



# Symbiosis College of Arts and Commerce

(An Autonomous College under Savitribai Phule Pune University)

Subject code	Semester	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	M.Com.	I	II	III	IV
<b>Title of Subject</b> (For F.Y. as appeared in the prospectus) (For S.Y. & T.Y. titles can be as per the approval of BOS)		<b>Special Paper - V</b> <b>An Introduction to Linguistics</b>										
<b>Objectives</b>		1. To introduce the study of linguistics to students 2. To explore the various branches of linguistics 3. To study the relation between linguistics and literature										
Unit	Contents											Number of Lectures
1	<b>Introduction</b> Nature and Function of language, including the difference between human and animal communication Origins of the English language and its place in the Indo-European literature, Theories of Origins of language, What is Linguistics? The Structure of language – David Crystal ,Langue and Parole – Ferdinand de Saussure, Competence and Performance – Noam Chomsky											10
2	<b>Phonetics of English:</b> Speech Sounds; Articulation of Vowels and Consonants; Classification of Vowels and Consonants; Clusters; Diphthongs; Supra-segmental: Stress, length, Pitch, Intonation, International Phonetic Alphabet; Exercises on phonetic transcription.											15
3	<b>Morphology</b> Definition of Morph – Morpheme – Allomorph; Classification of morphemes: Free- Bound, Root, Stem, Affixes, Inflectional, Derivational, Morphological processes: Affixation, Reduplication, Exercises on morphological problems.											10
4	<b>World Englishes</b> British English, American English, Indian English											10
5	<b>Language Contact and Language Variation</b> Nativization of English, Bilingualism and Multi-lingualism, Dialect, Register and Style, Code Switching and code mixing, Pidgin and Creole, CP and PP, Speech Act Theory.											9

	Total	54
<p><b>Recommended Readings</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Balasubramaniam, T. (1981, rpt 1995), A Textbook of English Phonetics for Indian Students (Macmillan)</li> <li>2. Bansal, R. K. and J. B. Harrison (1972), Spoken English for India, New Delhi : Orient Longman</li> <li>3. Kachru, Braj B. (1986), The Alchemy of English, OUP</li> <li>4. Kachru, Braj B. (1983), The Indianisation of English, OUP</li> <li>5. Ford &amp; Others (-- ), Linguistics: An Introduction, CUP</li> <li>6. Hudson, R.A. (2003), Sociolinguistics, CUP</li> <li>7. Jones, Daniel (5<sup>th</sup> Indian reprint 1992), The Pronunciation of English, Universal Book Stall, New Delhi</li> <li>8. 11. Moody, H. L. B. (1970), Varieties of English, London: Longman</li> <li>9. Nihalani, p., Tongue, R. K., and Hosali, P. (1979), Indian and British English: A Handbook of Usage and Pronunciation, OUP</li> <li>10. O'Connor, J. D. (1980, rpt. 1992), Better English Pronunciation (New Edition), Universal Book Stall, New Delhi</li> <li>11. Quirk, et al (1985), The Comprehensive Grammar of the English Language,</li> <li>12. Richards, Pratt, Weber (ed.), Longman Dictionary of Applied Linguistics</li> <li>13. Robins, R. H. (1996, 3<sup>rd</sup> edn.), General Linguistics, Longman</li> <li>14. Sethi&amp;Dhamija (1989), A Course in Phonetics &amp; Spoken English, Prentice Hall of India</li> <li>15. Strevens, Peter (1992), 'English as an International Language' in Braj B. Kachru, ed. (1992), The Other Tongue, OUP</li> <li>16. Thorat Ashok (2008), Discourse Analysis (FCS)</li> <li>17. Yule, George (1985), The Study of Language: An Introduction (CUP)</li> <li>18. Yule, George (2000), Pragmatics (OUP)</li> <li>19. <b>20.</b> Trudgil, Peter – Sociolinguistics</li> </ol>		