



**Course TITLE:** Asian Englishes Today

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## **Course Overview:**

The proliferationand functions of English among its innumerable users has resulted to unparalleled quest for answers relating to English Language Learning and teaching throughout continents. Thus, giving way to the birth of different varieties of English which reflect different regional identities of speakers of these developing varieties.

In this course, we try to probe the spread, functions and development of English in the changing Asian contexts. We also aim in this course to discuss the perspectives of our major Asian linguistic and literary scholars, as well as that of the different participating students to make the discussions even more relevant and meaningful to us—Asians .

Students in this course are expected to be active in class discussions by sharing their firsthand knowledge and experiences of the topics being presented. At the last part of the program, they are expected to present their syntheses of discussions and reflections on the various issues in the course of the discussion. They are also expected to create VLOG of these syntheses so as to reach bigger audience to promote understanding and preservation of individual's cultural.

## **Grading:**

Examination/Quizzes: 40%

Class Participation/

Group Presentation : 30% Written Output : 20% Attendance/Deportment : 10%