

# JAWAHARLAL NEHRU TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY KAKINADA KAKINADA – 533 003, Andhra Pradesh, India

# DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL ENGINEERING

I Year - I Semester		L	Т	P	С
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ENGLISH COMMUNCATION SKILLS LAB (HSMC1102)					

# **TOPICS**

### UNIT I:

Vowels, Consonants, Pronunciation, Phonetic Transcription, Common Errors in Pronunciation,

# UNIT II:

Word stress-di-syllabic words, poly-syllabic words, weak and strong forms, contrastive stress (Homographs)

### **UNIT III:**

Stress in compound words, rhythm, intonation, accent neutralisation.

## **UNIT IV:**

Listening to short audio texts and identifying the context and specific pieces of information toanswer a series of questions in speaking.

### **UNIT V:**

Newspapers reading;Understanding and identifying key terms and structures useful for writing reports.

Prescribed text book: "Infotech English", Maruthi Publications.

### **References:**

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- 4. English Pronunciation in use- Mark Hewings, Cambridge University Press.
- 5. English Pronunciation Dictionary- Daniel Jones, Cambridge University Press.
- 6. English Phonetics for Indian Students- P. Bala Subramanian, Mac Millan Publications.