

MCM DAV College for Women, Sector – 36A, Chandigarh
Monthly Teaching Plans (Third Semester)
Session– (2019 --2020)

Name of the Teacher: Dr. Zeenat Khan

Department: PG Department of English

Class: M.A II ENGLISH

Subject: PAPER III Option II (Linguistics)

S.No.	Date (Monthly)		Topics to be Covered	Academic Activity Undertaken*
	From	To		
1.	July 22 nd 2019	Aug 31 st 2019	Language - nature and functions (arbitrariness of sign, speech and writing, animal and human language, conventionality, system of systems). The earlier study of language – historical, comparative approaches, a brief history of linguistics.	Lecture Method, PPT, Online Sources, Group Discussion
2.	Sept 1 st	Sept 30 th	The growth of Modern Linguistics:– The descriptive approach, Linguistics as a Science. The early structuralists, anthropologists - Boas, Sapir, Whorf' The contribution of Bloomfield. Ferdinand de Saussure and Dichotomies; Langue and Parole, Syntagmatic and Paradigmatic relationships, synchronic and diachronic approaches. Branches of Linguistics; Psycholinguistics and Neurolinguistics, Sociolinguistics and the study of the variation in language, particularly, dialect, accent and register.	Lecture Method, PPT, Online Sources, Group Discussion
3.	Oct 1 st	Oct 31 st	Levels of linguistic analysis I - Phonetics (speech organs, description and classification of sounds, IPA system, phonemes, allophones, minimal pairs); Morphology (free and bound	Lecture Method, PPT, Online Sources, Group Discussion

			morphemes, allomorphs, zero morphemes, morphophonemics).	
4.	Nov 1 st	Nov 30 th	The Phonology of English - the description and classification of English Vowels and consonants, syllable structure, word stress. Transcription of English words, marking stress. Weak forms, assimilation and elision in connected speech, basic patterns of intonation. Word formation in English; derivation, affixation , compounds	Lecture Method, PPT, Online Sources, Group Discussion

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	From	To		
1.	Jan 2020	Feb 2020	Levels of Linguistics Analysis II: The study of grammar-traditional (the latinat fallacy, the semantic fallacy) structural (IC analysis, NP and VP, phrase structure rules, practice of the diagram for analyzing sentence structure) transformational generative grammar with reference to Chomsky's distinction between deep and surface structures, kernel sentences and transformations and familiarity with some important transformational rules, lexical restrictions	Lecture Method, PPT, Online Sources, Group Discussion

2.	March 1 st	March 31 st	The Grammar of English – Basic sentence patterns in English, Description of the structure of Noun Phrase, Verb Phrase, Adjective and Adverbial Phrase in English (with practical exercises). Some types of complex sentences. Sentence connection and cohesion in English.	Lecture Method, PPT, Online Sources, Group Discussion
3.	April 1 st	April 30 th	Levels of Linguistic Analysis III: Theories of semantics, Synonymy hyponymy, entailment, polysemy, ambiguity (with examples from the semantics of English).	Lecture Method, PPT, Online Sources, Group Discussion
4.	May 1 st	May 31 st	Diachronic changes in English- sound and spelling change and the influence of other languages on English. The development of English grammars and dictionaries. English as global language- varieties of English in Britain and around the world with special reference to Indian English.	Lecture Method, PPT, Online Sources, Group Discussion