



CENTRE FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDIES





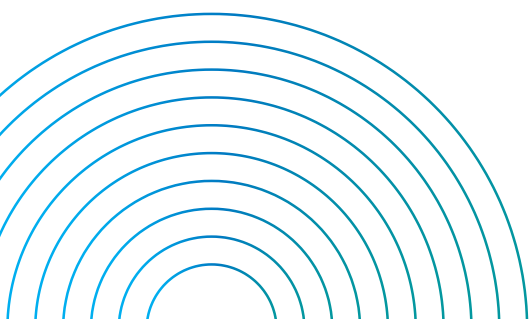
BV DU BACKGROUND



It was perhaps the 5-km long walks to the only accessible school, which was in a nearby village that forged a burning desire in the young Dr. Kadam to bring the fruits of education to the hundreds and thousands after him. This led to the birth of Bharati Vidyapeeth in a single room in the erstwhile Pune

Established in 1964, Bharati Vidyapeeth started its journey from a small room in the congested lanes in the old part of Pune city. Far-sighted and hard-working, this young man carried on with his noble mission unabatedly. 'Social Transformation through dynamic education', has been the guiding principle of this enterprising individual, who engineered an educational revolution

in the most formative decades of this nation's history. Critics tried to write it off at one point of time, due to its humble origins, but the Bharati Vidyapeeth establishment defied all stereotypes and is one of the top private universities in the country, today.



OUR LEADERSHIP



**Hon'ble Dr. Patangrao
Kadam**
Founder Chancellor
BVDU



**Hon'ble Prof. Dr.
Shivajirao Kadam**
Chancellor
BVDU



**Hon'ble Prof. Dr. Vivek
Saoji**
Vice Chancellor
BVDU



**Hon'ble Dr. Vishwajit
Kadam**
Pro Vice Chancellor
BVDU

ABOUT

CENTRE FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDIES

The Centre for International Studies at our university is committed to providing students with the skills and knowledge necessary to succeed in their academic and professional pursuits. Our department offers a wide range of courses and programs designed to help students improve their language proficiency and prepare for entrance exams.

We offer courses in a variety of languages, including English, French, Spanish, German, Japanese, and more. Our language programs are designed to help students develop their reading, writing, speaking, and listening skills, as well as to increase their cultural awareness and understanding of different linguistic and cultural perspectives.

In addition to our language programs, we also offer courses and programs designed to help students prepare for entrance exams, including standardized tests such as the TOEFL, GRE, GMAT, IELTS, and OET. Our experienced instructors provide students with the tools and strategies they need to perform at their best on these exams, and we offer a variety of resources to help students prepare effectively.

Overall, these courses & methods will help students excel in terms of their Jobs or higher education globally by opening doors to not just good universities abroad but good job opportunities in India and other nations.

WELCOME MESSAGES



Dear Students, Faculty, and Staff,

As an international student, studying in a foreign country can be a daunting experience. However, it can also be an incredibly rewarding one, offering a chance to learn about new cultures, make new friends and gain valuable experiences that will shape your future.

We understand the unique challenges that you may face and we are committed to providing you with the resources and support that you need to thrive. Whether it is academic guidance, cultural exchange opportunities or social events, we are here to help.

My team of dedicated staff members is available to answer any questions that you may have and to provide you with information on a wide range of topics, from visa and immigration issues to housing and healthcare. We also organize a variety of events throughout the year.

As a member of our international student community, I encourage you to take advantage of all that our university has to offer, be it foreign language & entrance exam preparation courses or International placements. Whether you are here for a short-term program or a full degree, we are committed to taking care of you right from the courses we offer to getting you placed in the top companies and even opening door for higher education abroad.

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Prof. Dr. Kirti Mahajan
DIRECTOR



OVER VIEW

VISION

Our vision is to make every student studying at BVDU know & communicate in different foreign languages and provide each student with entrance exam trainings which will enable them to choose their dream jobs or education without the constraints of the boundaries.

MISSION

We are committed to teach students different foreign languages, international entrance exam preparation courses & open doors for International placements & opportunities for higher studies around the globe giving the students a sense of freedom in terms of pursuing their dream.



02.

OUR OBJECTIVES



- **Offering language training, Entrance exam preparation and support:** The Centre offers language courses, tutoring, and support services to help students improve their language skills and communication abilities in different languages and help them navigate different entrance exams for higher studies.
- **Fostering international research and scholarship:** The Centre can provide funding, resources, and support for research projects that address global issues and contribute to the international scholarly community.
- **Supporting international students and scholars:** The Centre can offer orientation, advising, and support services for international students and scholars, helping them adjust to the new academic and cultural environment.
- **Developing partnerships with international institutions and organizations:** The Centre can establish partnerships with other institutions and organizations around the world to promote international cooperation and collaboration on research, education, and policy initiatives.



ENTRANCE EXAMS



TOEFL

If English is not your first language, universities abroad require you to take the TOEFL test as a proof of your proficiency in English. Most foreign universities require a minimum TOEFL score of 80+ for admission.

The TOEFL test measures a test taker's ability to combine listening, reading, speaking and writing skills where it matters most — in the classroom. The test is often taken by students who are planning to study at a university abroad and scholarship candidates.

Overall, the TOEFL test is an important tool for non-native speakers of English to demonstrate their language proficiency and to access educational and employment opportunities in English-speaking countries.

TOEFL

BLOOM'S TAXONOMY

1. Remembering:

- Recall key vocabulary words and phrases frequently used in TOEFL listening, reading, speaking, and writing sections.
- Identify and remember specific details from reading and listening passages.
- Memorize grammar rules and structures commonly tested in the TOEFL exam.

2. Understanding:

- Comprehend the main ideas, themes, and supporting details of reading and listening passages.
- Interpret and understand the meaning of new vocabulary words and phrases within their context.
- Understand the organization and structure of various types of written and spoken texts.

3. Applying:

- Apply reading strategies to comprehend and analyze different types of TOEFL reading passages, including identifying main ideas, making inferences, and recognizing author's purpose.
- Apply listening strategies to comprehend and extract relevant information from TOEFL listening passages, including note-taking, predicting answers, and recognizing the speaker's tone and attitude.

TOEFL

BLOOM's TAXONOMY

4. Analyzing:

- Analyze the structure and organization of reading passages and listening materials to identify rhetorical techniques and infer meaning.
- Analyze grammar and sentence structures to identify errors and improve sentence clarity and coherence in writing and speaking tasks.
- Analyze speaking and writing prompts to understand the task requirements and formulate appropriate responses.

5. Evaluating:

- Evaluate the credibility and reliability of information presented in reading and listening passages.
- Evaluate the effectiveness of arguments and supporting evidence in reading and listening materials.
- Evaluate the quality of written and spoken responses, providing constructive feedback to improve coherence, vocabulary usage, grammar, and pronunciation.

6. Creating:

- Create well-developed and cohesive written essays, demonstrating critical thinking, logical reasoning, and the ability to support ideas with relevant examples and evidence.
- Create coherent and fluent spoken responses, incorporating advanced vocabulary, appropriate grammar, and effective communication strategies.

STUDY MATERIAL

Standard text books available in the market

TOEFL SYLLABUS

1. Verbal Reasoning:

- Familiarize students with the structure, format, and scoring of the TOEFL exam.
- Provide an overview of each section: reading, listening, speaking, and writing.
- Discuss the skills and strategies required to succeed in each section.

2. Reading Skills and Strategies:

- Develop effective reading strategies for skimming, scanning, and analyzing passages.
- Enhance reading comprehension skills by identifying main ideas, supporting details, and inference.
- Practice reading academic texts and answering related questions within the time constraints of the TOEFL exam.

3. Listening Skills and Strategies:

- Improve listening comprehension skills by practicing note-taking techniques.
- Enhance understanding of spoken English through exposure to a variety of audio materials.
- Develop the ability to recognize main ideas, supporting details, speaker's attitude, and purpose.

4. Speaking Skills and Strategies:

- Familiarize students with the structure, format, and scoring of the TOEFL exam.
- Provide an overview of each section: reading, listening, speaking, and writing.
- Discuss the skills and strategies required to succeed in each section.

5. Writing Skills and Strategies:

- Develop effective reading strategies for skimming, scanning, and analyzing passages.
- Enhance reading comprehension skills by identifying main ideas, supporting details, and inference.
- Practice reading academic texts and answering related questions within the time constraints of the TOEFL exam.

6. Vocabulary Building and Grammar Review:

- Improve listening comprehension skills by practicing note-taking techniques.
- Enhance understanding of spoken English through exposure to a variety of audio materials.
- Develop the ability to recognize main ideas, supporting details, speaker's attitude, and purpose.

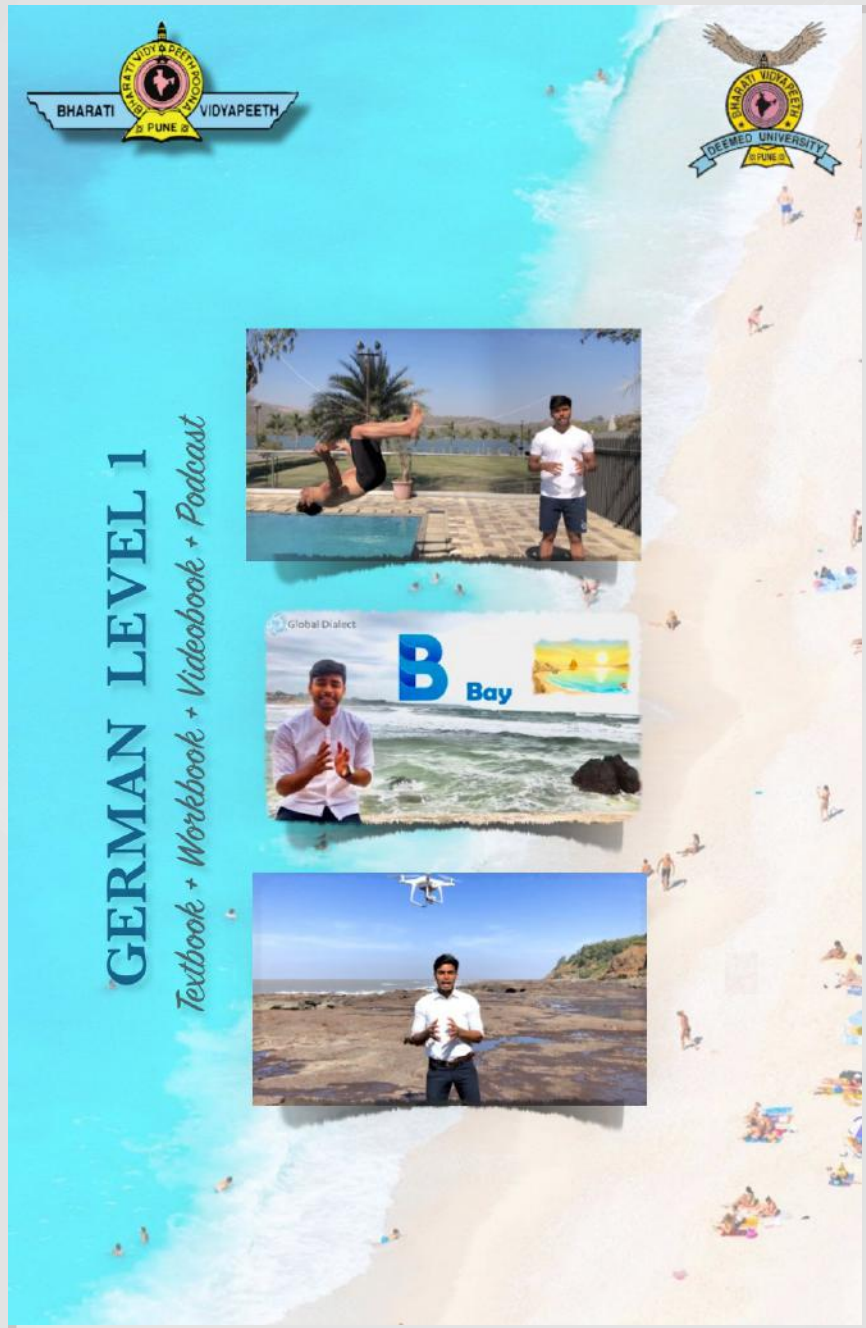
TOEFL EXAM PATTERN

SECTION	QUESTIONS	TIME
LISTENING	30-40 QUESTIONS	54-72 mins
READING	28-39 QUESTIONS	42-57 mins
WRITING	4 TASKS	17 mins
SPEAKING	55 QUESTIONS	50 mins

COURSE DURATION

TOEFL Course Duration	5 weeks
Total Lectures	15 - 20
Duration of every lecture	3 HOURS
Total hours spent on classroom training	45+ hours.

STUDY MATERIAL



BOOKS: with english explanation of the grammar and translated examples + Audio attached to the book

STUDY MATERIAL

STUDY MATERIAL: Standard book for the course + notes by the teachers in the classroom will be provided to the students.

VIDEO ASSISTANCE: Video materials from the internet will be hand picked & will be made available for the students which would allow them to practice & learn after lectures as well.





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