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Report of English Language Laboratory

2014-15 to 2018-19

The English Language Laboratory was set up by the Department of English in the year 2004 with Renate Digital Multimedia Software and since then it is functional with series of workshops and sessions. Till 2016, the Language Lab function was based on the need based materials, methods and human resources. Recently, the Language Lab has been given a technolift with the installation of Words Worth software to aid self-learning.

The English Language Laboratory creates a non-threatening atmosphere for the learners and promotes autonomy in thinking and expression. It reaches out to the rural and semi-urban students to help them reduce the interference of mother tongue while speaking English. The students also work on their reading habits, listening skill and interactive communication. It provides opportunities for English Literature students and highly motivated students to improve their pronunciation and intonation. Even PG students and those who are aspiring for job placements are getting benefitted by the Laboratory to its fullest extent.

The following are the objectives of the English Language Lab:-

- o To help students acquire proficiency in LSRW skills
- To develop confidence to express oneself spontaneously
- To develop confidence to interact with the teacher and peer
- To correct grammatical errors incidentally and specifically
- To help learners speak with accuracy
- To train the students in soft skills
- To introduce students to Certification courses in English, like Enhancing competence in English, English Grammar for Competitive Examination, Proficiency in English, etc.
- To upgrade the teachers in campus with creative teaching methodologies in the wake of ICT.
- Language Lab is upgraded with the latest technology software Words Worth with 25 systems in the lab and an additional 01 system as server.
- The Lab is well furnished and fully air-conditioned with quality sound output.

The notice is circulated to each department regarding the time table and functioning of the language lab in the beginning of every academic year. Students from all departments get registered for the language lab sessions. Prof. Anjali Deshmukh, the instructor for the language lab. Mr. Sunil Makode, the supporting staff for the technical support for the lab. The Language lab remains open from 8: 30 AM to 6:00 PM. Students from all departments attend the English language lab before or after their regular classes. They are also allowed to attend the lab during their off lectures. The details of activities and programs implemented through language lab are as follows:-

	Title of the	No. of students ad beneficiaries				
Sr. No.	programs/activities conducted through language lab	2018-19	2017-18	2016-17	2015-16	2014-15
1	Certificate course in Communication Skills in English	40	40	40	40	40
2	Enhancing Competence in English (Certificate Course)	63	-	-	-	-
3	Business Communication	38	-	-	-	-
4	English Grammar for Competitive Examination	-	30	-	-	-
5	Resume Writing	-	-	42	-	-
6	Soft Skills	-	-	-	40	-
7	Personality Development	-	-	-	-	40
8	Improving listening skills	90	140	90	85	85
9	Situational dialogues	60	70	75	90	65
10	Accent training	45	43	40	65	45
11	English Grammar	56	65	50	65	98

Outcome of the activity:-

The language lab has become instrumental in giving opportunities to five hundred students per year in enhancing their competence in use of English language and thereby improving the communication skills. As a result of which the training and placement cell could excel in placing hundreds of students in the multinational companies as a success of training and placement cell.

Photo Gallery



Language lab session by Prof. Anjali Deshmukh



Language lab is in session



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Students attending Language Lab sessions



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