

Professional Coaching of 'English 'Language

A new academic initiative marked the second semester. Specially designed English coaching classes were conducted for 264 students of first year BBA and B.Com. A total of sixty hour classes were held from 5th March 2012 to 10th May 2012. This was in addition to their course syllabus.

Objective:

- To support a majority of students coming from vernacular medium facing difficulty in coping with the demands of English medium course
- To enable the student to pick up the language quickly
- To remove fear from the minds of weak students
- To provide an extra edge to students

Methodology:

Every day one hour classes were held exclusively for three hundred students. Students were taught the basics like-correct use of tenses, vocabulary enrichment, and construction of simple sentences. Special emphasis was given on handwriting improvement.

The course was designed by the Director who was assisted by five faculty members. Ms Radhika Desai, Ms Manisha Surti, Ms Arpana Patel, Ms Divya Gadaria and Ms Nipam Chauhan -faculty members of the College conducted these special classes.

Advance learners coming from English medium schools were involved creatively in the programme. They assisted the teacher in evaluating and monitoring the progress of the class.

Pedagogy:

- Class room teaching ,
- On line exercises
- Writing exercises in class
- Rote method
- Role -Play method

Outcome:

Result of second semester improved- against an overall passing percentage of 60% in first semester, the passing percentage rose to 89% in second semester.

Out of total 260 students 251 students passed in Effective Communication Skills in second semester.