ONLINE SIX-DAY AICTE-AU STTP ON
TEACHING PROFESSIONAL ENGLISH AND DEVELOPING CRITICAL THINKING AMONGST ENGINEERING STUDENTS
03.01.2022-08.01.2022

REGISTRATION FORM

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INTRODUCTION

The reasons for learning English have changed though not radically, but significantly in the last 10-15 years. Though English continues to hold sway particularly in fields like engineering, technology, science, trade and commerce, one can no longer say that English is the dominant medium of communication rather it has come to share space with other major languages of the world. This indeed is a welcome change, since English, as a medium of communication will hugely benefit from the influences of the other languages.

The first year English course designed for Engineering and Technology students in the Affiliated colleges of Anna University has taken cognizance of this shift and has designed a course that has emphasized this shift along with helping Engineering and Technology students develop the requisite skills to communicate effectively in English.

PROGRAMME OUTCOMES

At the end of the programme, English language Teachers in the affiliated institutions of Anna University will be able to,

a) Change their teaching methodology to suit the heterogeneous learners in their class.

b) Change if necessary, the level of difficulty of the tasks and activities which will ensure that the maximum number of learners benefit from practising the language while completing the tasks/activities.

c) Design meaningful assessments, which will help Learners, see for themselves the extent to which they have progressed in learning the language.

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**Organizing Department:** Department of English

**IMPORTANT DATES:**

Submission of Application: 28.12.2021  
Intimation of Selection: 30.12.2021  
Confirmation by Participants: 31.12.2021