

TRIBHUVAN UNIVERSITY  
INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY  
SCHOOL OF MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES  
**Bachelor in Mathematical Sciences (B.Math.Sc.)**  
Course of Study

Code No.: MSEN 151

**Paper: Communication Skill II**

*Nature of the course:* Theory

*Full Mark:* 75

*Pass Mark:* 30

*Credit:* 3

*Course Description:*

This course is a continuation of Communication skill I and aims to further strengthen students' ability to use English language for professional purpose through a study of essays, short-stories, and short-plays of renowned authors, review of books and articles.

*Learning Objectives:*

After successful completion of this course the student will be able to

- gain wider understanding of intercultural contexts of the world
- enhance their own morale by envisioning the best for the society
- familiarize themselves with various styles and techniques of writing through reading the texts by renowned writers
- increase their critical thinking ability as per the analytical demand of the course

*Mode of Delivery:*

The course will be taught by lecture (48 hrs), and presentation, class discussion (24 hrs).

**Course contents**

**Unit 1 Poems**

**7 hrs**

The Loneliness of the Long Distance Runner, Metaphors, My Papa's Waltz, Eight O'clock, Ballad of the Landlord 3

**Unit 2 Short Story**

**6 hrs**

The Buddha, The Hitch-hiker, The Lottery

**Unit 3 Short Dramas**

**4 hrs**

Sorry, Wrong Number, Chandalika

**Unit 4 Essay**

**8 hrs**

A Most Forgiving Ape, Girlhood Among Ghosts, The Death of the Moth, We Are all Scientists

**Unit 5 Technical Writing**

**14 hrs**

Chapter – 5 – Memo, Chapter – 6 – Letters, Chapter – 7 – Job Search, Chapter - - Report Writing, Chapter - - Research

**Unit 6 Daily English Newspapers**

**9 hrs**

**References**

1. ***Joys of Reading***, Compiled & edited by Shreedhar Lohani and R. Adhikari, M.K. Publishers and Distributors.
2. ***Technical Writing***, Gerson and Gerson (Unit II and IV), Pearson Education Inc.
3. ***Daily English Newspapers***.