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Brochure for Online Certificate Course in
Communicative Spanish
For Tourism Professionals
Intermediate Level (A2)
Syllabus

<p>Aims and objectives</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students will be able to communicate with native speaker • Will understand basic hand gestures of native people • Will be able to use complex sentences, proverbs and various phrases • Will be able to read stories and comic strips; understand advertisement, • Will be able to write article, essays, poems, blog etc. according to student's area of interest • Will get a basic idea of the culture and tourist resources of Hispanic Countries • General knowledge about the Hispanic countries will increase • Will be understand short film
<p>Significant applied aspects</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tourism sector (especially Incredible India Tourist Facilitator or Tourist Guide) • Teaching: (though private schools, colleges and various institutions are introducing foreign language courses, demand for the faculties is increasing) • Translator • Interpreter • After completion of higher level training students may apply for the job at embassy • High demand in the IT sector
<p>Activity/ Study Material</p>	<p>Will be provided by the teacher. A 'telegram group' will be created to provide the exercise materials cum activities for the students in regular basis. Beside this, students will join a Google Classroom to access the study materials provided by the teacher. Teacher will provide regular activity. Students have to submit it within three days.</p>

Course Structure

Unit 1: Tense

- Module 1: Imperative
- Module 2: Conditional
- Module 3: Preterit
- Module 4: Imperfect
- Module 5: Pluperfect
- Module 6: Passive

Unit 2: Numbers

- Module 1: 10,000 onwards
- Module 2: Concept of century

Unit 3: Adjective, adverb, article (part-2)

- Module 1: Irregular adverbs; words that are used both as adjectives and adverbs; adverbs made up more than one words
- Module 2: Use of lo que, relative pronoun
- Module 3: Use of –ísimo

Unit 4: Verbs (part-2)

- Module 1: Concept of impersonal verb
- Module 2: Reflexive verbs (part-2)
- Module 3: 150 new verbs (special emphasis: dar, poner, meter, quedar, ver, ir, interesarse, costar, quitar, parece, dejar, andar, caer, morir, deber)

Unit 5: Comprehension & General Knowledge

- Module 1: Story and advertisement
- Module 2: Cortometraje
- Module 3: Proverbs
- Module 4: Understanding hand gesture
- Module 5: Culture, food, festival and some tourist resources of Hispanic countries

Suggested Readings

1. *Aula (A2)*, Delhi: Goyal Publishers & Distributors Pvt. Ltd.
2. *Barron's 501 Spanish Words*, Delhi: Goyal Publishers & Distributors Pvt. Ltd.
3. *Short Stories for Beginners* by Claudia Rodriguez (ISBN: 9781685634490)
4. *The Penguin Spanish Phrase Book*, Penguin Books
5. App: Promova

Exam Pattern (offline)

Written exam: 100 marks

Viva: 50 Marks

Project: 30 marks

Continuous Assessment: 20 marks

Full Marks: 200

Gradation: 90-100: Outstanding (Grade O), 80-89.99: Excellent (Grade A+), 70-79.99: Very Good (Grade A), 60-69.99: Good (Grade B+), 50-59.99: Above Average (Grade B), 40-49.99: Average (Grade C), Less than 40: Failed (Grade F)

Note: There will be no supplementary arrangement of examinations.

Eligibility Criteria

- Academic Qualification: Qualified H.S. or equivalent level of examination. Spanish A1 from Ramakrishna Mission Vidyamandira

PROGRAMME DETAILS

- Duration of the Course: 4 Months
- Total Hours: 60 (approximately)
- Mode of Instruction: Online (Google Meet)

Note: Examination will be conducted in offline mode

Venue: Ramakrishna Mission Vidyamandira, Belur Math, Howrah

- Medium of Instruction: Bengali
- At the end of the course, all the successful (minimum 40% in aggregate) participants will be given certificates by the Department of Tourism & Travel, Ramakrishna Mission Vidyamandira.