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**Advanced English Grammar (BEL E-701)**

**Course Outcomes**

After completion of this course, the student will be able to:

- Identify and analyse different types of sentence structures
- Analyse and identify different clauses present in sentence structures
- Design tree diagrams to analyse sentence structures
- Understand the concept of different types of tenses

**Unit I**

*Simple Sentences:* Subject Predicate, Forms and Functions, Basic Structure of Simple Sentences, Various Transitive and Intransitive and Linking Verbs.

**Unit II**

*Nouns and Articles:* Countable, Uncountable and Proper Nouns, Genitives, Articles, Application and Uses of Articles.

*Noun Phrases:* Introduction to Noun Phrases, Parts of a Noun Phrase, Modifiers of Noun Heads

**Unit III**

*Verb Phrases:* Introduction to Verb Phrases, Structure of the Verb Phrase, Finite and Non-Finite Verb Phrases, Modifiers of the Verb

*Adjectives and Adverbs:* Concept of Adjectives, Concept of Adverbs, Adverbials

**Unit IV**

*Tenses and Modal Auxiliaries:* Tenses, Modal Verbs

*Complex Sentences I:* Concept of Complex Sentences, Subordinate and Superordinate Clauses, Structure of Subordinate Clause, Functions of Subordinate Clause.

*Complex Sentences II:* Adjectival Clauses, Appositive Clauses, Adverbial Clauses, Analysis of Complex Sentences

**References**

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- Culicover, Peter W. *Syntax*. New York, N.Y., Academic Press, 1982.