



Report on English Communication Training Programme



An Initiative by Department of English

Introduction:

Over the years, English has established itself as the most convenient and favoured global link language. Knowledge of English is essential to stay updated and establish an edge over others. Mastery over English is as if synonymous to success in any walk of life. Keeping in view the growing need to improve English, the Department of English – in association with 'Globo Vision Institute of English, Aurangabad' – organised an English Communication Training Programme for the undergraduate and postgraduate students of the college. This year, the scope of the programme was expanded to accommodate the alumni and the faculty members of the institution. The Programme commenced on 20 December, 2021. The daily timing of the Programme was One Hour (5.00 to 6:00 PM), excluding holidays. A fact worth mention is that the entire Programme was offered to the participants absolutely free of cost.

Objectives:

The Programme was planned and executed with a view to enhance the learners' communication skills by giving them substantial exposure to Listening, Speaking, Reading and Writing. The course content was also intended to guide the learners to

overcome their errors in grammar and pronunciation; to support them to improve their presentation skills; to sensitize them to the dynamics of body language; to build up the learners' confidence in interpersonal communication and to empower the learners to compete in the global job market.

Nature of the Programme:

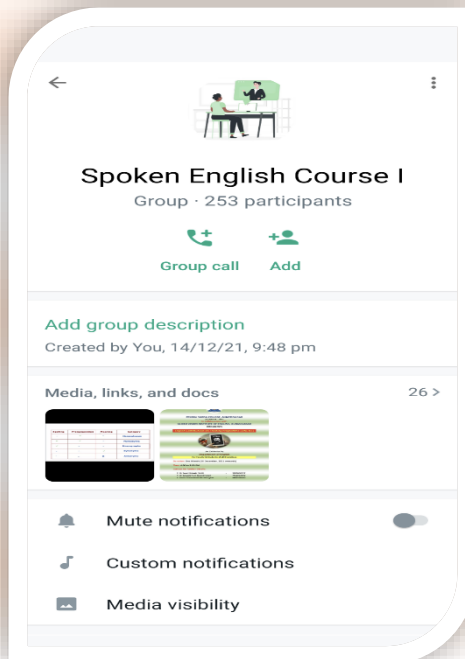
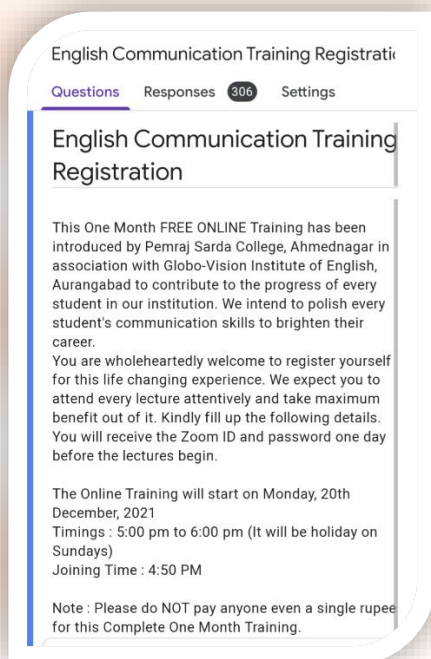
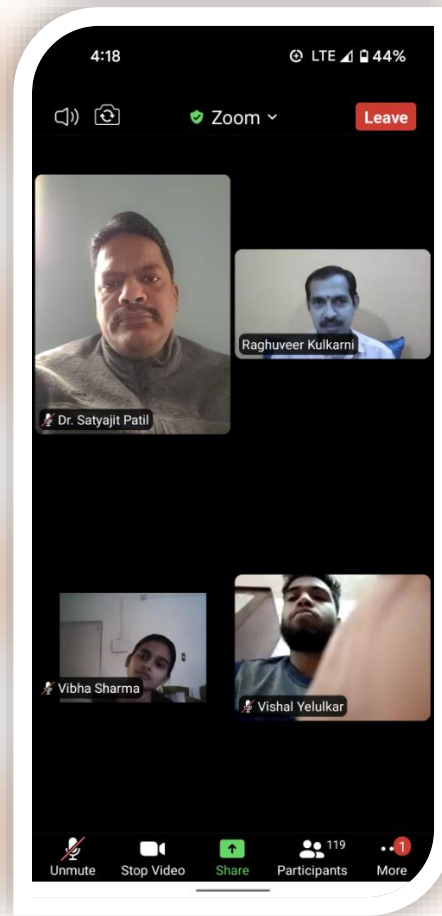
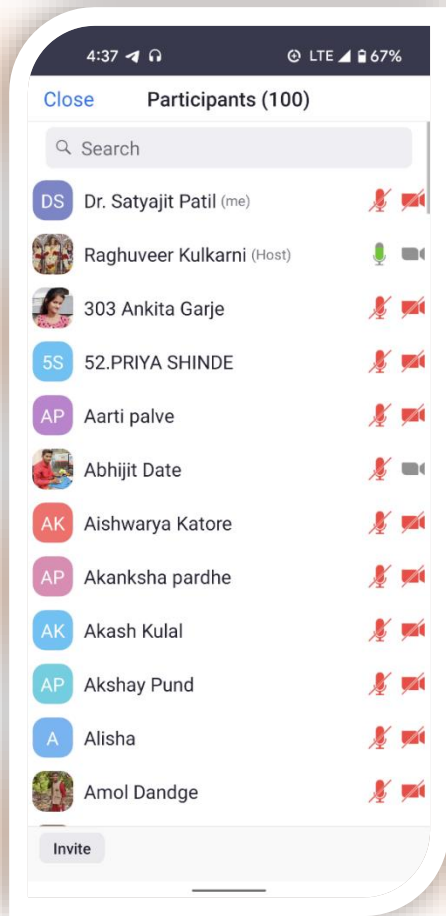
The Training Programme was launched on the digital platform (Zoom) in the chief presence of the principal of the college, Prof. (Dr) Rajendra Y Shinde. emphasis was mainly on interactive teaching using problem-solving approach. Wherever possible, the students were divided into groups and made to carry out an activity. Mr. Raghuvver Kulkarni, the founder of 'Globo Vision Institute of English, Aurangabad' motivated the students to use gadgets helpful for enhancement of communication skills. Three WhatsApp groups were formed exclusively for sharing the supportive study material and practice work. Around 300 students enrolled themselves for the Programme. However, due to various reasons, nearly 100 students could actually attend it.

The final day was reserved for sharing of experiences. Most of the students found a visible difference in their manner of reception and expression. They admitted that there was a sea change in their body language and interpersonal communication skills. They had acquired adequate linguistic and communicative competence in English, overcome most of their errors in grammar and pronunciation and experienced an improvement in their presentation skills. Moreover, they obtained self-reliance in interpersonal communication and gained courage as well as confidence. Among others, the entire programme was attended by Vice Principal Mr. Milind Deshpande and Dr. Kirankumar Salve from the Department of Botany.

Dr Swati Rokade, the Head of the Department, encouraged the participants and boosted their morale. The students were assessed according to their performance during the practical sessions. They were issued Certificates on successful completion of the course.

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Specimen Screenshots



A special lecture on Mental Health in Current Era

Introduction

In today's world individual's mental health is hampered because of certain situational factors like pandemic illnesses, psychophysiological illnesses, and personal factors. Mental health includes our emotional, psychological, and social well-being. It affects how we think, feel, and act. It also helps determine how we handle stress, relate to others, and make healthy choices. Mental health is important at every stage of life, from childhood and adolescence through adulthood. In today's world everyone tries to boost the mental health by using the various techniques. The basic motto of this special lecture was to create awareness in students and faculty members, and peoples regarding mental health in present era. The department of psychology organised special lecture on mental health in current era on 30th Dec 2021. In the inaugural speech Principal Dr. Rajendra shinde given valuable information on the importance of mental health during this current situation of pandemic COVID 19. Mr. Rajendra Kumbhar, Head, Dept. of psychology discussed the need for mental awareness programme to students and faculty members.

Objectives

The main objective of the special lecture was to aware students, faculty members regarding their mental health. It is also aimed at boosting their mental health by using certain techniques. This lecture was conducted by well-known physician, and Counsellor Dr. Sachin Salve.

Target Group

Target group considered was students and faculty members. It is also beneficial for different age group of individuals who want to listen, aware, change their views on mental health.

Nature

The lecture was conducted by Dr. Sachin Salve. Dr. Salve discussed everything related to mental health. From thinking process to higher order mental functioning. He discussed about the importance of mental health in this current era by giving various examples of that. He also taken one meditation session for three participants for creating self-confidence and motivation. The lecture was very interesting and interactive. It is also followed by question, answer session. Lastly the lecture was summed up and vote of thanks proposed by Mr. Sayyed Ansarali.

