Phone Etiquette and Voice Skills for Service Agents Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Customer Service and Customer Experience	**Duration**	5 Days
Base Fee	$1,500 USD	**Delivery Mode**	Online / On-site Hybrid

Course Introduction

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Through this course, participants will transform ordinary phone conversations into memorable customer experiences. The program emphasizes emotional intelligence, persuasive communication, and problem-solving under pressure, preparing service agents to handle challenging calls with confidence and tact. Using a blend of interactive workshops, role-playing, and scenario-based learning, learners will master the nuances of voice modulation, script adaptation, and customer rapport building. By the end of the course, service agents will demonstrate measurable improvements in customer satisfaction scores, first-call resolution, and overall service excellence, positioning themselves and their organizations as leaders in customer-centric communication.

Programme Curriculum

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Course Objectives

1. Master professional phone etiquette for superior customer interactions.
2. Develop effective voice modulation to convey confidence and empathy.
3. Enhance active listening skills to fully understand customer needs.
4. Apply conflict resolution techniques during challenging calls.
5. Improve call handling efficiency to optimize first-call resolution.
6. Build rapport and trust with diverse customer profiles.
7. Strengthen emotional intelligence for customer-focused communication.
8. Use persuasive communication to influence positive outcomes.
9. Adapt scripts and conversational techniques for personalized service.
10. Manage stressful situations while maintaining professional tone.
11. Identify and correct common phone communication mistakes.
12. Incorporate storytelling and case study analysis to improve service delivery.
13. Measure and improve performance metrics for service excellence.

Target Audience

1. Customer Service Representatives
2. Call Center Agents
3. Technical Support Executives
4. Sales Support Representatives
5. Helpdesk Professionals
6. Frontline Service Staff
7. Team Leaders in Customer Experience
8. Any professional involved in telephonic customer interactions

Course Modules

Module 1: Foundations of Phone Etiquette

- Importance of phone etiquette in customer experience
- Understanding customer expectations and communication styles
- Professional greetings and proper call opening techniques
- Maintaining clarity, tone, and pace in conversation
- **Case Study:** Handling a high-volume service desk scenario

Module 2: Voice Modulation and Tone Mastery

- Understanding pitch, pace, and volume for effective communication
- Techniques to convey empathy and authority
- Adapting tone based on customer emotions
- Vocal exercises to improve clarity and confidence
- **Case Study:** Transforming a frustrated customer call into a positive experience

Module 3: Active Listening & Effective Questioning

- Techniques to capture key customer information
- Using reflective listening to build rapport
- Open-ended vs. closed-ended questioning strategies
- Avoiding assumptions and biases during calls
- **Case Study:** Improving resolution time through active listening

Module 4: Call Handling and Management Skills

- Structuring calls for efficiency
- Handling multi-issue calls without losing control
- Strategies for smooth call transitions
- Setting realistic expectations and managing customer patience
- **Case Study:** Successful handling of a multi-department escalation

Module 5: Conflict Resolution and Difficult Conversations

- Identifying conflict triggers on calls
- De-escalation techniques for irate customers
- Using calm and assertive communication
- Turning complaints into opportunities for loyalty
- **Case Study:** Resolving a service failure complaint professionally

Module 6: Emotional Intelligence in Phone Communication

- Recognizing customer emotions and responding appropriately
- Managing personal stress during high-pressure calls
- Techniques for empathy without compromising professionalism
- Leveraging emotional intelligence for better outcomes
- **Case Study:** Enhancing customer satisfaction through empathetic listening

Module 7: Personalization and Rapport Building

- Customizing conversation based on customer profile
- Storytelling techniques for engagement

- Recognizing and mirroring customer communication style
- Building long-term relationships via telephone
- **Case Study:** Personalizing service to increase repeat business

Module 8: Performance Measurement & Continuous Improvement

- Monitoring key metrics: call time, resolution rate, satisfaction scores
- Self-assessment and peer feedback strategies
- Continuous improvement through scenario-based practice
- Leveraging customer feedback for service enhancement
- **Case Study:** Implementing a quality improvement plan in a call center

Training Methodology

This course employs a participatory and hands-on approach to ensure practical learning, including:

- Interactive lectures and presentations.
- Group discussions and brainstorming sessions.
- Hands-on exercises using real-world datasets.
- Role-playing and scenario-based simulations.
- Analysis of case studies to bridge theory and practice.
- Peer-to-peer learning and networking.
- Expert-led Q&A sessions.
- Continuous feedback and personalized guidance.

Register as a group from 3 participants for a Discount

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Certification

Upon successful completion of this training, participants will be issued with a globally- recognized certificate.

Tailor-Made Course

We also offer tailor-made courses based on your needs.

Key Notes

a. The participant must be conversant with English.

b. Upon completion of training the participant will be issued with an Authorized Training Certificate

c. Course duration is flexible and the contents can be modified to fit any number of days.

d. The course fee includes facilitation training materials, 2 coffee breaks, buffet lunch and A Certificate upon successful completion of Training.

e. One-year post-training support Consultation and Coaching provided after the course.

f. Payment should be done at least a week before commence of the training, to Fineskill Training Center account, as indicated in the invoice so as to enable us prepare better for you.

Upcoming Scheduled Sessions

Start Date	End Date	Location	Price
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Online	$1,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$1,500
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$3,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$3,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$6,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$4,500
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$6,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$6,000

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