

Basic Hindi:

A two semester course of Hindi for Non-native Speakers

Linguistic Empowerment Cell at JNU is organizing a course in Hindi for ‘non-native speakers’ in the campus as well for the foreign students from different countries. The Basic course will cater to the needs of those students who have had very little or no exposure to Hindi in the past.

The broad objectives of these courses will be:

1. to help students overcome their inhibition to speak Hindi
2. to help them understand both, the formal and the informal Hindi
3. to equip them with such communicative skills by engaging them in meaningful conversations
4. to introduce them to basic Hindi syntactic structures and vocabulary
5. to enable them to read and understand simple Hindi texts in the beginning and complex texts by the end of the course
6. to help them write simple and better structures in Hindi

AREAS TO BE COVERED

1. Sounds of Hindi and the Devanagri Alphabet
2. Conversational Hindi
3. Listening Comprehension
4. Reading Comprehension
5. Writing Skills
6. Conversational Norms (Politeness)

METHODOLOGY

LEC uses innovative methods of language teaching. Text and context are at center of the whole enterprise. The approach is not linear and additive. We don't move from alphabets to words and sentences and eventually to texts. We instead start with simple, small and interesting texts. It is a holistic approach. The focus is on rich input. Whenever there is suitable opportunity, structural patterns are brought out by the learners and then discussed in collaboration with the tutor. Our target is to break inhibition and to initiate fluency. During the entire course the focus is on the development of Hindi communicational skills, i.e. from conversational in limited contexts to conversations in larger social contexts.

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बुनियादी हिंदी

कोर्स का उद्देश्य

- विद्यार्थियों में हिंदी बोलने की झिझक को दूर करना.
- विद्यार्थियों को हिंदी का बुनियादी ज्ञान उपलब्ध कराना.
- दैनंदिन जीवन में आवश्यकतानुसार हिंदी बोलना सिखाना.
- दिल्ली तथा उत्तर भारत की प्रमुख भाषा हिंदी पढ़ना सिखाना.
- अर्जी देने लायक हिंदी लिखना सिखाना
- विद्यार्थियों में हिंदी बोलने की क्षमता का विकास करना.
- दैनंदिन जीवन में हिंदी के प्रयोग के लिए विद्यार्थी को तैयार करना.

कोर्स का प्रारूप

- हिंदी वर्णमाला और ध्वनियां- स्वर और व्यंजन
- हिंदी का शब्द भंडार- तत्सम, तद्भव, देशज
- हिंदी का बुनियादी व्याकरण
- हिंदी सुनना, बोलना, पढ़ना और लिखना
- शब्द की संरचना तथा छोटे-छोटे वाक्य बनाना की प्रक्रिया को समझाना.
- पत्र लेखन, निबंध लेखन
- प्रेमचंद की कहानी 'ईदगाह'
- नागार्जुन की कविता 'अकाल और उसके बाद'

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