## SARDAR PATEL UNIVERSITY

Programme: B.Sc Semester: I

Syllabus with effect from: June-2011

Paper Code: US01FENG01	Total Credit: 2
Title of Paper: Functional English	Total Credit: 2

Unit	Description in Detail	Weightage (%)
I	Reading	
	Read for information news features, articles, newspapers and texts	
	Reading from a collection of units in a compiled text (See for the text and the	
	Lessons selected from it below:	25%
	Basic Text & Reference Books:	
	➤ Corridors to Communication by- Ranu vanikar (Orient Longman)	
	Units 1 To 5	
II	Writing	
	Form words properly using prefixes/ suffixes(See list 4 in the Appendix)	
	Use phrasal verbs( See list -3 in the Appendix)	
	Use appropriate and related registers (See List-5 in the Appendix)	
	Writing paragraphs, developing points/ideas	
	Writing résumé, job applications, letters of invitations(inviting/ accepting/	
	declining), letters of complaint to civil authorities.	25%
	Basic Text & Reference Books:	
	➤ Champa Tickoo and Jaya Sasikumar(2000). 'Writing with a Purpose'	
	,Chennai, OUP	
	David Jolly (1988). Writing Tasks: An authentic task approach to	
	individual writing needs. ( Cambridge University Press)	
III	Listening	
	Short lectures, descriptions, and narrations, rapid talks, passages read aloud	
	and/or dictated and identify Language functions (See List 2 in the Appendix)	
	Conversations based on familiar situations, and	
	Note Making	25%
	Basic Text & Reference Books:	
	Spoken English—D Sasikumar and PV Dhamija. (With Audio	
	Cassette) (Tata Mcgraw Hill Publication Ltd, New Delhi.) (Units 1-	
	13)	
IV	Speaking	
	Use greetings and formulae in everyday conversations.	
	Use notions and functions of common use	
	Use grammatically correct and appropriate structures to organize thoughts	
	(See List 1 Containing Syntactic items in the Appendix)	25%
	Basic Text & Reference Books:	25/0
	Figure 1 Grant Taylor. English Conversation Practice. (Tata McGraw Hill, New	
	Delhi)	
	R P Bhatnagar and R T Bell (1999) Communication in English, (Orient	
	Longman, Hyderabad)	



**NOTE:** As mentioned earlier the subject Functional English in Semester-1 (US01FENG01) respectively is practical based course. Hence the Students would be required to submit a journal duly certified by the course teacher and the head of the department at the time of the external exams at the end of each Semester without fail. The journal will include the following topics:

Topics to be covered in the Journal		
1	Introduce Yourself	
2	Describing objects/ people/ scenes	
3	Syntax And Concord	
4	Connectives	
5	Phrasal Verbs	
6	Listening Comprehension	
7	Language Functions	
8	Situational dialogues	
9	Vocabulary building	
10	Registers	

