B.Ed
Pedagogy of English

Objectives
• Students will understand the importance of teaching English as a foreign/Second language.
• They will become aware of its origin, development and distinctive characteristics.
• They will understand the aims and objectives of teaching English as a foreign/second language.
• They will also be acquainted with different methods of teaching English and their advantages and disadvantages.
• They will know about the techniques of teaching oral skills, reading and writing skills and also about techniques of teaching spelling.
• They will learn how to prepare lesson plans for teaching English prose, poetry and grammar.
• They will understand the importance and use of Audio-visual aids and language laboratory in teaching English.

UNIT-I
1. Importance of teaching English as a foreign language/Second language.
2. English language, its origin, development and distinctive characteristics.
4. Aims and objectives of teaching English as a foreign language.
5. Learning and Acquisition Factors Influencing acquisition of English.

UNIT-II
1. Grammar Translation and direct method : Merits and Demerits
2. Inductive and deductive method : Merits and Demerits
3. Communicative and Structural Approach : Merits and Demerits
4. Humanistic Approach : Merits and Demerits

UNIT-III
1. Phonemes and phonetic transcription.
2. Teaching of oral skills, specific techniques for oral expression.
3. Teaching of Reading Skills, intensive and extensive reading, Silent reading and reading aloud with expression.
4. Teaching of writing skills, letters, summaries, essay writing.
5. Teaching of spellings, general rules and exceptions, Mnemonics for the difficult words.
UNIT-IV

1. Aims and objectives of teaching English prose, poetry and grammar
2. Lesson planning - Teaching of English prose, poetry and grammar.
3. Meaning and importance of teaching aids, Audio-Visual Aids, kinds and uses.
4. Language Laboratory & its importance in teaching English.
5. The ideal English teacher-role and qualities

SUGGESTED READINGS: