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English Language & Communication Skills has been designed to cover the current module content of English Language as a foundation course in the university. Never should there be a greater need to write and speak better than when students enter college. The book aims to help students improve on both written and spoken English. It offers instructions on the four language skills which are writing, reading, listening and speaking. In addition, some basic aspects of grammar, sentence construction and vocabulary are dealt with. The book is divided into four parts with a section on spellings and some practice exercises with answers. Its simple and friendly style will help students develop confidence in writing, reading and public speaking. 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It identifies the descriptive functioning of language, as well as the communicative processes involved in its usage. The book takes a new look at traditional language skills from a modern perspective, focusing on their importance as communication tools for the twenty-first century learner of the English language. The reality of technology as part of the modern life is also brought to bear on the discussions in the book, showing that its application to reading can serve to fast-track the mastery of reading efficiency. As the book will serve to make the user of the English language in the twenty-first century effective in all their endeavours that require its usage, it will be particularly useful for learners of English as a second language. Dr Iyabode Omolara Akewo Daniel is a Professor of English in the Department of Languages at the National Open University of Nigeria, and was also a Visiting Scholar at the Department of English of the University of Ghana. She has actively participated in organising academic events, having served as the Secretary of the 1st National Conference of the School of Languages, Federal College of Education, Okene, Nigeria, in 2005. She has also published articles in several national and international journals, as well as various chapters in edited volumes. She is the author of Introductory Phonetics and Phonology of English (2011). She is currently co-editing two books on language and literary studies with her colleagues. There are currently no reviews for this title. Please do revisit this page again to see if some have been added. Buy This Book Hardback The US is a country full of languages. From Cherokee to Urdu, Tagalog, German, and Hebrew, there are thousands of languages big and small taught and spoken across the country. And, true to its reputation, New York City remains the most linguistically diverse city in the world. But how many native non-English speakers are there? And where do they live? LingualinkDC.net created the maps below that rank American cities by linguistic diversity and non-English languages by popularity in each region. While the #1 non-English language spoken in the US might not surprise you, the runners-up probably will. Photo: LinguaLinkDC Photo: LinguaLinkDC What did you think of this story? College is one of the best academic environments to hone the relevant skills needed to survive and thrive! From analytical & critical thinking abilities to reasoning and language skills, students are provided all-around training. Of the different skills students learn during college, language abilities prove to be one of the most crucial requirements in the world today. The university environment provides excellent exposure for the development of remarkable language and communication skills. However, you may need to supplement your learning with English learning books that not only help you understand the language properly but also give you a sense of confidence while speaking or writing. English is the most widely-spoken language in the world, with more than 1.5 billion people displaying proficiency in communicating in English. Therefore, excellent English language skills can yield several remarkable opportunities for personal and professional growth. Polishing your English language skills during the formative years of college can be a great way to boost your communication abilities. Refining your language abilities can help you understand the rules of excellent communication in personal and professional environments. Keep reading to discover 5 English learning books to boost your language skills while you are in college! 1. Oxford Modern English Grammar Written by Bas Aarts, Oxford Modern English Grammar is a definitive guide to studying the language rules. One of the key aspects of this book is that it covers both American and British English. There are several examples on speaking and writing, allowing you to gain a holistic understanding of the language rules. This guide is divided into four parts for ease of use, with a systematic and comprehensive course for English grammar. The guide also boasts a descriptive source of reference, which is an excellent tool if you want to delve deeper into the language. This is also a recommended book for students preparing for competitive exams during their college years. Effective communication in English is an important skill to have no matter what industry you are planning to build a career in. This book is among the most economical English-learning books to buy and has roughly 350 pages. The Intermediate English Grammar book can be used as a self-reference guide and is replete with questions and detailed answers. It comes with language presentation on the left-hand side pages and practice exercises on the right-hand side pages. The pattern is uniform throughout the book to prevent unnecessary confusion and quicken the learning process. The Intermediate English Grammar is especially great for students who have a strong foundation in the language and want to improve their skills. The level of teaching in this guide progressively increases with each chapter. Hence you develop a firm understanding of grammar rules by the end of the book. 3. Practical English Usage A mistake commonly made by English-learning books is that there is an excess of information provided to readers. Practical English Usage is a book that breaks free of this norm with concise and point-based explanations. This is a book recommended for trainee teachers, professors, and advanced-level students seeking answers to English language questions. The guide has two comprehensive parts: Grammar and Vocabulary. Both the parts cover more than 600 entries by experienced English speakers and writers. The several topics covered in this book include – Article issues Proper use of tenses Use of conditionals Formatting guidelines Avoiding offensive language Differences between British and American English 50 daily use English words with meanings This book is among the best English-learning books to polish word usage, syntax, grammar, and pronunciation abilities. Designed with non-native English speakers in mind, each section includes several exercises to boost practice and confidence. One of the defining characteristics of this book is that it teaches you several common idioms and phrases via detailed conversations. As a student, you will be able to perform the following after studying from this book – Retell a conversation or narrate a story Express needs and wants clearly and concisely Express opinions, likes, and dislikes with your peers Introduce yourself and other people without making mistakes This book is also replete with English dialogues that illustrate several practical conversations. Each sentence and phrase is highlighted with exercises to help you understand daily usage. The comprehensive answer keys provide instant feedback on performance with respect to the practice questions. 5. Ship or Sheep? Ship or Sheep? is an excellent book for students learning English at home. Similar in structure to English Grammar in Use, the book does not follow a progressive format. Each unit of this guide focuses on specific sounds, allowing you to learn the rules of speaking English effectively. The book places systematic emphasis on the practice of English pronunciation with several activities and interesting exercises. The guide additionally comes with a set of 4 pre-recorded audio CDs to help you practice speaking and vocabulary. As a student, you will also be able to learn about the English language's 24 consonants as well as different vowel sounds. Moreover, the book has dialogues, games, and practice exercises that can be done with a tutor, classmate, or study partner for fun learning! Key Takeaways College is a stimulating environment that emphasizes the development of relevant skills for learning and growth. Polishing your language skills during these formative years is a great way to develop the habit of effective and clear English communication. Support your learning and refine your language skills with the 5 listed English-learning books! Liked this blog? Read 50 daily use English words with meanings FAQs Q1. Can these books be downloaded on a Kindle? Answer – Yes, most of the listed books can be downloaded on a Kindle at a certain cost. Q2. Is there a prominent difference between British and American English? Answer – British and American English have different rules for language skills. The differences are subtle and can be picked up with practice and exposure. Q3. What is the best way to improve your English speaking skills? Answer – Practicing with the above-mentioned guides and engaging in conversations is one of the best ways to improve English speaking skills.





