# Public Speaking in English Language and Leadership

# CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility	Pre-requisite of
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice	criteria	the course (if any)
Public Speaking in English and Leadership	2	0	0	2	Class XII	NA

# **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To impart leadership skills to students along with adequate communication skills to curate strong leaders in the emerging social, political and corporate world.
- To create leaders with ethics and resilience in industry based fields as well as social fields.
- To allow students to realise their leadership skills and curate them through a hand-on practical approach which will be helpful in generating employable skills for them.

### Learning outcomes

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- After studying this course, students will be able to learn effective communication through Public Speaking will instil leadership development among students.
- After studying this course, students will be able to to lead in different fields at the
  undergraduate level, be responsible citizens and employ leadership skills in their future
  endeavours, too.
- After studying this course, students will be able to strengthen their critical mindset, help them being assertive and put forward constructive viewpoints employing the skills learnt in the practice sessions.

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### SYLLABUS

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UNIT 2 (18 hours)

- Public Speaking-
  - What is Speech?, Overcoming Fear of Public Speaking, Language of Public Speech
  - Drafting a Public Speech (Reading, research, writing, Fact check, Re-writing, Delivery)
  - o 3P's of Public Speaking (Preparation, Practice, Performance)
  - Rhetoric Skills, Art of Informative & Persuasive speaking, Concluding Speech with Power
- Types of Public Speaking
  - o Physical & Online
  - o Political, Organisational, Educational & Motivational
  - o Ted Talks, Public Speaking in Media
- Listening in groups and Discussion- Listening famous speeches (from history & everyday life); Analysis of its elements & classroom discussion
- Writing Public speech- Classroom Practice Sessions

UNIT 3 (18 hours)

- Leadership Skills- (2 hrs.)
  - Meaning, Features & Importance
  - Historical Overview
  - Leadership in Academic Life, Corporate Space, Public Life, Social Leadership Political Leadership
  - · Leadership & Innovations- (2 hrs.)
    - Audience analysis
    - Audience Engagement & Leadership
    - · Influencing through Leadership
  - Execution & Delivery of Public Speech- Learning rhetorics through speeches in the form of Audio/ Video; Learning Body Language & Paralanguage through ICT
  - Developing leadership competence through Public Speaking- Intra-class Speech Competitions; Extempore; Group Discussion

UNIT 4 (16 hours)

- · Importance of Public Speaking in developing Leadership Skills
- · Ethics in Public Speaking & Leadership
- Mock Parliament/MUNs
- Workshop

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### Suggested Readings:

- Beebe, S. A., & Beebe, S. J. (2012). Public speaking: An audience-centred approach. (8th ed.). Boston: Pearson.
- Cardon, P. (2014). Business communication: Developing leaders for a networked world. (international ed.). New York: McGraw-Hill.
- Jaffe, C. I. (2013). Public speaking: Concepts & skills for a diverse society. (7th ed.). Boston: Cengage Learning.

# Examination scheme and mode:

Evaluation scheme and mode will be as per the guidelines notified by the University of Delhi.