

COMMON POOL OF GENERIC ELECTIVES (GE) COURSES

GENERIC ELECTIVES (GE-4): LET US SPEAK ARABIC-1

CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course (if any)	Department offering the course
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice			
Let Us Spoken Arabic-I	4	3	1	0	Class XII Pass	NIL	Arabic

Learning Objectives

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

1. To teach learners how to speak, read and write the language.
2. To make them comfortable in using the language.
3. To help them improve fluency in Arabic speaking.

Learning outcomes

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

By studying this course the student will be able to:

1. Learn the basic vocabulary and phrases useful in speaking and conversation.
2. Learn the formal and informal greetings.
3. Learn conversational dialogues of different occasions.

SYLLABUS OF G.E.-4

Unit 1 (15 Hours)

Lessons on Alphabet

- Lessons on Arabic alphabet along with some frequently used words which include such letters.
- Common Expressions
- Formal and Informal Greetings
- Greeting of Special Days and Times
- Expressing Thanks, Excuse and Apology etc.
- Acquaintance
- Introducing oneself and acquainting with others
- Asking for guidance or directions

Unit 2 (15 Hours)

• Questions

- Introducing common question-words and mode of questioning Conversation on special occasions

• Travel:

- Booking and reservation
- Modes, vehicles and methods of transport
- Sections and formalities in an airport, documents etc.

• Hospital:

- Sign boards
- Staff and services, common diseases
- Methods of treatment and medication

Unit 3 (15 Hours)

Vocabulary related to Shopping:

- Types and sections
- Rates and bargaining
- Currencies
- Selling and buying
- Billing and Payments
- Numeral up to 10
- Date & Timing
- Week days
- Use of calendar: Year, months, and dates, Hijri date system

Practical component (if any) - NIL

Essential/recommended readings

1. Reading material prepared by the Department of Arabic, ZHDC, D.U.
2. Makhdoom Sabri: English Urdu And Arabic Guide, Delhi
3. Rapidex (Arabic Version), New Delhi
4. Prof. S.A. Rahman: Let Us Speak Arabic, New Delhi.
5. Mohd. Haroon Rashid & Khalid Parwez: Arabic Conversation Book, New Delhi.
6. Badruz Zaman Qasmi Kairanwi: Learn to Speak Arabic & English, Delhi
7. البروفيسور الدكتور سيد محمد اجتباء الندوي: التعبير والمحادثة العربية، دلهي

Suggestive readings

1. Prof. R.I. Faynan: Essential Arabic, New Delhi.
2. Dr. Amir Jamal: Arabic Learn the Easy Way, New Delhi.
3. V. Abdur Rahim: Madinah Arabic, Vol. 1, New Delhi.

Note: Examination scheme and mode shall be as prescribed by the Examination Branch, University of Delhi, from time to time.