Dedicated
To
Lord Sri Venkateswara
Of
New Jersey
Learn English through Telugu

Preface

This book is a compilation of numerous lessons taught in the special English class of Sri Venkateswara Temple at Bridgewater, New Jersey, USA for our temple Priests, conducted several years ago. The teachers included Ms. Ananth Gundapuneedi, Dr. Krishna Vanguri and Dr. A. R. Srinivasan. This project turned out to be a tremendous success and since then, our priests are able to handle spoken English.

Hand-written notes were distributed to the priests in every class. We used these notes and tried our best to come up with special books to learn English through Gujarati (with the help of Mrs. Rekha Bhatt), Hindi (with the help of Mrs. Parvati Rajagopal and Dr. Ramendra Pandey), Kannada (with the help of Mr. Seshadri), Malayalam (with the help of Mr. Bala Andrapalli), Tamil (with the help of Dr. A. R. Srinivasan), and Telugu (with the help of Mr. Ramakrishna Dasika). Currently, Mr. Ramakrishna Dasika, Mr. Bala Andrapalli, and Dr. A. R. Srinivasan, are involved in computerizing these books (Tamil and Telugu). Very soon, more volunteers will join to prepare these books for other languages.

These books are designed to present the material in English, followed by a transliteration scheme and the meaning (written in the language of choice). These Books will become wonderful learning tools for our new priests in particular and our community in general.

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**Simple Words:**

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Introduction

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I am fine

I am fine

My name is Srinivasan

My name is Srinivasan

I speak Telugu

I speak Telugu

He speaks Tamil

He speaks Tamil

She speaks Hindi

She speaks Hindi
They speak Gujarati

They speak Gujarati

My son speaks English

My son speaks English

ARCHANA

Do you want Archana?

Your name please.

Your gothram please

Your birthstar please

Break the coconut please
In the sink

Near Durga Sannidhi

God Bless you

CAR PUJA

Do you want car puja?

Please wait

Please get ticket
In the office

Please go down

Congratulations!

May God Bless you

Drive safely

TELEPHONE

Hello Srinivasan speaking
I speak Tamil

Please call later

Your name please

Your telephone number please

Do you speak Telugu?

You can speak to Gopalachar
Manager is not here

Manager will call you later

How?

How are you?

I am fine.

How did you come here?
I came by bus.

How is that?

That is beautiful.

How is your family?

They are fine.

How can I help you?
I will tell you later.

How is your mother?

My mother is not well.

How is your father?

My father is getting old.

How is your brother?
My brother is fine.

How is your teacher?

My teacher is tired.

How will you go?

I will walk.

How is your car?
My car runs good.

How was your trip?

My trip was excellent.

How is your aunt?

My aunt has headache.

How is your uncle?
My uncle is happy.

How is your job? My job is fine.

How is his bicycle? His bicycle runs good.

How did they go? They went by train.

How do they sing? They sing very good.

How is that book? It is very interesting.
How is that fruit? It tastes very good.

How was your flight? Very very nice.

How is your cough? Now it is okay.

How did you make that? I did not make that.

What? What is this?
This is a book

What is that?

That is a pen.

What is your name?

My name is Seshadri?

What is your wife's name?
My wife's name is Prabha.

What is this boy's name?

His name is Hari.

What is your birthstar?

My birthstar is bharani

What is your Gothram?
What are you doing?
I am writing.
What did you do?
I slept.
What will you do?
What is your phone number?

My phone number is 732 545 9239

What do you want?

I want milk.

What can I do for you?

You can Bless me.
What is the time?

What do you want? I want water.

What does he want? He wants apple juice.

What are they saying? They are chanting slokas.
What will he do?  He will go to the Temple.

What will he wear?  He will wear a new dress.

What is she writing?  She is writing a letter.

When will you come?  I will come tomorrow.
I will go on Monday.

When will you sleep?

I will sleep later.

When will the bus come?

It always comes late.

When will they write?
They will not write.

When will she read?

She will read in the early morning.

When can we discuss?

We can discuss next week.

When will the puja start?
The puja will start soon.

When is the harati?

The Harati is at the end

When can I come?

You can come anytime.

When will they come?
They will come next year.

When is the next trip?

The next trip will be tomorrow.

When will you cook?

I will cook in the night.

When will the news start?
The news will start in 30 minutes.

When did you go to India?

I went last year.

When did you go to New York?

I went last week.

When is your test? My test will be next week.
When is the English class?  
English class will be tomorrow.

When will she dance?  
She will dance at the end.

When is the next Puja?  
Next Puja will be in another week.

Where?  
I am inside.

Where are you?  
I am inside.
Where is your book?

My book is with him.

Where is the computer?

It is in the next room.

Where is the bathroom?

It is on the left side.
Where is her son?

Where is your mother?

Where is your father?
Where will you stay?

I will stay in a hotel

Where will you sleep?

I will sleep in the last room

Where is your aunt?

My aunt is cooking
Where is your uncle?

My uncle is eating

Where is her car? Her car is in the garage

Where can I sit? You can sit next to me

Where is the Temple? The Temple is in the next street

Where is his school? His school is at the end of the street
Where are his friends?
They are playing outside

Which?

Which is your book?

The big one is mine

Which is your ball?

This is my ball
Which is your shirt?

The striped one is my shirt

Which is your plate?

The silver plate is mine

Which is your house?

The last house is mine
Which is your car?

The blue car is mine

Which is your bag?

My bag is in the corner

Which is your town?

Bridgewater is my town
Which is your Temple?

మీ కపాల మంది రాళ్ళాడు?

మా కపాల మంది రాళ్ళాడు?

This is my Temple

నీ కపాల మంది రాళ్ళాడు?

మీ కపాల మంది రాళ్ళాడు?

Which is her table?

మీ హను కట్టడి?

మీ హను కట్టడి?

Her table is at the end

రావి ఇదేకట్టడి మీకు మనింది

రావి ఇదేకట్టడి మనింది

Which is your poem?   My poem is in the last page

మీ కాలదిన కావలసలేటాడు?

మీ కాలదిన కావలసలేటాడు?

మా కాలదిన కావలసలేటాడు?

Which is your cat?    That black cat is mine

మెలు కాయలి దాని కట్టడి?

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మా కాయలి దాని కట్టడి?
Which is your stick? The one near the wall
Which is her umbrella? I don't know
Who? Who?
Who is this?
This is my friend
That is my wife.
who is teaching?

Balu is teaching

Who is your boss?

I have no boss

Who is her father?

Gopalam is her father
Who is his mother?
Girija is her mother

Who is his son?
Sriram is his son

Who is his daughter?
Geetha is his daughter
Who is his teacher?

Ramakrishna is his teacher

Who likes cricket?

Everyone likes cricket

Who is your uncle?

Jagannadham is my uncle
వారికి మీరు మాత్రమే?

Who is your brother?

వారి బీరిలు ఎందుకు సన్ని?

Who is dancing?

సితా రెండు?

Sita's student is dancing

వారి విజయమే?

Who is winning?

మిడావి మంగాయి?

Who is singing?

మిడావి పించి?

Madhavi is singing

వారి దండించి?

Who is sponsoring?

Mr. Gopalarao is sponsoring

వారి సంపాతి?

Who is winning?
Who is coming? Swetha is coming

Who is going? They are going

Why? I have to meet the manager

Why are you coming? 

Why are you laughing? 
That was funny

Why are you running?

This is my exercise

Why is he coming?

He has to complete the job

Why is she going?
She has another job

Why is he coming?

He is going to sing

Why are they coming?

They are going to paint

Why is he crying?
He wants a candy

Why is she sleeping?

She has a headache

Why are they running?

To catch the bus

Why did you leave that?
It is very heavy

Why did you buy that?

This is for a gift

Why do you give him a gift?

It is his birthday present

Why do you teach?
They wanted to learn

Why are you cooking?  It is time to eat

Why are they crying?  They are very hungry

Why is he walking fast?  This is also an exercise

Why did he stop?  The road was very slippery

Why is it cold?  It was in the refrigerator
Group of words:
Town
School
Park
Temple
Field
Well
River
Lake
Shop
House
Library
Tank
Door
Chair
Table
Room
Water
Key
Cot

Bath

Ball

Garden

Plant

Tree
Flower
Lock
Fan
Stove
Family
Mother
Father

Sister

Brother

Younger sister

Elder sister

Younger brother
Elder brother

Baby

Grandfather

Grandmother

Friend

Respect
Close

Birthday

Education:

Principal

Teacher
Student

Read

Write

Class

School

College

University
Book

Holiday

Fee

Exam

Result

Job
Playground

Team

Debate

Play

Compete

Feeling:

Courage

Pity
Smile
Attraction
Speed
Slow
Love
Friendship
Fear
Sorrow
Hate
Anger
Hug
Body
Tongue
Ear
Lip
Hair
Finger
Chest
Leg
Hand
Bone
Lap
Toe
Palm
Wedding:

Bride

Bridegroom

Father-in-law

Mother-in-law

Feast
Priest

Bless

Respect

Decoration

Beauty

Time:
Second
Minute
Hour
Day
Week
Month
Year
Night
Day
Midday
Midnight
Morning
Yesterday

Today

Tomorrow

Late

Clock

Weekdays:
Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday
Saturday

Holiday

Weddingday

Birthday

Good day

Month:
January
February
March
April
May
June
July
August
September
October
November

December

Measurement:

Width

Length

Height

Weight
Planets

Sun

Moon

Mars

Mercury

Jupiter
Venus
Saturn
Rahuvu
Kethu
Snow
Sand
Rain
Thunder

Lightening

Cloud

Breeze

Wind

Shower
Floods
Flow
Swim

Birds:
Cock
Hen
Parrot

Dove

Peacock

Eagle

Crow

Sparrow
Animals:
- Swan
- Dog
- Cat
- Lion
- Tiger
Cow

Rabbit

Deer

Monkey

Pig

Camel
Leopard
Horse
Donkey
Fox
Elephant
Bull
Ox

Goat

Fish

Crocodile

Direction:

Left
Northeast

Northwest

Southeast

Southwest

Edge

Up
Down
Center
Corner
Side
Bottom
Inside
Mine

Me

He

She

They

Run

Walk
Sing
Come
Go
Where
Here
Why
There

Speak

Song

Stop

Stand

Open
Close
Jump
Wait
Hold
Give
Leave
Buy

Take

Write

Read

Sleep

Dream
Drink
Juice

Simple Sentences:
I will do it
I will not do it
I can do it
I cannot do it
I cooked the food

I finished eating

I cleaned the room

I can wash the dishes today

I always speak truth

I don't lie
You can go now

Please come later

I am not well

He can come now

He cannot come today

He can come tomorrow
He came yesterday

Have:
Do you have a pen?
Yes. I have a pen.

Do you have a bag?
Yes. I have a bag.

Do you have rice?
Yes. I have rice.

Do you have salt?

Do you need this?

I may need this.

Does:

Does he speak Telugu?

No. He speaks Tamil.
Can you write English?

Yes. I can write English.

Does he speak English?

Does she like fruits?

Yes. She likes fruits.

Does she like to read?
Yes. She reads a lot.

Did:

Did you meet him?

Yes. I met him.

Do you owe him anything?

No. I do not owe anything.

Has:

He has a pen.
He has no money.

He has the key.

For the priests:

Please pray God.

Now we will do Ganesh Puja.

Now we will do Navagraga Puja.

Now we will do Stayanarayana Puja.
Please repeat after me.

Please offer flowers to God.

Please offer yellow rice to God.

Please offer fruit to God.

Touch your forehead.

Touch your nose.
Take a spoonful of water.

Pour it in the right hand.

Drink the water.

Please stand up.

Please sit down.

Now we will read the story.
Now we will do Harati.

Please distribute the prasadams.

Sundries:
Sugar
Jaggery
Salt
Oil
Coconut
Sesame
Peanut
Ghee
Butter
Buttermilk
Yogurt
Pepper
Chilly
Rosewater
Rice
Mustard
Blackgram
Cardamom
Poppy
Garlic
Saffron
Cumin
Corriander
Wheat

గరుడ

Thoordal

మహీంభాయా

Tamarind

మరముకలు

Lemon

మాసం

Turmeric

పెషప్పరి

Cloves

పొనికి

Onion.

మాఖాలి
Raisins
Beans
Dates
Banana
Green banana
Potato
Eggplant
Bittergourd
Okra
Cucumber
Curry leaves
Ginger
Cut
Dry
Wet
Orange
Grapes
Jackfruit
Black

Red

Yellow

Blue

White

Green
Purple

Brown

Pink

Dark

Light

Bright
I saw a white cat

I have a blue color car

He likes red

They like blue

She likes yellow

It is cloudy
Jasmine smells good.

Snow is white

It is a red rose.

Give me a white shirt

These clothes are wet

Can you put them in the dryer?
డీ సం యొక్క సుందరం తెలుసు దుండగా?

విశ్వ యొక్క రాతియొక్క తెలుసు దుండగా?