**Course Specification for Practical Phonetics**

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| **College** | Zulfi College of Education | | |
| **Department** | English Language Department | | |
| **Course Name:** | Practical Phonetics | Course Code | ENGL122 |
| **Level** | Level 3 | Credit Hours | 3 hours |
| **Course Objective** | 1. Describe key concepts and terms in Phonetics. 2. Distinguish between: Articulatory, Acoustic and Auditory Phonetics. 3. Distinguish between: Phone, Phoneme and Allophone; along with knowing the difference between Phonetics and Phonology. 4. Practice phonemic symbols. 5. Explain the difference between phoneme and allophone. 6. Outline the different distinctive features of English phonemes. 7. Pronounce English vowels and diphthongs correctly and intelligibly. 8. Pronounce English consonants correctly and intelligibly 9. Practice the production of English sounds with in a context (syllable, word, or at words boundary); 10. Practice and predict the stress on English words with different number of the syllable (monosyllabic, disyllabic and polysyllabic words). 11. Practice and predict the stress on the larger phonological construction (spoken phrase and sentence). 12. Discuss the differences between the sounds of English and the orthography of English. | | |
| **Course Content** | 1. Definition of phonetics and phonology and other related terms. | | |
| 1. Basic terms and concepts in Phonetics. | | |
| 1. Auditory, Acoustic and Articulatory phonetics | | |
| 1. The Speech Tract (Organs of Speech). | | |
| 1. Phonetic transcription (IPA) | | |
| 1. Phonemic Symbols. | | |
| 1. Phonemes/ allophones | | |
| 1. Describing and pronouncing English Vowels and Diphthongs | | |
| 1. Describing and pronouncing English consonants. | | |
| 1. Pronouncing English syllable (note that the theoretical study of English suprasegmental features will not be studied thoroughly here, and will be investigated in detail in ***ENGL 312 English Phonetics and Phonology*** | | |
| 1. Practicing and predicting English word/sentence stress | | |
| 1. Practicing English intonation | | |
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| **Required Textbook** | 1. English Pronunciation in Use. (Intermediate) by Mark Hancock. 2. Better English Pronunciation. [J. D. O'Connor](https://www.google.com.sa/search?hl=ar&tbo=p&tbm=bks&q=inauthor:%22J.+D.+O%27Connor%22). 3. English Phonetics and Phonology. [Peter Roach](https://www.google.com.sa/search?hl=ar&tbo=p&tbm=bks&q=inauthor:%22Peter+Roach%22). 4. English Phonetics and Phonology: An Introduction.  Phillip Carr | | |

