

THE PSYCHOLOGY OF LANGUAGE

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INTENDED AUDIENCE: Students, Teachers

COURSE OUTLINE:

The very basic form of exchanging information between two living beings is termed as communication. A highly developed form of communication is language, which is used mostly by human beings. The present course will introduce the concept of language and the psychology behind the learning and using of language

ABOUT INSTRUCTOR:

Prof. Naveen Kashyap, Ph.D is as Associate Professor of Psychology at the Indian Institute of Technology Guwahati. His research interests are sleep and human cognitive processes. Dr Kashyap has been teaching courses like cognitive psychology, introduction to psychology, consumer psychology, advance cognitive process and research methodology to UG and PG students of Guwahati for the past 10 years.

COURSE PLAN:

Week 1: Communication and Language

Week 2: The Science of Language

Week 3: Speech Perception

Week 4: Speech Production

Week 5: Words

Week 6: Sentences

Week 7: Discourse

Week 8: Reading and Writing