSION 2024-25

# As per Scheme & Syllabus (w.e.f. Academic Session 2024-2025 onwards); As per UGC Curriculum & Credit Framework for Undergraduate Programme (CCFUP) (Dec 2022) Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University, New Delhi.

PROGRAMME CODE:	020	PROGRAMME:	Bachelor of Computer Applications (BCA)	SHIFT:	1st			L	3	T/P	0	Credits	3
COURSE CODE :	BCA-141T	COURSE NAME:	Writing Skills	SECTION:	A								
		COURSE TYPE:	Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course (AECC)	FACULTY:	Ms. Geeta								

**LEARNING OBJECTIVES:**

This course will provide the learners the following:

1. Understanding of the correct use of English Language.
2. The student will improve in oral as well as written communication skills.

PREREQUISITE: None

## COURSE OUTCOME & MAPPING, COURSE ARTICULATION

		DISCIPLINARY KNOWLEDGE: Discipline Knowledge	PROBLEM ANALYSIS	DESIGN / DEVELOPMENT OF SOLUTIONS	MODERN TOOL USAGE	PROFESSIONAL ETHICS	LIFE-LONG LEARNING	PROJECT MANAGEMENT AND FINANCE	COMMUNICATION EFFICACY WITH COOPERATION/TEAMWORK	SOCIAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONCERN: Understand and assess societal, environmental, health, safety, legal and cultural issues within local and global contexts and the consequential responsibilities relevant to professional computing practices.	INNOVATION AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP IP:
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		CO - PO MAPPING	PO1	PO2	PO3	PO4	PO5	PO6	PO7	PO8	PO9
CO1	The student will become familiar with the basics of communication and its importance in the organizational world.		4	1	4	4	2	6	2	3	4
CO2	To improve the business writing skills also will become well aware how to write effective resume to enter the global world.		8	1	4	2	3	4	2	3	4
CO3	To improve the listening skills by knowing well how to negotiate and give effective presentations		6	1	4	4	1	4	3	1	4
CO4	To make use of effective business language and give a professional look to oneself.		6	1	4	4	1	4	3	1	4
Course Articulation (Average)			4	1	4	3.5	2	4	2.5	—	4

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S. No.	Lecture No.	Unit No	Topic	Instructional Outcomes	Experiential Learning	Participative Learning	Problem Solving Methodologies	ICT Tools & E-Resources Utilization	Mapping with CO	Class Material (PPT, Faculty, Students)	Additional Material (Links/ Journals/ Articles/ NEWS)	Mode of Assessment	Status
1	L1	1	Definition and Nature of Technical Writing	Understand the concept of technical writing		Discussion		Youtube Video: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7LsvAdMyVc">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7LsvAdMyVc</a>	CO1	PPT		Class Test	
2	L2	1	Basic Principles of Technical Writing	Understand the Basic Principles of Technical Writing		Discussion		E-journal: <a href="http://eee-ilmSkills.c">http://eee-ilmSkills.c</a>	CO1	PPT	<a href="https://virtualspeech.com/blog/importance-of-technical-writing">https://virtualspeech.com/blog/importance-of-technical-writing</a>	Discussion	
3	L3	1	Styles in Technical Writing	able to Compare and contrast between styles of writing		Discussion		E-article: <a href="https://ilmSkills.c">https://ilmSkills.c</a>	CO1	PPT	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7LsvAdMyVc">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7LsvAdMyVc</a>	Assignment 1	
4	L4	1	Sentence, Phrase	Understand the sentence and phrase		Discussion		E-article: <a href="https://ilmSkills.c">https://ilmSkills.c</a>	CO1		<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7LsvAdMyVc">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7LsvAdMyVc</a>		
5	L5	1	Kinds of sentences	Understand different types of sentences		Discussion		Youtube Video: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7LsvAdMyVc">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7LsvAdMyVc</a>	CO1	PPT	<a href="https://www.managementstudyguide.com/seven-types-of-sentences.html">https://www.managementstudyguide.com/seven-types-of-sentences.html</a>	class test	
6	L6	1	Parts of sentence and parts of speech	understanding of Parts of sentence and parts of speech		Discussion		E-article: <a href="https://www.industrydocuments.ucsf.edu/docs/lnk">https://www.industrydocuments.ucsf.edu/docs/lnk</a>	CO1	PPT			
7	L7	2	Note Making, Notice, E-mail	Describe various types of communication		Discussion		E-article: <a href="https://ilmSkills.c">https://ilmSkills.c</a>	CO1	PPT	<a href="https://slideplayer.com/slide/10012837/">https://slideplayer.com/slide/10012837/</a>		
8	L8	2	Writing Letters: Business letters	Learn how to communicate professionally		Discussion		Youtube Video: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ImbyrnhrYw">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ImbyrnhrYw</a>	CO1	PPT	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ImbyrnhrYw">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ImbyrnhrYw</a>	Questions from Assignment 1	
9	L9	2	Persuasive letters/Sales letters	Understand the importance of language to communicate with people		Discussion		E-article: <a href="https://www.llink.com">https://www.llink.com</a>	CO1	PPT			
10	L10	2	complaint letters	Understand the history of communication		Discussion		E-article: <a href="https://ilkHelp.p.c">https://ilkHelp.p.c</a>	CO1	PPT	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LFeBSUfY&amp;list=PLzf">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LFeBSUfY&amp;list=PLzf</a>	class test	
11	L11	2	Office memorandum	Learn about computer aided technical communication		Discussion		E-journal: <a href="https://www.oxfordjournals.org">https://www.oxfordjournals.org</a>	CO1				
12	L12	2	Good news and bad news letters	Use the principles of effective oral communication to communicate		Discussion		E-article: <a href="https://www.ved.com">https://www.ved.com</a>	CO3	PPT		Class Discussion	
13	L13	2	Report Writing: Definition & Importance	Use the principles of effective oral communication to handle telephone calls		Discussion			CO3	PPT	<a href="https://www.toppr.com/guides/business-communication/">https://www.toppr.com/guides/business-communication/</a>		
14	L14	2	categories of reports	Use various Interview skills to succeed in Interviews		Role play		Youtube Video: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7LsvAdMyVc">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7LsvAdMyVc</a>	CO3	PPT	<a href="https://www.mindtools.com/pages/article/interview_skills.htm">https://www.mindtools.com/pages/article/interview_skills.htm</a>		
15	L15	2	Elements of a formal report, style and formatting in report	Use various Interview skills to succeed in Interviews					CO3	PPT			
16	L16	2	Elements of a formal report, style and formatting in report						CO4				
17	L17	3	Special Technical Documents Writing: Project synopsis and report writing	Use various Interview skills to succeed in Interviews					CO3	PPT			
18	L18	3	Scientific Article and Research Paper writing	Learn to conduct interviews effectively					CO3	PPT			
19	L19	3	Dissertation writing: Features, Preparation and Elements	Learn to conduct interviews effectively		Discussion		E-article: <a href="https://www.llink.com">https://www.llink.com</a>	CO3	PPT			
20	L20	3	Dissertation writing: Features, Preparation and Elements						CO4				
21	L21	3	Technical Proposal Writing: Purpose	Write minutes of the meeting correctly		Discussion		E-article: <a href="https://corporate.getweekly.com">https://corporate.getweekly.com</a>	CO3	PPT	<a href="https://www.revisionspoint.com/business_writing_skills/ml">https://www.revisionspoint.com/business_writing_skills/ml</a>	Questions from Assignment 2	
22	L22	3	Types, characteristics and structure	Analyze the pros of meetings		Debate and Discussion		E-article: <a href="https://getweekly.com">https://getweekly.com</a>	CO3	PPT	<a href="https://accountlearning.com/advantages-disadvantages-of-meetings">https://accountlearning.com/advantages-disadvantages-of-meetings</a>		
23	L23	3	Preparing for Job Application	Analyze the cons of meetings		Debate and Discussion		E-article: <a href="https://getweekly.com">https://getweekly.com</a>	CO3	PPT			
24	L24	3	Preparing for Job Application						CO4				

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25	L25	3	Components of a Formal Application Letter	Learn how to plan and organise a meeting	Discussion		E-article: <a href="https://www.industrydocuments.ucsf.edu/docs/1q01">https://www.industrydocuments.ucsf.edu/docs/1q01</a>	CO3	PPT			
26	L26	3	Formats and Types of official, employment	Use charts to summarize the data in a presentation	Discussion		E-article: <a href="https://business.tutsplus.com/tutorials/business-communication-best-practices/">https://business.tutsplus.com/tutorials/business-communication-best-practices/</a>	CO3	PPT		Group Discussion (CIA)	
27	L27	3	Resume vs Bio Data, Profile, CV and others	Create effective presentations with appropriate division of time for	Discussion		E-article: <a href="https://24slides.com/ppt-tips-and-tricks/">https://24slides.com/ppt-tips-and-tricks/</a>	CO3	PPT			
28	L28	3	Resume vs Bio Data, Profile, CV and others					CO4				
29	L29	3	Types of resume	Create effective presentations with appropriate division of time for	Discussion		E-article: <a href="https://24slides.com/ppt-tips-and-tricks/">https://24slides.com/ppt-tips-and-tricks/</a>	CO3	PPT	<a href="https://hbr.org/2013/06/how-to-give-a-killer-presentation">https://hbr.org/2013/06/how-to-give-a-killer-presentation</a>		
30	L30	3	Writing effective resume for employment	Create presentations using MS Powerpoint	Discussion		E-article: <a href="http://www.ncsl.org">http://www.ncsl.org</a>	CO3			Group Discussion (CIA)	
31	L31	3	Model Letter of Application (Cover Letter) with Resume	Compare and contrast between JAM and group discussions	Discussion		E-article: <a href="https://tll.mit.edu">https://tll.mit.edu</a>	CO3	PPT			
32	L32	3	Model Letter of Application (Cover Letter) with Resume	Compare and contrast between JAM and group discussions				CO4				
33	L33	3	Emails, Blog Writing, Proposal Writing, Job application & its types	Understand the concept of written communication	Discussion		E-article: <a href="https://www.mattmiller.com/write/technical-writing.html">https://www.mattmiller.com/write/technical-writing.html</a>	CO1, CO2	Notes	<a href="https://www.skillsyouneed.com/write/technical-writing.html">https://www.skillsyouneed.com/write/technical-writing.html</a>	Questions from Assignment 2	
34	L34	4	Memos (Types of Memos), other recent communication types	Apply the basic principles of technical writing for effective written	Discussion		E-article: <a href="https://www.mattmiller.com/write/technical-writing.html">https://www.mattmiller.com/write/technical-writing.html</a>	CO1, CO2	Notes	<a href="https://www.skillsyouneed.com/write/technical-writing.html">https://www.skillsyouneed.com/write/technical-writing.html</a>		
35	L35	4	Memos (Types of Memos)	Apply the basic principles of technical writing for effective written				CO1, CO3				
36	L36	4	Communication types	Apply the basic communication,				CO1, CO4				
37	L37	4	Preparing for Job Application	Prepare notices, write emails and different types of letters	Discussion		Youtube Video: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KJLjyfXWzIw">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KJLjyfXWzIw</a>	CO2, CO4	PPT	<a href="https://leverageedu.com/blog/note-making/">https://leverageedu.com/blog/note-making/</a>		
38	L38	4	Preparing for Job Application	Prepare Job application	Discussion		E-article: <a href="https://corporatecommunicationhq.com/business_writing_skills/making_a_good_impression_in_interviews/">https://corporatecommunicationhq.com/business_writing_skills/making_a_good_impression_in_interviews/</a>	CO4	PPT	<a href="https://www.revisionspoint.com/business_writing_skills/making_a_good_impression_in_interviews/">https://www.revisionspoint.com/business_writing_skills/making_a_good_impression_in_interviews/</a>	Questions from Assignment 2	
39	L39	4	Components of a Formal Application Letter	Understand the concept of Components of a Formal Application Letter	Debate and Discussion		E-article: <a href="https://getweekly.com/">https://getweekly.com/</a>	CO4	PPT	<a href="https://accountlearning.com/advantages-disadvantages-of-business-communication/">https://accountlearning.com/advantages-disadvantages-of-business-communication/</a>		
40	L40	4	Components of a Formal Application Letter	Revision the concept of Components of a Formal Application Letter	Debate and Discussion		E-article: <a href="https://getweekly.com/">https://getweekly.com/</a>	CO4	PPT	<a href="https://leverageedu.com/blog/note-making/">https://leverageedu.com/blog/note-making/</a>		
41	L41	4	Formats and Types of official	Understand the formats and Types of official				CO4		<a href="https://leverageedu.com/blog/note-making/">https://leverageedu.com/blog/note-making/</a>		
42	L42	4	employment	Understand the Employment	Discussion		E-article: <a href="https://www.industrydocuments.ucsf.edu/docs/1q01">https://www.industrydocuments.ucsf.edu/docs/1q01</a>	CO4	PPT	<a href="https://leverageedu.com/blog/note-making/">https://leverageedu.com/blog/note-making/</a>		
43	L43	4	Resume vs Bio Data,	Understand the Resume vs Bio Data,	Discussion		E-article: <a href="https://business.tutsplus.com/tutorials/business-communication-best-practices/">https://business.tutsplus.com/tutorials/business-communication-best-practices/</a>	CO4	PPT	<a href="https://leverageedu.com/blog/note-making/">https://leverageedu.com/blog/note-making/</a>	Group Discussion (CIA)	
44	L44	4	Profile, CV	Understand the Profile, CV	Discussion		E-article: <a href="https://24slides.com/ppt-tips-and-tricks/">https://24slides.com/ppt-tips-and-tricks/</a>	CO4	PPT	<a href="https://leverageedu.com/blog/note-making/">https://leverageedu.com/blog/note-making/</a>		
45	L45	4	Types of resume,	Understand the Types of resume,						<a href="https://leverageedu.com/blog/note-making/">https://leverageedu.com/blog/note-making/</a>		

Note : 1 Credit (Theory) =15 Hrs. In a Semester; 1 Credit (Practical) =30 Hrs. In a Semester.

Suggested Readings : (Latest Editions)

#### TEXTBOOKS:

- TB1. Kavita Tyagi and Padma Misra - "Advanced Technical Communication", PHI, 2011
- TB2. P.D.Chatterjee and Mukesh Chakraborty, "Business Communication - Concepts, Cases and Applications", Pearson, second edition.
- TB3. Rayudu, "C-S- Communication", Hemkuta Publishing House, 1994
- TB4. Ashu Kaad, "Business Communication", PHI, second edition.

#### REFERENCES:

- RB1. Raymond Murphy, "Essential English Grammar- A well study reference and practice book for elementary students of English", Cambridge University Press, second edition.
- Masnick, E. & Fenton, V. (2007). Technical and Report Writing. ITC Graphics. Quantum City.
- Kavita Tyagi and Padma Misra - "Basic Technical Communication", PHI, 2001.
- Horna A Murphy, Herbert W Hesketh and Jane P Thomas, "Effective Business Communication", McGraw Hill, seventh edition.

#### JOURNALS:

- 1. Journal of Technical Writing and Communication
- 2. Technical Communication Quarterly
- 3. International Journal of Business Communication
- 4. Journal of Business and Technical Communication
- 5. Business and Professional Communication Quarterly
- 6. Written Communication
- 7. The English Journal
- 8. Technical Communication Quarterly (Journal for Technical Communication)
- 9. Journal of Second Language Writing
- 10. Discourse and Communication

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