

## Course Name: Learn Programming Fundamental with C

Course Code: GE4B-07

Mode- Offline/ Blended

Credits: 6

**Career Objective:** Programming is an increasingly important skill, whether you aspire to a career in software development, or in other fields. This course is the first in the specialization Introduction to Programming in C. Programming is fundamentally about figuring out how to solve a class of problems and writing the algorithm, a clear set of steps to solve any problem in its class. This course will introduce you to a powerful problem-solving process—the Seven Steps—which you can use to solve any programming problem. In this course, you will learn how to develop an algorithm, and then progress to reading code and understanding how programming concepts relate to algorithms.

The C language is particularly well suited as an introduction to coding: It's a tried-and-true language, and it allows understanding computing processes at a deep level.

Sl	Course Outcome	Mapped modules
CO1	Understanding program, programming and its requirements	M1
CO2	Understanding Algorithm	M2
CO3	Understanding Basic Data Type and Type conversion	M3
CO4	Understanding c programming fundamental, compiling Debugging, Running program	M4
CO5	Understanding Data Types flow of control	M5
CO6	Understanding Advance function recursion, array , pointer	M6

### Detailed Syllabus:

Module	Content	Total Hours	%age of questions	Blooms Level (if applicable)	Remarks (If any)
Module 1	will learn how to approach a programming problem methodically. This module discuss about to execute a piece of code by hand	11	10	2	
Module 2	Discussion about the basic data types, "non-number" types, and complex, custom types	11	10	2	
Module 3	History of C Compiling, debugging, and running a program with different examples	11	20	2,3	

Module 4	Logical operators, expressions, and short-circuit evaluation The conditional statement if and if-else The iterative statement	11	10	2	
Module 5	Enums as an ADT Enums code The C preprocessor Use assert for program correctness Assert code Introduction to struc	8	25	2,3	
Module 6	Intro to the ADT list List of one element code Full list code Details of list processing Honors: Introduction to binary trees	8	25	1,2,3	
		60	100		

**Module 1-**Discuss about a powerful process for solving any programming problem—the Seven Steps. You will learn how to approach a programming problem methodically, so you can formulate an algorithm that is specific and correct.

This module discuss about to execute a piece of code by hand, and clearly illustrate what each statement does and what the state of the program is.

**Module 2-** This module discuss about types beyond integers, both their conceptual representations, and their hardware representations in binary. Discussion about the basic data types, "non-number" types, and complex, custom types

**Module 3-**History of C  
Compiling, debugging, and running a program, Compiling, debugging, and running a program  
Example - Circle code  
Example – Marathon  
Simple input/output –Fahrenheit  
Simple input/output – miles  
Character sets and tokens  
Comments  
Keywords  
Identifiers  
Operators  
Expressions and precedence  
Expression and evaluation  
Declarations  
Fundamental types and size of  
The char type

**Module 4-**Logical operators, expressions, and short-circuit evaluation  
The conditional statement if and if-else  
The iterative statement while  
while-cnt-char-explained, while-code – example  
The for statement and its while analog  
oddball operators-conditional and commaternary-operator code example  
Break and continue and switch  
Function definition, Return statement  
Function prototype, Function variables—with call-by-value explained, Function definitions and scope rules  
Simple recursion, Recursion- factorial code  
Recursion Fibonacci code, Pointers and simple arrays, initialize arrays  
What is a pointer  
Call-by-reference simulated array as a parameter  
array-bubble-sort code  
merge sort overview

**Module 5-**Discussion about:-  
Enums as an ADT  
Enums code  
The C preprocessor  
Preprocessor code  
Use assert for program correctness  
Assert code  
Introduction to struc (More advanced ADTs)  
How to access struct members  
Introduction to the ADT stack  
Using a stack to reverse a string

**Module 6-**Discussion about:-  
Intro to the ADT list  
List of one element code  
Full list code  
Details of list processing  
Honors: Introduction to binary trees  
Honors: Detailed binary tree code  
Introduction to File I/O  
Basic File/I/O code  
Double Spacing a File  
Use of Main (argv, argc)  
Honors - List Code with deletion

**List of experiments:**

- 1) Understanding program, programming and its requirements
- 2) Program to display different data types and their type conversion
- 3) Understand different kinds of algorithm for different programs.
- 4) Program to Understanding Data Types flow of control
- 5) Program to Understanding Advance function recursion, array , pointer

**Suggested Reading:**

- 1) Let Us C by Yashavant Kanetkar
- 2) "The C Programming Language" by Brian W Kernighan / Dennis Ritchie