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English Language Lab

Language labs are becoming highly valued in schools, colleges and universities because they offer students a structured e-learning environment that is successful and reliable. New technologies are increasingly introduced in the classrooms, as they facilitate the teachers' role in creating a more attractive learning environment for the student. It also offers their students additional practice hours and up-to-date exercises than can be found in language books.

Listening, Speaking, Reading and Writing (LSRW) are the four skills which play an important role in the acquisition of language and learning. English Language Lab has a tradition of helping learners to improve their English, whether for work, personal enrichment, or English for Academic Purposes (EAP).

The language lab is a very useful tool that facilitates classroom engagement and interaction via computer-based exercises and activities to maximize language immersion. These labs provide a very different experience from the traditional system of teaching and learning languages, offering more advanced features and functionalities.

Objectives

- To improve the English proficiency of learners in all the four skills viz., listening, speaking, reading, and writing.
- To give hands-on practice in grammar skills, pronunciation techniques, interview and presentation skills, group discussions, and listening practices to train them for the future.
- To acquaint students with the use of ICT and voice recognition tools.
- To present the utmost interactive method of learning languages, through videos and games

E CLASS SOFTWARE

At REVA University, the two English Language Labs are equipped with E Class software that offers a huge content for the learning of English language skills. We help students to learn LSRW skills i.e., Listening, Speaking, Reading and Writing. These four skills play an important part in the acquisition of language and learning. Digital language lab software promotes English language skills through grammar, writing, listening, phonetics and many more skills through the computer system. It is a user-friendly software which can be easily learned.

Learning the English language is not easy until we get the right study material to learn and practice. The English language is a global language and to master this language one needs to learn the skills. It helps in reducing the communication gap. If a student is provided the platform of learning the English language from elementary class, then they can build a strong foundation in English. But to learn this language teacher must guide the students in the right way to enhance the skills required to learn this language.

E class software is the innovative English language lab software which gives students the ability to learn English language. This software can be accessed any time at any place. The software is designed to cover needs of various category students.

The benefits of the Language lab for students:

- Multimedia content for effective learning.
- Self-lab practice exercises
- Soft skills to develop personality
- Competitive exams are provided to help students prepare for the banking exam, SSC, Railway and many more exams.
- Various speech therapies for effective communication.
- Accent training facility
- Audio recording facility
- Research facility on ELT for staff and students

English Proficiency Training and Communication Skill Based Training and Sessions

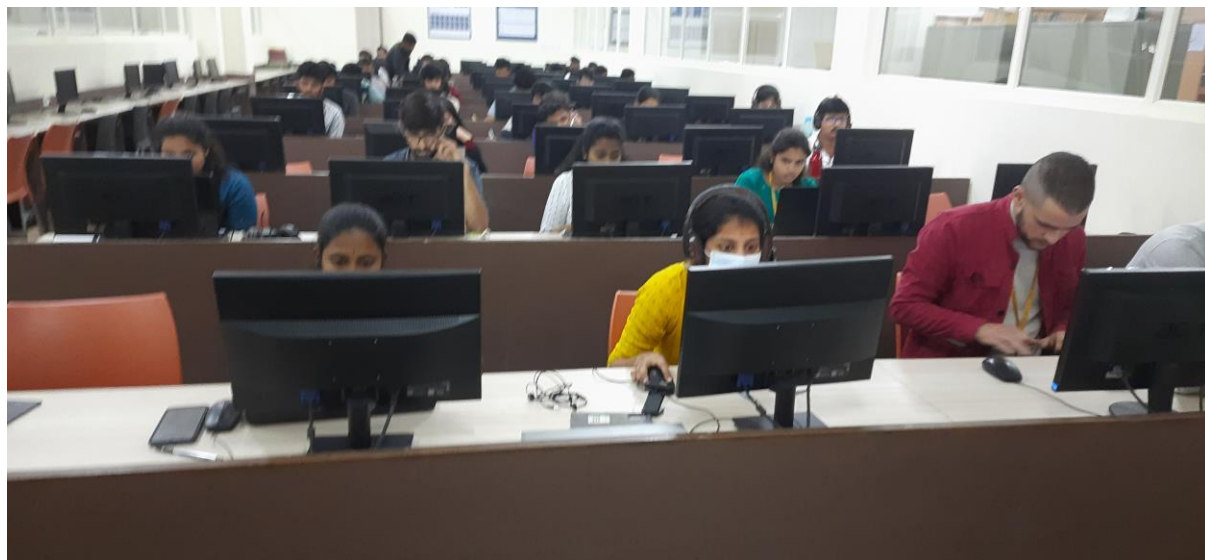
Pearson English Certification Courses

The Pearson English International Certificate is a test that certifies everyday English language skills at all levels. It can be taken securely at home or at an authorised test centre so learners can take the test where they feel most confident.

All six levels of proficiency (A1, 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5) are designed to assess and accredit general English language ability. The levels are linked to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) and accredited by Ofqual in the UK. It presents 6 levels, aligned with the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages. Each one of them is recognized globally and is accepted by employers and educational authorities in different countries as proof of the level reached in English.

Foundation (Level A1)
Elementary (Level 1)
Intermediate (Level 2)
Upper Intermediate (Level 3)
Advanced (Level 4)
Proficiency (Level 5)

The faculty members and students of REVA university were provided training in English Language Labs for the completion of Pearson English certification programmes and have successfully completed all the levels of accreditation of English Language ability.



Diagnostic Test for English Proficiency

There are three very well-known language proficiency scales used around the world: the ACTFL scale, the CEFR scale, and the ILR scale. Each scale measures linguistic abilities on various levels to reflect an individual's ability to communicate effectively in a target language. All the faculty members of REVA university go through this English Diagnostic Test to show their English Language Proficiency once they join the university. The faculty members undergo the diagnostic test and can locate areas in which additional instruction is required and for which teaching methods need to be improved. Similarly, the students go through the English Diagnostic Test and are placed in Pre -Intermediate, Intermediate and Advance level learners.







Spoken English Training for Non-Teaching Staff

The English Language laboratory is a very helpful platform for practicing and assessing one's speech in any language. It provides a facility which allows the learners to listen to model pronunciation, repeat and record the same, listen to their performance and compare with the model, and do self-assessment. The lab technicians of various schools are given training on Listening, Speaking, Reading and Writing skills in the language lab, which help them develop a habit of listening and speaking with accurate pronunciation. It includes English courses, English listening audio, English language studies and also English comprehension.



Skill Development Training

Various skill development programs on content writing, techniques of Photoshop, Excel Training, etc. are regularly conducted in Language labs batch wise for the students of the university. The trainings help students master the understanding of the niche area while providing them with better practical exposure and practice sessions.



Lab Activities conducted in English Language Lab as per the Curriculum

Language Lab enables students in practicing and assessing their communication skills effectively. Hence, the Lab functions on all working days, where students are taught, trained and tested in the most essential LSRW, vocabulary, accent and grammar modules.

The objective of English Language Lab is to develop the language skills of the students with the help of the computer to teach language. There are two Labs with 120 computers to accommodate 120 students all at a time, and 2 control units to instruct and monitor the students. The language laboratory is very useful for assessing students' speech. It provides students with the technical tools to get the best samples of pronunciation of the language.





Foreign Language Training

Foreign Language Training in German and French in collaboration with Inlingua for 30 hours were provided to the students of REVA university. More than 300 students actively took part in the orientation programme. The students were also enlightened about the benefits of learning a foreign language. The course was carried over for six weeks covering 30 hours of free language learning programme in which about 200 plus students were benefited. Course Type: Basic, Levels : A1, Cost : Free, Duration : 30 hours, Languages : German, French.





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