

## Faculty of Management and Finance

## Bachelor of Business Administration Honours in Business Management Degree Programme Course Unit Information Sheet

| Course Code      |   | BBA 11053             |           |                      |     |  |
|------------------|---|-----------------------|-----------|----------------------|-----|--|
| Course Name      |   | Business English      |           |                      |     |  |
| Semester         |   | 1000 Level Semester I |           |                      |     |  |
| Credit Value     | 3 | Core/Optional         | Core      | GPA/NGPA             | GPA |  |
| Hourly Breakdown |   | Lectures              | Practical | Independent Learning |     |  |
|                  |   | 45 hours              | -         | 105 hours            |     |  |

## Course Description

This is a task-based course that consists of components and activities related to the language used in a business environment. The course aims at enhancing the language competence of the learners in all four skills - reading, writing, speaking, and listening and thereby making them communicatively competent in English in a business environment.

| Intended Learning Outcomes   | PLO A    | lignment    |  |
|--|----------|-------------|--|
| Upon completion of this course unit, the students will be able to,             |          |             |  |
| . Use accurate and appropriate oral communication skills in business contexts. |          |             |  |
|  | 1,6      | ,7,11       |  |
| 2. Analyze written documents related to business topics.                       | 11,20,24 |             |  |
| 3. Demonstrate comprehension of business-related oral communications.          |          | 11,17,20,24 |  |
| Apply proficient writing skills in daily communication in business contexts.   |          |             |  |
|  |          | 6, 7,11     |  |
| Course Content   | Hours    | ILOs        |  |
| . Introduction to business vocabulary  | 6        | 1, 2, 3     |  |
| 2. Etiquette in the corporate environment                                      | 3        | 1, 2, 3     |  |
| 3. General conversations in business contexts                                  | 6        | 1           |  |
| 4. Reading business emails, business letters, pamphlets, and advertisements    |          |             |  |
|  | 6        | 2           |  |
| . Reading contemporary business texts  | 6        | 2           |  |
| 6. Public speaking in a corporate setting                                      |          | 1           |  |
| 7. Listening to talks/dialogues in a corporate setting                         | 3        | 3           |  |
| 3. Listening to talks/documentaries on contemporary business topics            | 3        | 3           |  |
| 9. Paragraph and essay writing   |          | 4           |  |
| 0. Writing memos, e-mails, and business letters                                | 6        | 4           |  |
|  |          |             |  |

| Assessment Methods        |                   |     |            |  |  |  |
|---------------------------|-------------------|-----|------------|--|--|--|
| In course Assessments 30% | Final Examination | 70% | Total 100% |  |  |  |
| Recommended Readings      |                   |     |            |  |  |  |

- 1. Cotton, D., Falvey, D., & Kent, S. *Market Leader*. Extra *Intermediate Coursebook*, Pearson Education. / The latest edition
- 2. English for Everyone: Business English, Course Book: Level 3 Intermediate, DK Books. /The latest edition.