

SES's L.S. RAHEJA COLLEGE OF ARTS AND COMMERCE
(AUTONOMOUS)



Syllabus of Research Skills under NEP 2020 vertical (SEC) with effect from 2024-25

Department of English (for Commerce programme)

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Date of approval by the BoS: 8 Oct 2024

Approved by the Academic Council:

Ratified by the Governing Body:



Programme: FYB.Com			Semester : II		
Course : Research Skills			Code:		
Academic Year: 2024-2025			Batch: 2024-2027		
Teaching Scheme			Evaluation Scheme		
Lectures	Practical	Tutorials	Credits	Internal Continuous Assessment (ICA) (weightage)	Term End Examinations (TEE) (weightage)
30	Nil	Nil	2	20 marks/40% of the total marks	30 marks/60% of the total marks

Particulars of ICA	%
Classroom participation/ Class tests / Assignment / Project / Quiz / Presentation / Viva-Voce, etc. (any 2)	40% = 10 + 10 = 20 marks

Learning Objectives :	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> To orient the learner on basics of Research skills To help the learner acquire research skills
Learning Outcomes :	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> The learner will be able to identify the stages in the research process. The learner will be able to collect and organize data for research. The learner will be able to Read and Interpret a research paper.
Pedagogy:	Lecture, Presentation, Workshop, Group discussion, Classroom interaction

Detailed Syllabus: (per session plan) } to be submitted along with Teaching

Plan Session Outline For (name of the course)

Each lecture session would be of one hour duration (30 sessions).

Module	Module Content	Module Wise Pedagogy Used (only pointers)	Module Wise Duration/ Lectures
I	The Research Process: What is Research, Types of Research, Stages in the Research Process – Data Collection and Analysis of data, Using Resources.	Lecture, Presentation	15

II	Basic Research Protocol: Literature Review, Framing Hypothesis, Plagiarism, How to Read and Interpret a Research paper.	Lecture, Presentation, Group Discussion, Classroom interaction.	15

REFERENCE BOOKS

1. Liezel Lues and Laetus O.K. Lategan . Research ABC. African Sun Media; SUN Press. 2006.
<https://www.jstor.org/stable/j.ctv1nzg0gw.5>
2. Hamed Taherdoost. Handbook on Research Skills: The Essential Step by step Guide on how to do a Research Project. Kindle Edition. 2021
3. Brian Allison. Research Skills for Students. Routledge Publication. 2016

QUESTION PAPER PATTERN (for Semester II)

Marks: 30

Duration: 1 hour

Semester 2:

1. Answer the following in about 150 words each: 2 X5 = 10 marks
 2. Answer the following in about 300 words each: 2X10 = 20 marks
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