



SRM

INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY
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**Department of English
&
Foreign Languages**

DEPARTMENT AT A GLANCE





OBJECTIVES

- To impart vital training and fine tune the learners' proficiency in English and other Foreign Languages to meet the demands of global communication with ease and confidence.
- To encourage research activities.
- To offer courses such as value education to enhance the social responsibility



OVERVIEW

- Established in 1985 as **The Department of English**
- Renamed as **The Department of English and Foreign Languages in 2005.**
- B.A & M.A in Literature were introduced in 2017
- German - 2005
- Japanese - 2005
- French - 2006
- Korean - 2007
- Chinese - 2009

PROGRAMS/COURSES OFFERED

■ Programs

- PhD (ELT and Literature)
- B.A &M.A English
- Diploma in English (For Students from Abroad)
- Students from Kenya, Afghanistan, China, Nigeria, Korea were taught various English courses.

■ Courses

- English , German, Japanese, French, Korean and Chinese – For B.Tech & UG programs
- Value Education – for B.Tech. , B. Arch. , B. Design
- German – IGCHE Dual Degree
- English - B.Sc.Nursing / Physiotherapy / Optometry/ Occupational Therapy / B.Design/Optomety/ Radiology/MLT/BLT/BASLP



ELECTIVE COURSES

The following five open elective subjects from the areas of English Language and Literature are offered to all B.Tech students of the 5th, 6th and 7th semesters.

- Science Fiction
- Indian Writing in English
- Creative Writing
- English for Competitive Exam
- Accent Training

FACULTY STRENGTH

Teaching

- English -26 (19 doctorates)
- German-05
- French - 07
- Japanese -06
- Chinese - 04
- Tamil - 01
- Visiting Faculty (German) -02
- Foreign Faculty-01 (Chinese)
01 (Japanese)
01 (Korean)
- Research Scholar – 03
- Non-Teaching - 04

RESEARCH & CONSULTANCY



PhD Program

Publications

Three research guides and 17 Research scholars

- PhD awarded -5
- Thesis submitted- 5
- Synopsis submitted -5
- Comp - viva -6
- Coursework -1
- Areas –ELT, Literature and Computational Linguistics

- 28 in Scopus
- 40 in Other National and International Journal

Projects

- One submitted to ICSSR
- 4.75 Lakhs Consultancy earned through Foreign Languages Evening classes (Japanese N5, N4 and German A1)

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

MoUs with UNIVERSITIES ABROAD

- National Tsing Hua University , Taiwan (Faculty Exchange)
- TZU CHI University, Taiwan
- Hannam University, S. Korea (SAP)
- National Kaoshiung Normal University (TEEP)
- Native speakers from the respective country to impart training.

■ TRAINING ABROAD

- Ms. Rekha – Japan (2011)
- Mr. B.Vijayakumar – Japan (2014)
- Mr. E. Nirmal – Japan (2016)
- Mr. R. Padmaja – Japan (2017)
- Ms. Paulomi Goshal – Taiwan (2018)

NATIVE LANGUAGE TEACHERS

Chinese

1. Ms. Woan Yun Tsou (since 2016)
2. Ms. Ling Yun Tsai from Taiwan
Education Center to teach Chinese
(2017-18)

Japanese

1. Mr. Hideyuki Fuji Sawa – Japanese
International Cooperation Agency
JICA volunteer (2015-2017)
2. Ms. Baba Chiho from Japanese
International Cooperation Agency
(JICA) to teach Japanese (2018-
20)

French

1. Mr. Aurelien Le Poupon
2. Ms. Gwenelle Raisor
3. Mr. Jean Pierre Emmanuel
4. Ms. Gaelle Bennachio

were sent by French Embassy to
teach French

German

1. Mr. Sven Bergmann from Munster
College of Languages Germany to
teach German for IGCHE
programme students.

FRENCH

- To impart concepts of general French for everyday interactions and technical French at a professional level.
- Two French Tutors are sponsored by French Embassy to teach in SRM every year.
- ‘Campus France’ visited the campus to guide aspiring students to pursue their academics in France.
- Conferences organized by AITF at various Indian universities including SRM to further French studies in India.





The SRM-TAIWAN TIE

TAIWAN EDUCATION CENTRE (TEC)

- This centre functioning under the EFL department offers the students of SRM University an exposure to the Chinese Mandarin language as well as lifestyle and culture of Taiwan.
- The Taiwan Embassy is a strong support.

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The SRM-German Connect

- The Indo- German Center for Higher Education (IGCHE) Program for top Universities like IITs initiated at SRM
- Procedure :
First three years –SRM UNIV. , German-31 credits
Next, Clear TESTDAF
Final Year – at a German university which is part of the IGCHE consortium
- Towards this end, Native German teachers are employed to tutor the candidates in this program

The SRM-JAPANESE 'Konekuto' (Connect)



- Every year one teacher is sent for a 3month training program to Japan- 4 teachers have completed the program so far.

N5 and N4 level classes:

- are offered to students after class hours by a native Japanese teacher.
- Revenue of about 3 lakhs have been generated

JENSYS Program

- Every year 3-8 students after completion of their third year, go on a free 10-day trip to Japan

The SRM-JAPANESE Our Staff at Training program





TAIWAN EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE PROGRAMME (TEEP)



National Kaohsiung Normal University (NKNU) Taiwan

- Offered Mandarin Courses, Industrial visits and Cultural classes to the students. 12th December to 12th February.
- One faculty from the Department of English and Foreign Languages and students from SRM IST attended this programme.

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VALUE ADDED COURSES



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The Department imparts values through

English

Value Education

German

French

Japanese

Chinese

Korean

Constitution of India

courses by acquainting the learners with the various facets of the present multicultural world and current realities in the different developing fields so that the learners acquire a balanced outlook and required life skills to achieve excellence and success in their lives.



IN-HOUSE FACULTY SEMINAR AND FDPs

Over the last 5 years the department has conducted

- 5 National conferences
- 1 International conference
- 2 FDPs
- 2 Guest Lectures



LEARNING RESOURCES AND INFRASTRUCTURE



Department Library

Total no.of. Books - 351

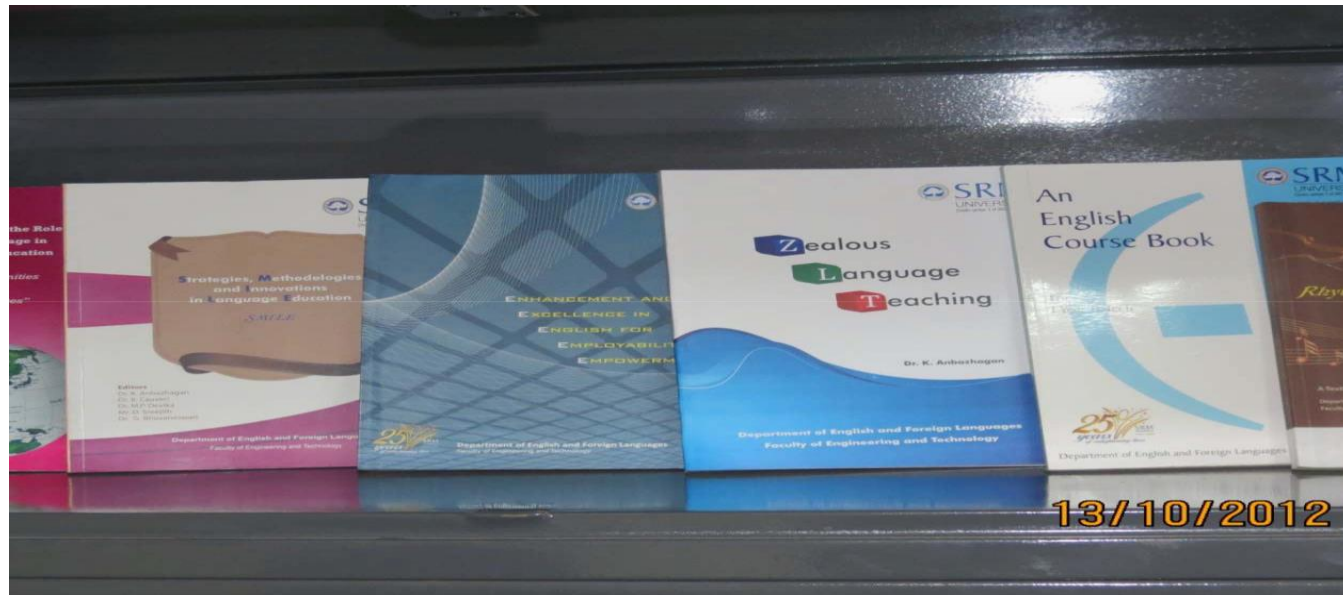
- English - 115
- German - 40
- Japanese - 99
- French - 19
- Value Education - 58
- BEC Books - 10
- Encyclopedia - 10

LANGUAGE LAB



- To help slow learners improve their communication skills
- To enable the learners to get a feel of native ambience
- The lab is available
- To encourage self study.
- To improve pronunciation, intonation, grammatical accuracy, and fluency.
- To listen to supplementary materials

PUBLICATIONS



Published text books on English and Value Education for I year B.Tech students.

Published French, Japanese and German text books for students.

Six Conference Proceedings have been published.

EXTENSION

- Spoken English Classes for children through NSS
- English classes for non-teaching staff



Best/Innovative practices

- Teaching Value Education as a compulsory course
- Teaching Foreign Languages mandatory for all B.Tech. Students
- International Teachers / Students from China, France, Japan, Korea, Congo, and Nigeria.
- English for TEMASEK Polytechnic / Ford / Non teaching staff
- Conducted Eight National Conferences and Three STTPs and Two FDPs
- The Japanese Consulate has been deputing students every year since 2009 for the JENESYS programme.
- Training for English Proficiency Exams such as TOEFL, IELTS, BEC, GRE



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