# 2.5 VOCABULARY USED IN LETTERS, E-MAILS AND REPORTS

#### Formal letters – salutation

- ❖ Respected sir/madam
- **❖** Sir/madam

### **Subscription**

- yours faithfully
- yours sincerely

#### **Informal letters – salutation**

- Dear friend
- Dear uncle
- Dear Krishna
- Dear Latha

## **Subscription**

yours lovingly

# **Reason for writing**

- ❖ I am writing to......
- ❖ I am writing with regard to....
- ❖ I am writing on behalf of ......

# **Asking questions**

- ❖ I would be grateful if ........
- Could you tell me something about .....?
- ❖ I would particularly like to know ........

# Referring to their letter

❖ As you stated in your letter......

•	Regarding
•	Concerning
•	With regard to
Complaining	
•	❖ I am writing to complain about
•	This is for your kind notice that
•	I would like to bring to your kind notice that
Closing	
•	❖ I look forward to hearing from you
•	If you require any further information, please contact me
Letter of application	
•	Sir,
•	* Respected sir,
Reason for writing	
•	With reference to your advertisement
•	❖ I am writing in response to your advertisement which I saw in the Hindu dated
Experience/ Qualification SERVE OF TIMEZE OUTSPREAD	
•	❖ I have been working for last four years
•	❖ Presently I am working
•	❖ I have completed my UG and PG in
•	Moreover, I have diploma in

## Useful vocabulary in e-mails

#### Salutation

- ❖ Dear sir/madam
- **❖** Sir
- ❖ To whom it may concern

## **Opening sentence**

# Replying

Thanks for your e-mail

#### Giving a reason

- ❖ I am writing to
- ❖ I would like to inform you
- ❖ I would like to reply

# Making enquires

- ❖ I would like to receive ....
- ❖ we would be grateful if ......
- could you please send me?

# Replying to an enquiry

- ❖ I am pleased to send you
- ❖ I hope you are satisfied with this
- **❖** Thanks for choosing

# Requesting action

- ❖ Can you send ..... to me by Thursday please
- Please keep in touch with

## Replying

Thanks for your email.... In replying to your email, here are....

Attaching files

- ❖ I am attaching
- I have attached
- Please find attached

#### Close

- **❖** Yours faithfully
- With regards
- ❖ See you

# Vocabulary in reports

The problem

❖ It is important.....

Response to the problem

- Therefore
- ❖ As a result

Way of dealing with the issue

- Approach
- Method

Action related to the issue

- \* Respond to
- **❖** Take account of
- ❖ Action you recommend
- **❖** To approve

- **❖** Should
- Ought to
- ❖ To be recommended

# Reason for a problem

- Create
- Induce
- Produce
- \* Results in

## Conclusions

- Support
- Should be understood as
- Demonstrate
- Establish

