MANNAR THIRUMALAI NAICKER COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS)
PASUMALAI, MADURAI – 625004
DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH
SYLLABUS

# **SEMESTER - I**

Subject Code	Course/Subject	Contact Hrs/ Week	Credits	Max. Marks CA	Max. Marks SE	Total
15UTAG11	Tamil –I: ,f;fhyf;ftpijAk; rpWfijAk;	6	3	25	75	100
15UENG11	English-I: Language Through Literature-1	6	3	25	75	100
15UENC11	The Age of Shakespeare	6	4	25	75	100
15UENC12	The Age of Milton	5	4	25	75	100
15UENA11	Advanced English Grammar and Usage(Allied)	5	4	25	75	100
15UEVG11	Environmental studies	2	2	25	75	100
	Total	30	20	150	450	600

# II Semester

Subject Code	Course/Subject	Contact Hrs/ Week	Credits	Max. Marks CA	Max. Marks SE	Total
15UTAG21	Tamil –II: ,ilf;fhy ,yf;fpaKk; GjpdKk;	6	3	25	75	100
15UENG21	English-II: Language Through Literature-II	6	3	25	75	100
15UENC21	The Neo classical Age	6	4	25	75	100
15UENC22	The Age of Wordsworth	5	4	25	75	100
15UENA21	Social History of England	5	4	25	75	100
15UVLG21	Value Education	2	2	25	75	100
	Total	30	20	150	450	600

# $\underline{Semester-III}$

Code No.	Course/Subject	Contact Hrs/Week	Credits	Max. Marks CA	Max. Marks SE	Total
15UTAG31	Part I :Tamil Kappiya Ilakiyamum Nadagamum	6	3	75	25	100
15UENG31	Part II: English Language Through Literature-III	6	3	75	25	100
15UENC31	The Age of Tennyson	5	4	75	25	100
15UENC32	Literary Forms	5	5	75	25	100
15UENA31	History of English Literature-I	4	4	75	25	100
15UENS31	Part IV : Word Power	2	2	75	25	100
15UENN31	English for Competitive Examination -I	2	2	75	25	100
	Total	30	23			700

Code No.	Course/Subject	Contact Hrs/Week	Credits	Max. Marks CA	Max. Marks SE	Total
15UTAG41	Part I :Tamil	6	3	75	25	100
	SangaIlakiyamumUrainadaiyum					
15UENG41	Par II: English	6	3	75	25	100
	Language Through Literature-IV					
15UENC41	The Age of Hardy	5	4	75	25	100
15UENC42	Phonetics and Transcriptions	4	4	75	25	100
15UENA41	History of English Literature – II	5	4	75	25	100
15UENS41	Part IV : Creative Writing	2	2	75	25	100
15UENN41	English for Competitive	2	2	75	25	100
	Examination -II					
15UETN41	NCC	-	1			100
15UETN42	NSS					
15UETN43	Physical Education					
15UETN44	Red Ribbon Club					
15UETN45	Youth Red Cross Club					
	Total	30	23			800

# **SEMESTER-V**

Subject Code	Title of the Paper	Hours Week	Credits	Maximum Marks			
				Int	Ext	Total	
15UENC51	Twentieth Century Literature	6	5	75	25	100	
15UENC52	American Literature	5	5	75	25	100	
15UENC53	Indian Writing in English	5	5	75	25	100	
15UENC54	Women's Writing in English	5	5	75	25	100	
15UENA51	Literary Criticism-I	5	4	75	25	100	
15UENS51	Part IV Skill Based Paper III Film Appreciation	2	2	75	25	100	
15UENS52	Part IV Skill Based Paper IV Journalism and Mass Communication	2	2	75	25	100	
	Total	30	28	525	175	700	

Subject Code	Title of the Paper	Hours Week	Credits	Maximum Marks			
				Int	Ext	Total	
15UENC61	Shakespeare	5	4	75	25	100	
15UENC62	New Literatures in English	5	4	75	25	100	
15UENC63	English Language Teaching	5	5	75	25	100	
15UENC64	Literature of the Marginalized	6	5	75	25	100	
15UENA61	Literary Criticism- II & Literary Theory (Elective)	5	4	75	25	100	
15UENS61	Part IV Skill Based Paper IV Translation Theory and Practice	2	2	75	25	100	
15UENS62	Part IV Skill Based Paper VI English for Employment	2	2	75	25	100	
	Total	30	26	525	175	700	



Class : UG Part II : English

Semester : I Hours : 06 Sub Code : 15UENG11 Credits : 03

#### LANGUAGE THROUGH LITERATURE - I

#### **Unit -I: POETRY**

- 1. William Blake The Tyger.
- 2. William Wordsworth The Solitary Reaper.
- 3. John Keats La Belle Dame Sans Merci.
- 4. Alfred Tennyson Ulysses.

#### **Unit -II: PROSE**

- 1. Samuel Smiles Self Culture.
- 2. W. Somerset Maugham The Luncheon.
- 3. Jawaharlal Nehru Means and Ends.
- 4. Ishbel Ross Helen Keller.

#### **Unit-III: SHORT STORY**

- 1. Rev. G. W.Cox Orpheus and Eurydice.
- 2. Guy De Maupassant At the Church Door.
- 3. Hans Anderson -It Is Quite True.
- 4. Don Quixote and The Windmills (adapted from the Spanish of Cervantes).

#### **Unit- IV: GRAMMAR**

- 1. Noun
- 2. Pronoun
- 3. Adjectives.
- 4. Adverbs.
- 5. Articles.
- 6. Verbs- Transitive and Intransitive;

Regular and Irregular.

Auxiliary Verb.

- 7. Conjunction.
- 8. Tag Questions.

## **Unit- V: COMPOSITION**

- 1. Reading Comprehension.
- 2. Précis Writing.
- 3. Note Making.

# **Books Recommended:**

- 1. V.Ayothi and Prof .S.A. Sankaranarayanan, An Anthology of Poems for the Young.
- 2. K.Chellappan, Creative Communication, Emerald Publishers, Chennai, 2008.
- 3. V.Ayothi and S.A. Sankaranarayanan, Nine Telling Tales.
- 4. G. Radhakrishna Pillai, **Emerald English Grammar Composition**, Emerald Publishers, Chennai, 2008.



Class : BA (English) Part III : Core
Semester : I Hours : 06
Sub Code : 15UENC11 Credits : 05

#### THE AGE OF SHAKESPEARE

# **Objectives:**

i) To enable the students to understand, analyse and appreciate literary texts in various genres during the age of Shakespeare.

- ii) To assist the students to appreciate the social, cultural, historical, political and artistic milieu which have produced the texts.
- iii) To help the students to develop an aesthetic taste for literary texts.

# Unit –I:

Edmund Spencer Epithalamion

Amoretti – One day I wrote her name upon the strand

Samuel Daniel From Delia – Let others sing of knights and paladins

**Unit-II:** 

Sir Thomas Wyatt I Find No Peace

Earl of Surrey My Friend, the Things That Do Attain.

William Shakespeare Sonnet 116, Let me not to the marriage of true minds

**Unit- III:** 

Bacon's Essays Of Marriage and Single Life, Of Parents and Children, Of

**Studies** 

**Unit-IV**:

Christopher Marlowe Edward II

Unit- V:

Thomas Dekker The Shoemaker's Holiday

#### **Texts for Reference:**

- 1. Green, David. **The Winged Word**. Macmillan, New Delhi, 1974.
- 2. Abrams, M.H. **The Norton Anthology of English Literature**, Vol.1, New York WW, Norton and co.Inc.1962.
- 3. Hall, Donald. Faber Book of Modern Verse, Faber and Faber, London, 1965.



Class :BA (English) Part III : Core
Semester : I Hours : 06
Sub Code : 15UENC12 Credits: : 05

#### THE AGE OF MILTON

# **Objectives:**

- i) To introduce the students to the memorable literary texts in various genres during the Age of Milton
- ii) To enlighten the students on the salient features of the Puritan age
- iii) To enable the students to understand social and cultural contexts that have produced the texts.

**Unit-I**:

John Milton Paradise Lost Book IV

Unit -II:

Richard Crashaw The Flaming Heart

John Donne The Bait

Andrew Marvell To His Coy Mistress

Henry Vaughan The Retreat

Thomas Carew Persuasion of Love

**Unit -III:** 

King James Version – The Gospel according to St.Mark.

Unit -IV:

Ben Jonson The Alchemist

**Unit-V:** 

John Bunyan The Pilgrim's Progress

#### **Texts for Reference:**

- 1. Green David. **The Winged Word**. Macmillan, New Delhi, 1974.
- 2. Abrams, M.H. et al. **The Norton Anthology of English Literature,** Vol.2 New York WW. Norton and co.Inc.1962.



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### **DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH**

Class : BA (English) Part III : Core

Semester : I Hours : 06

Sub Code : 15UENA11 Credits : 05

### ADVANCED ENGLISH GRAMMAR AND USAGE

# **Objectives:**

- i) To enable the students to get acquainted with the fundamental knowledge of the purpose of modern grammar.
- ii) To help the students to get acquainted with the structure of modern grammar.
- iii) To enable the learners to apply grammatical knowledge in spoken English and written English with the grammatical structure.
- iv) To impart a working knowledge of the basic rules of the English language to the students.
- v) To develop the skills of structures in written and spoken English and help the students gain confidence.
- vi) To equip the students with the required language skills to understand modern English grammar and usage.

**Unit -I:** Parts of Speech

Sentence Structure

Kinds of Sentences

**Unit -II:** Nouns and Classifications

**Pronouns** 

Adjectives

Adverbs

**Unit-III:** Verbs and its kinds

Tenses and their uses

Modals

Conjunctions

Concord

**Unit-IV:** Transformation of Sentences-

Voice

Direct and Indirect

Degrees of Comparison

Simple compound complex

**Unit -V**: Figures of Speech and Idiomatic Expression.

Simile, Metaphor, Fable, Parable, Allegory, Personification,

Metonymy, Synecdoche, Transferred Epithet, Hyperbole,

Alliteration, Onomatopoeia, Euphemism, Apostrophe, Climax,

Interrogation.

Idioms.

#### **Texts for Reference:**

 G. Radhakrishna Pillai. English Grammar and Composition. Emerald Publishers, Chennai, 2002.

2. Nesfield, J.C. **English Grammar, Composition and Usage**. (Revised and adopted by N.K. Aggarwala and F.T. Wood) Macmillan, Chennai, New Edition, 2004.

3. David Green, Contemporary English Grammar: Structures & Composition, Macmillan Publishers India, New Delhi, 2000.



Class : MA (English) Paper : Core
Semester : I Hours : 06
Sub Code : 15PENC11 Credits : 05

#### ELIZABETHAN AND JACOBEAN ERAS

# **Objectives:**

• To understand the literary sensibility of the Elizabethan and Jacobean periods

• To appreciate the texts in terms of themes, techniques and culture

To gain an insight into the lives and works of the writers prescribed

**Unit- I: Poetry** 

Geoffrey Chaucer : Prologue to the Canterbury Tales (in Modern English

Translation)

Edmund Spenser : Epithalamion

**Unit- II: Poetry** 

John Donne : 1. The Good Morrow

2. The Ecstasy

3. A Valediction: Forbidding Mourning

George Herbert : 1. The Pulley

2. Affliction

**Unit-III: Prose** 

Francis Bacon's Essays : Of Marriage and Single Life, Of Studies, Of Death,

Of Ambition, Of Goodness and Goodness of Nature

Sir Philip Sydney : An Apology for Poetry

Unit- IV: Drama

Christopher Marlowe : Edward II

John Webster : The White Devil

**Unit- V: Fiction** 

William Painter : The Story of Romeo and Julietta (translated from Bandello)
T. J. B. Spencer : The Story of Disdemona of Venice and Moorish Captain

(translated from Gli Hecatommithi.)

### **Books for references:**

1. M. H.Abrams General Editor, **The Norton Anthology of English Literature**, Volume-1, W.W. Norton Company, New York USA, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition, 1974. (Unit I,II and III)

2. Long, J. William. **English Literature: Its History and Significance**, Kalyani Publishers, New Delhi, 2007. (Unit IV)

3. G. Benson Sonia, **Elizabethan World Reference Library**, UXL, Newyork, USA, 1<sup>st</sup> Edition, 2006. (Unit V)

4. T.J.B. Spencer, Elizabethan Love Stories, Ed. Penguin Publisher, London, 1968. (Unit III)



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#### DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

Class : MA (English) Paper : Core Semester : I Hours : 06 Sub Code : 15PENC12 Credits : 05

#### **SHAKESPEARE**

# **Objectives**

- To gain a deeper insight into the works of Shakespeare by understanding themes and techniques of Shakespearean plays and sonnets.
- To appreciate the works of Shakespeare through performance in the classroom by the teachers and the students.

Unit - I: Poetry : Sonnets 1 to 10

Unit - II: Tragedy : King Lear

**Unit - III: History** : Henry IV – Part I

**Unit - IV: Romantic Comedy** : Twelfth Night

**Unit - V: Shakespeare Criticism** 

A.C. Bradley : The Substance of Shakespearean Tragedy

Caroline F.E Spurgeon : Leading Motives in the Imagery of Shakespeare's

Tragedies.

Stephen Greenblatt : Shakespeare and the Exorcists M. M. Reese : Origins of the History Play J. Dover Wilson : Falstaff and the Prince S. C. Sen Gupta : The Nature of the Comic

Middle Comedies

#### **Books for references:**

- 1. A.C. Bradley, **Shakespearean Tragedy**, Indian Edition. Atlantic Publishers & Distributors, UP, 2010. (Unit V)
- 2. Eugene M. Walth, **Shakespeare the Histories**, Prentice Hall Inc, US,1965. (Unit V)
- 3. S. C.Sen Gupta, **Shakespearian Comedy**, Oxford University Press, Toronto, 1985. (Unit V)
- 4. **The Complete Works of William Shakespeare,** Mohan Primal for Oxford and IBH Publishing Co. Pvt. Ltd., London, 2009. (Unit I to IV)



Class : MA (English) Paper : Core
Semester : I Hours : 06
Sub Code : 15PENC13 Credits : 05

#### **CAROLINE AND RESTORATION ERAS**

# **Objectives:**

• To gain knowledge of the literary aspects of the Puritan and Restoration Era

• To understand the dramatic and theatrical conventions of Restoration plays

• To appreciate the uniqueness of the literary and stylistic features of 17th century works

**Unit-I: Poetry** 

John Milton : Paradise Lost Book I

Andrew Marvel : The Garden

John Dryden : A Song for St. Cecilia's Day

**Unit-II: Prose** 

John Milton : Areopagitica

John Dryden : An Essay of Dramatic Poesy

Unit-III: Drama

John Dryden : All for Love

**Unit- IV: Drama** 

William Congreve : The Way of the world

**Unit- V: Fiction** 

John Bunyan : The Pilgrim's Progress

Jonathan Swift : A Tale of a Tub

#### **Books for references:**

1. M.H .Abraham, **The Norton anthology of English Literature**. Vol. I and II, W.W. Norton Company, Inc, Newyork, 1962. (Unit I, II, III, IV)

2. William Congreve, **The Way of the World**, Orient Longman Private Limited, New Delhi, 2007. (Unit- V)



Class : MA (English) Paper : Core
Semester : I Hours : 06
Sub Code : 15PENC14 Credits : 05

## HISTORY OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE

# **Objectives**

- To study the history of English Language
- To study the Foreign Elements in English
- To learn the changes in meaning, spelling and varieties of English

# Unit - I:

Four Major Theories in the Origin of Language Place of English in the Indo-European Family of Languages

#### Unit - II:

Grimm's Law and Verner's Law Foreign Elements/Latin, Greek, French, Scandinavian

## Unit - III:

Word-making in English

**Semantics** 

## Unit - IV:

History of English Spelling and Spelling Reform

Makers of English

#### Unit - V:

Standard English

English as a Library Language

English as a Global Language

#### **Books for references**

- 1. T. Frederick Wood, **An Outline History of English Language,** Macmillan India Press, Chennai, Second Edition, 2008. (Unit I, III,V)
- 2. Otto Jespersen, **Growth and Structure of the English Language**, Oxford University Press, New York, 1982. (Unit- II,III)
- 3. C.Albert Baugh, **A History of the English Language**, Allied Publishers Private Limited, New Delhi, 1973. (Unit-IV,V)



Class : MA (English) Paper : Skill Based

Semester : I Hours : 06 Sub Code : 15PENE11 Credits : 05

#### **SOFT SKILLS**

# **Objectives:**

- To facilitates students' effective communication in today's business world.
- To make the students study the inspiring leadership excellence and dynamic communication.
- To enhance the knowledge of students about team building and time management skills.

#### **Unit - I:** Life Skills

1) Types of Attitudes 2) Emotional Intelligence 3) Understanding Emotions 4) Managing Emotions.

# **Unit - II: Interpersonal Skills**

1) Positive Character Traits 2) Formal Interpersonal Skills 3) Defiance 4) Lack of Cooperation

# **Unit - III: Time and Stress Management**

- 1) Major Blocks to Time Management 2) Time Management Techniques 3) Cause of Job Stress
- 4) How to Manage Job Stress

## **Unit - IV: Corporate Skills**

1) Traits of Leadership 2) Leaders vs. Managers 3) Telephone Etiquette 4) Career Planning

#### **Unit - V: Interview Skills**

1) Types of Interviews 2) Preparation for the Interview 3) Group Discussion 4) Mock-Interview

# **Books for Reference:**

- 1. S.Hariharan, N.Sundararajan, S.P.Shanmugapriya, **Soft Skills,** MJP publishers, Chennai, 2010. (Unit I to V)
- 2. Townsend Roz, **Presentation Skills for the Upwardly Mobile**, Emerald Publishers, Chennai, 2009. (Unit V)



Class : M.Phil (English) Paper : Core
Semester : I Hours : 06
Sub Code : 15LENC11 Credits : 05

#### RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

The Principal objective of this Paper is to enlighten the students on the methods and mechanisms of Research

## Unit-I: The Politics of Research Meaning and Definition of Research

- 1. Types of Research
- 2. Quantitative and Qualitative and other approaches
- 3. Review of Literature
- 4. Identifying Research Gaps
- 5. Formulating Research Topic.

#### **Unit-II: The Mechanics of Research**

- 1. The organisation of the thesis
- 2. Data collection Primary and Secondary Sources
- 3. Different Kinds of Bibliography works cited
- 4. Mechanics of thesis writing
- 5. Modes of thesis writing-Expository, Argumentative, Persuasive narrative and descriptive etc.

#### **Unit-III: Documentation**

- 1. Documentation of various sources.
- 2. City sources like books, periodical & non-periodical publications, non-print sources, electronic publications, sources in the text.
- 3. Format of the works cited
- 4. Format of the arrangement of entries
- 5. Citing sources in the text, abbreviations, notes, footnotes, biographic notes, Tables and figures.

## **Unit-IV: Organisation of the Thesis**

- 1. Introduction, purpose and significance of the study.
- 2. Formulation of hypotheses procedure for data collection
- 3. Findings of the data interpretation, validation of hypotheses
- 4. Conclusions and Recommendations.

#### **Unit-V: Ethics in Research**

- 1. Credentials of the researcher
- 2. Principles of concept and confidentiality
- 3. Plagiarism.
- 4. Tampering with data or duplicating interpretation or findings.

#### **Prescribed Text:**

1. Gibaldi, Joseph MCA Handbook for Writers of Research Papers, New Delhi: EWP, 2009.

## **Suggested Readings:**

- 1. M.S. Sridhar, Research Methodology Full Text Available on Internet.
- 2. Berrs Ralph, The Research Project: How to Write it. Routledge, London, 1994.
- 3. Oliver, Paul, Writing Your Thesis, Vistaar Publications, New Delhi, 2004.
- 4. H.H. Stern, **Chapter 7 in Fundamental Concepts of Language Teaching,** pages 53-68, OUP 1983-1984.

Class : M.Phil (English) Paper : Core Semester : I Hours : 06 Sub code : 15LENC12 Credits : 05

# ADVANCED LITERARY THEORIES

# **Unit-I: Introduction to Literary Theory**

- 1. The History of English studies
- 2. Ten tenets of liberal humanism
- 3. Literary theorising from Aristotle to Leavis- some key moments
- 4. Liberal humanism in practice
- 5. The transition to 'theory'
- 6. Some recurrent ideas in critical theory

## **Unit-II: Formalism and Structuralism**

1. Viktor Shklovsky : "Art as Technique"

2. Ferdinand de Saussure : "The Object of Study" &

"Nature of the Linguistic Sign"

3. Gerard Genette : "Structuralism and Literary Criticism"

(From Modern Criticism and Theory – David Lodge)

#### **Unit-III: Post structure and Deconstruction**

- 1. Jacques Derrida: "Structure, Sign and Play in the Discourse of the Human Sciences"
- 2. Roland Barthes: "The Death of the Author"
- 3. M.H. Abrams: "The Deconstructive Angel"
- 4. Paul de Man: "The Resistance to Theory"

# Unit-IV: Post-modernism, Psychoanalysis and Feminism

- 1. Terry Eagleton: Capitalism, Modernism and Postmodernism (Modern Critics and Theory, David Lodge)
- 2. Jacques Lacan: "The Insistence of the Letter in the Unconscious"
- 3. Gayatri Chakravorty : Feminism and Critical Theory (Modern Criticism and Theory David Lodge)
- 4. Elaine Showalter: Towards a Feminist Poetics

#### **Unit-V: Post Colonialism and Culture Studies**

- 1. Edward Said : Crisis (Selection from Orientalism)
- 2. Bhaba, Homi: 'The Other Question

(from Contemporary post colonial Theory, ed, Mangia, Padmini)

(from Homi k, Bhabha The location of Culture Routledge, Lond)

- 3. Stephen Greenblatt: The Circulation of social energy
  - (from Modern Criticism and Theory by David Lodge)
- 4. Stuart Hall: Cultural Identity, and Diaspora

#### **Texts Prescribed**

- 1. Barry, Beginning Theory: An Introduction Literary and Cultural Theory, 2010.
- 2. Lodge, Modern Criticism and Theory, 1988.
- 3. Eagleton, Literary Theory: An Introduction, 1983.

- 4. Said, Orientalism, 1978.
- 5. Bhabha, **The Location of Culture**, 2004.



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Sub code : 15LENC13 Credits : 05

#### CONTEMPORARY ENGLISH LITERATURE

#### **Unit-I: Prose**

1. Freedom at Midnight - Larry Collins and Dominique

Lapierre

2. Our Urgent Need for Self - Esteem - Nathaniel Branden

3. Corruption: Causes, Consequences and Agenda for Further Research -Paulo Mauro

4. Imaginary Homelands – Salman Rushdie

(from Salman Rushdie, Imaginary Homelands: Essays and Criticism 1981 – 1991)

London: Granta Books, 1992

#### **Prescribed Text**

K. Elango. Ed. Insights: A Course in English Literature and Language Orient Blackswan, 2009.

# **Unit-II: Poetry**

1. Maya Angelou - Phenomenal Woman

2. Syed Amanuddin - Don't call me Indo-Anglian

3. Larkin - The Whitsun Wedding

4. Judith Wright - Typists in the Phonix Building

5. Margaret - Journey to the Interior

# From **Anthology of Commonwealth Poetry** – C.D. Narasimhaiah

# **Unit-III: Fiction**

1. Arundhati Roy - The God of Small things

2. Michael Odaantji - The English Patient

3. J.M. Coetzee - The Disgrace

### **Unit-IV: Short Story**

1. Jumpa Lahiri - Interpreter of Maladies.

2. M.G. Vassanji - Leaving

3. Alice Munro - The Progress of Love

4. Old Love - Jeffrey Archer

(from The College Short Stories)

5. A Wife's Story - Bharati Mukherjee (from Imagining America: Short stories)

#### Unit-V: Drama

1. Girish Karnad: The Fire and the Rain

2. Sharon Pollock, **Blood Relations**, Newest Press, Canada, 2002.



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Semester : II Hours : 06 Sub Code : 15UENG21 Credits : 03

#### LANGUAGE THROUGH LITERATURE-II

#### **Unit -I: POETRY**

- 1. Robert Browning Incident of the French Camp.
- 2. David Herbert Lawrence Snake.
- 3. Thomas Streans Eliot The journey of the Magi.
- 4. Wystan Hugh Auden As I Walked out one Evening.

#### **Unit -II: PROSE**

- 1. H.G Wells The Truth about Pyecraft.
- 2. A.G.Gardiner On Saying Please.
- 3. Bertrand Russell Can we keep open Minds?
- 4. A.P.J.AbdulKalam My Visions for India

#### **Unit -III :ONE ACT PLAY**

- 1. Bertolt Brecht The Informer.
- 2. William Saroyan Hello Out There.
- 3. Tennesse Williams Lord Byron's Love Letter.
- 4. Anton Chekhov The Boor.

#### **Unit-IV: GRAMMAR**

- 1. Tense.
- 2. Voice.
- 3. Transformation of Sentences (Simple, Compound, Complex ).
- 4. Conditionals.
- 5. Direct and Indirect.
- 6. Prepositions.

# **Unit - V: COMPOSITION:**

- 1. Report Writing.
- 2. Dialogue Writing.
- 3. Drafting an Email.

#### **Books Recommended:**

- 1. V.Ayothi and S.A. Sankaranarayanan, **An Anthology of Poems for the Young**.
- 2. K.Chellappan, Creative Communication, Emerald Publishers, Chennai, 2008.
- 3. V.Ayothiand.S.A. Sankaranarayanan, Nine Telling Tales.
- 4. G. RadhakrishnaPillai, **Emerald English Grammar Composition**, Emerald Publishers, Chennai, 2008.

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Class :BA (English) Part III : Core
Semester : II Hours : 05
Sub Code : 15UENC21 Credits : 04

# THE NEO CLASSICAL AGE

#### **Objectives:**

i) To introduce the students to the dominant writers representing the spirit of the age.

ii) To help the students to understand the writers' diverse approach and styles of writing in dealing with a wide range of themes and their contexts.

iii) To expose the students to different varieties of genres and its importance in literary studies.

iv) To highlight the cultural and social changes that have taken place down the centuries.

Unit -I:

Alexander Pope The Rape of the Lock

Thomas Gray Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard

Unit - II:

John Dryden Mac Flecknoe William Blake The Lamb

Unit -III:

Joseph Addison Sir Roger at the Church

Richard Steele Of the Club

Oliver Goldsmith The Man in Black

Unit - IV:

Richard Brinsley Sheridan The School for Scandal

Unit – V:

Jonathan Swift Gulliver's Travels Voyages I&II

#### **Texts for Reference:**

- 1. David Green, **The Winged Word**. Macmillan, New Delhi, 1974.
- 2. (ed) Ram Narayan Panda, **Magic Casements**, Macmillan, New Delhi, 2011.
- 3. A.S Cairn Cross Eight Essayists, Macmillan, New Delhi, 2009.
- 4. M.S. Nair, Galaxy of English Essayists, Trinity, New Delhi, 2014.
- 5. Swift, Jonathan, (ed) Srinivasan, Seetha, **Gulliver's Travels**. Orient Black Swan, Hyderabad, 2010.



Class :BA (English) Part III : Core
Semester : II Hours : 05
Sub Code : 15UENC22 Credits : 04

#### THE AGE OF WORDSWORTH

## **Objectives:**

i) To impart an over-all knowledge to the students about the different genres and writers of the age

ii) To enable the students to appreciate different styles of poetry, prose and fiction of this literary age.

iii) To enlighten the students on the important movements in English literature.

**iv**) To encourage the students to analyse poetic expressions in the context of social and literary movements.

#### Unit -I:

William Wordsworth Tintern Abbey
Percy Bysshe Shelley Ode to Skylark

John Keats Ode on a Grecian Urn.

Unit -II:

Samuel Taylor Coleridge The Rime of the Ancient Mariner.

Robert Southey After Blenheim.

Lord Byron She walks in Beauty

Unit -III:

Charles Lamb A Dissertation upon a Roast Pig

In praise of Chimney Sweepers

Dream children: A Reverie

Unit -IV:

Jane Austen Pride and Prejudice

Unit - V:

Sir Walter Scott Ivanhoe

#### **Texts for Reference:**

- 1. Barber Charles, **Poetry in English: An Introduction**, The Macmillan Press ltd, London, 1983.
- 2. Boulton, Morjorie, **The Anatomy of Poetry**, Kalyani Publishers, New Delhi, 1979.
- 3. Green David. The Winged Word. Macmillan, New Delhi, 1974.

4. Minto, William. **A Manuel of English Prose Literature**, Atlantiv Publishers and Distributors, New Delhi, 1995.

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# MANNAR THIRUMALAI NAICKER COLLEGE (Autonomous) DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

Class :BA (English) Part III : Core
Semester : II Hours : 06
Sub Code : 15UENA21 Credits : 04

### SOCIAL HISTORY OF ENGLAND

# **Objectives:**

- i) To prepare the students with a basic knowledge of the political and social history of England with the special reference to important incidents and movements in English history.
- ii) To help the learners to understand many social changes over the centuries.
- iii) To understand politics, diplomacy and intellectual and constitutional aspects.
- iv) To highlight the enormous shift in all aspects of human life.
- v) To introduce the students to English society and History of England.
- vi) To enable the students to have a bird's eye view of the nation whose literature they propose to study.

#### Unit -I:

- i) Renaissance
- ii) Reformation
- iii) The Golden Age of Queen Elizabeth

# Unit -II:

- i) The Civil War
- ii) The Social Condition in Restoration England
- iii) The Social Condition in Queen Anne's England

#### **Unit- III:**

- i) The Agrarian Revolution
- ii) The Glorious Revolution
- iii) The Industrial Revolution

#### Unit -IV:

- i) The Humanitarian Movement
- ii) The Social Conditions in Eighteenth Century England
- iii) Impact of French Revolution on England
- iv) The American War of Independence

# Unit - V:

- i) Scientific, Industrial, Political changes in Queen Victoria's England
- ii) The Impact of the First World War and the Second World war
- iii) Social Conditions in Post-War England

# **Texts for References:**

- 1. Xavier, **The Social History of England**, Viswanathan publications, Chennai.
- 2. G.M. Trevelyan, **English Social History**, A Survey of Six Centuries, Chaucer to Queen Victoria (London: Book Club Associates for Longman, 1973; first published 1944)



Class : MA (English) Paper : Core
Semester : II Hours : 06
Sub Code : 15PENC21 Credits : 05

#### AUGUSTAN AND ROMANTIC ERAS

## **Objectives**

- To make the students become familiar with Romantic Movement and Background.
- To make the students know about Distinctive Writers of Augustan and Romantic Era.
- To make the students understand Notable Features and Common Elements in Romanticism.

### Unit - I: Poetry

Pope: Essay on Man (Epistle 1).

## Unit - II: Poetry

Wordsworth: Ode on Intimations of Immortality from Recollections of Early Childhood

Keats: The Eve of St. Agnes Shelley: England in 1819 The Indian Girl's song

# Unit - III: Prose

Dr. Johnson: Lives of the Poets: Life of Milton

Shelley: A Defence of Poetry

## Unit - IV: Drama

R.B.Sheridan: The School for Scandal

#### Unit - V: Fiction

Jane Austen: Northanger Abbey Sir WalterScott: The Talisman

#### **Books for Reference:**

- 1. M.H Abrams, **The Norton Anthology of English Literature**, Vol. 2 W.W.Norton and Co.Inc, New York, 1962. (Unit I and II)
- 2. Harold Bloom.P.B.Shelley, **Selected Poetry,** The New American Library, Inc., London, 1996. (Unit III)
- 3. Johnson, Lives of the Poets, Newyork, Bibliolife, 2008. (Unit III)



Class : MA (English) Paper : Core
Semester : II Hours : 06
Sub Code : 15PENC22 Credits : 05

#### VICTORIAN ERA

# **Objectives:**

• To understand and evaluate critically the Victorian Era through Literature through its four genres.

# **Unit - I: Poetry**

Lord Alfred Tennyson : Ulysses, The Lotus Eaters

Robert Browning : Andrea del Sarto Matthew Arnold : The Scholar Gipsy

Unit - II: Poetry

Gerald Manley Hopkins : The Wreck of the Deutschland

Dante Gabriel Rossetti : The Blessed Damozel

Thompson : The Hound of Heaven

Unit - III: Prose

Matthew Arnold : The Study of Poetry Thomas Carlyle : The Hero as A Poet

Unit - IV: Drama

Oscar Wilde : Lady Windermere's Fan

Unit - V: Fiction

Charles Dickens : Great Expectations
George Eliot : The Mill on the Floss
Thomas Hardy : Tess of the D'Urbervilles

# **Books for References:**

- 1. Margaret Stonyk, **Macmillan History of Literature, Nineteenth Century English Literature,** (Ed Jeffares, Norman) MacMillan Education Ltd, Chennai, 1986. (Unit I, III, IV and V)
- 2. M.H .Abrams, **The Norton Anthology of English Literature**, Vol II, W.W, Norton and Co.Inc. New York, 1962. (Unit I and II)



Class : MA (English) Paper : Core Semester : II Hours : 06 Sub Code : 15PENC23 Credits : 04

#### **AMERICAN LITERATURE**

# **Objectives:**

• To make the students understand the different aspects of American Literature with its background.

• To make them read and analyze the poetry, prose, fiction and drama in American Literature

• To study the trends in American literary scenario from Transcendentalism to Modernism.

# **Unit - I: Poetry**

Edgar Allan Poe : Ulalume- A Ballad

Walt Whitman : Out of the Cradle Endlessly Rocking Emily Dickinson : 1. I never lost as much but twice.

2.It Was not Death

3. I felt a funeral in my brain

4. I died for Beauty. 5. I like a look of

Agony

## **Unit - II: Poetry**

Robert Frost : The Death of the Hired Man

Ezra Pound : Canto XLV
Langston Hughes : Freedom Train

Wallace Stevens : The Emperor of the Ice cream William Carols Williams : Burning the Christmas Greens

Unit - III: Prose

Ralph Waldo Emerson : The American Scholar

Henry David Thoreau : Where I Lived, and What I Lived For

Martin Luther King, Jr. : I Have a Dream

**Unit - IV: Drama** 

Eugene O'Neill : The Emperor Jones

Tennessee Williams : A Streetcar Named Desire

Unit - V: Fiction

Nathaniel Hawthorne : The Scarlet Letter Henry James : Daisy Miller Earnest Hemingway : The Old Man and the Sea

#### **Books for references:**

- 1. J. Fisher William, **The Norton Anthology of American Literature**, Vol.I and II, New York, 1974. (Unit I III)
- 2. Jack Salzman, , **The Cambridge Handbook of American Literature**, London, Cambridge, V Edition, 1983. (Unit IV-V)
- 3. Setal Bradley, The American Tradition in Literature, Norton, New York, 1960. (Unit III)
- 4. Norman Boston, Forster, Mifflin Houghton, **American Poetry and Prose**. Vol III, Boston Newyork, Houghton Miffin Company, Newyork, Fifth Edition, 1970. (Unit III)
- 5. S.Oliver Egbert, S.Forster, **An Anthology, American Literature**, Eurasia Publishing House Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi, 1967. (Unit I -V)



Class : MA (English) Paper : Core
Semester : II Hours : 06
Sub Code : 15PENC24 Credits : 04

#### LINGUISTICS AND ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEACHING

# **Objectives**

• To enable the students gain an insight into the basics of Linguistics and ELT.

# **Unit - I: Introduction to Linguistics**

- 1) Aspects of language 2) Linguistics: Aspects, Levels, Branches, Tools
- 3) The Sounds of Language.

# **Unit - II: Structural Linguistics**

1) Theory of Phonemes 2) Morphemes 3) IC Analysis

# **Unit - III: Modern Linguistics**

Traditional Grammar, Phrase and Structure Grammar, Transformational Generative Grammar.

#### Unit - IV: ELT

1) Learning Theories 2) Curriculum Design, Approaches and Methods. 3) Testing and Evaluation: Type, characteristics, testing items. 4) Remedial Teaching.

## **Unit - V: Techniques of Teaching**

- 1) Listening and Speaking. 2) Reading and Writing. 3) Grammar and Vocabulary
- 4) Poetry/Prose/Drama/Fiction.

#### **Books for reference:**

- 1. M.C. Donough Jo and Christopher Shaw, **Materials and Methods in ELT**, Blackwell, New Delhi, 2004. (Unit IV, V)
- 2. Johns Lyons, **Language and Linguistics**, Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, 1987.(Unit I and II)
- 3. Geetha Nagaraj, **ELT Approaches, Methods, Techniques**, Orient Longman, Kolkata, 2004. (Unit III)



Class : MA (English) Paper : Elective

Semester : II Hours : 06
Sub Code : 15PENE21 Credits : 05

#### RESEARCH METHODOLOGY AND RHETORIC

#### **Objectives**

• To help the students learn the basics of research methodology and the Rhetoric of writing.

- To help students prepare a project
- To train the students in the mechanics of writing and documentation as recommended by MLA Handbook.

#### **Unit - I:** Fundamentals of Research

Selecting a topic-Finding an Appropriate focus-using the library resources, Electronic Resources, Compiling a working bibliography, Taking notes, Methods, Types, Plagiarism-Definition-consequences

# **Unit - II: Mechanics of writing**

Spelling, Punctuations, Names of Person, Italics, Quotation, Title of the works in the Research Paper.

#### **Unit - III : The Format of the Research Paper**

Printing and Typing, Spacing, Page Number, Electronic Submission, Margins, Heading-Title, correction and the Insertion.

#### **Unit - IV: Documentation**

Parenthetical Documentation and the List of Works, Readability, Sample Reference, Using Notes with Parenthetical Documentation.

# **Unit - V: The Study of Formal Writing**

Rhetoric – Brooks, Cleanth: Modern Rhetoric, Shorter III Edition.

#### **Text Books:**

- 1. Joseph Gibaldi, **MLA Hand Book For Writers of Research Papers**, Book VII, Affliated East-West Press Pvt.Ltd, New Delhi, 2004.(Unit I IV)
- 2. Cleanth Brooks, **Modern Rhetoric**, Harcourt Brace, Shorter III Edition, Newyork, 1972. (Unit V)

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Class : UG Part II : English
Semester : III Hours : 06
Sub Code : 15UENG31 Credits : 03

#### LANGUAGE THROUGH LITERATURE - III

Unit - I Prose Passage

Jawaharlal Nehru- A Glory Has Departed

John Holt – Discipline is a Great Teacher

**Unit - II Poetry Passage** 

Nissim Ezekiel - Night of the Scorpion

A.K.Ramamujan – A River

Unit – III Drama

Arthur Miller – The Death of a Salesman

**Unit - IV Vocabulary-II** 

One word substitution

Spotting the error

Idioms and Phrases/ Phrasal verbs

**Unit - V Composition** 

Drafting Advertisements.

Developing the hints.

#### **Text Books:**

- 1. G. RadhakrishnaPillai, **English for Success**, Emerald Publication, Chennai, 2012.
- 2. Lewis, Norman, **Word Power Made Easy**, Pocket Books, New York, 1978.
- 3. C.N.Srinath, Indian Verse in English, Macmillan Publishers Indian Ltd, 2003.
- 4. A.Shanmugakani, **Prose for Communication**, Manimekala Publishing house, 2008.

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Class : B.A (English) Part III : Core Semester : III Hours : 05 Sub Code : 15UENC31 Credits : 04

#### THE AGE OF TENNYSON

# **Objectives:**

i) To enable the students to understand, analyse and appreciate literary texts in various genres during the age of Tennyson.

- ii) To assist the students to appreciate the social, cultural, historical, political and artistic milieu which have produced the texts.
- iii) To help the students to develop an aesthetic taste for literary texts.

#### **Unit-I**

Elizabeth Barret Browning The Cry of the Children

Alfred Lord Tennyson Tithonus

Robert Browning My Last Duchess

Mathew Arnold Dover Beach

**Unit-II** 

Christiana Rosetti After Death

Dante Gabriel Rossettii The Blessed Damozel

George Meredith From Modern Love

AC Swinburne Before The Beginning of Years

**Unit III** 

John Ruskin Seasame

Mathew Arnold Essay on Wordsworth

**Unit IV** 

John Galsworthy Justice

Unit V

Charles Dickens A Tale of Two Cities

## **Reference Books:**

- 1. Green, David, **The Winged Word**, Macmillan, New Delhi, 1974
- 2. C.T Thomas, **Twentieth Century Verse An Anglo American Anthology,** Macmillan Publishers India Ltd., Chennai, 1979.
- 3. Board of Editors, **Fifteen Poets Chaucer to Matthew Arnold,** Oxford University Press, Chennai, 1941.
- 4. Long.J.William, English History and Its significance, Kalyani Publishers, New, Delhi

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Class : B.A (English) Part III : Core Semester : III Hours : 05 Sub Code : 15UENC32 Credits : 05

LITERARY FORMS

**Unit -I** Introduction to the study of Literature

**Unit-II** Poetry and its Classifications

**Epic** 

Ballad

Lyric - Sonnet, Ode, Idyll, Elegy

**Unit-III** Essay, Satire Criticism

**Unit-IV** 

Drama

Tragedy, Comedy, Tragi-Comedy, Absurd Drama, One-Act play

Unit-V Novel

Short story

**Biography** 

Autobiography

#### **Text Book:**

1. R.J Rees, English Literature: An Introduction For Foreign Readers, Macmillan, India

#### **Reference Books**

- 1. B.Prasad., **A Background to the study of English Literature,** Macmillan India Ltd. 1999.
- 2. M.H Abrams, A Glossary of Literary Terms, Macmillan, India. 1999.
- 3. W.H. Hudson, **An Introduction to the study of Literature,** Atlantic Publishers and Distributors, 2006.

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Class : B.A (English) Part III : Allied Semester : III Hours : 04
Sub Code : 15UENA31 Credits : 04

#### **HISTORY OF ENGLISH LITERATURE - I**

**Unit-I** The Age of Chaucer

Unit -II The Age of Shakespeare

**Unit -III** The Age of Milton

Unit -IV The Age of Dryden and Pope

**Unit-V** The Age of Johnson

#### **Text Book:**

1. W.H.Hudson, **An Outline History of English Literature**, B.I.Publicationspvt.Ltd,

Chennai, 2009

#### **Reference Books:**

- 1. Albert. Edward, A History of English Literature, Oxford University Press, NewDelhi, 1995.
- 2.Long.J.William, English History and Its Significance, Kalyani Publishers, New Delhi.

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Class : B.A (English) Part IV : Skill based

Semester : III Hours : 02 Sub Code : 15UENS31 Credits : 02

# **WORD POWER**

**Unit-I** 

**Word Formation** 

**Unit-II** 

Connecting and Linking

**Unit-III** 

Feelings and Actions

**Unit-IV** 

**Fixed Expressions** 

Unit-V

Varieties of English

# **Text Book:**

1. Michael McCarthy, Felicity O'Dell, English Vocabulary in Use, Upper Intermediate.

CUP.

# **Reference Book:**

1. Lewis, Norman, Word Power Made Easy, Pocket Books, New York, 1978.

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Class: M.A(English)

Semester: III

Sub.Code: 15PENC31

Part III: Core
Hours: 06

Credits: 04

#### MODERN LITERARY THEORY

# **Objective:**

This paper aims at making students understand the importance of literary theory in understanding literature in different perspectives.

# **Unit- I Introduction**

Introduction to Literary Theory

**Unit - II** 

Ferdinand de Saussure : Nature of the Linguistic Sign: Sign, Signified and

Signifier.

Jacques Derrida : Structure, sign and play in the discourse of the human

Sciences

**Unit-III: Post Modernism** 

Terry Eagleton : Capitalism, Modernism and Post Modernism

Fredric Jameson : The Politics of Theory: Ideological Positions in the

Postmodernism Debate.

**Unit -IV: Cultural Studies** 

Stephen Greenblatt : The Circulation of Social Energy

Michel Foucault : What is an Author?

**Unit- V : Post Colonial** 

Edward Said : Crisis (in Orientalism)
Elaine Showalter : Towards a Feminist poetics

#### **Text Book:**

1. Lodge, David, **Modern Criticism and Theory: A Reader.** Person Education Ltd, Delhi, 1988. (Unit -5)

#### **Reference Books:**

1. Peter Barry, **Beginning Theory: An Introduction to Literary Theory**, 1995.

- 2. Julie Rivikin and Michael Ryan, Literary Theory: An Anthology. Ed. II, Blackwell Publishing Ltd, Australia, 1998.
- 3. Habib, M.A.R. **Modern Literary Criticism and Theory- A History**, Blackwell Publisher, UK, 2008

Class : M.A( English) Part III : Core
Semester : III Hours : 06
Sub.Code: 15PENC32 Credits : 04

# INDIAN ENGLISH LITERATURE-I (PRE-INDEPENDENT)

# **Objective:**

To further familiarize the students with the social concerns in the English works of Indian writers of Pre-Independence period and make them understand their Indianness of their creativity.

# Unit-I (Poetry)

Rabindranath Tagore: Gitanjali

Toru Dutt : Our Casuarina Tree

Sarojini Naidu : In the Forest, Indian Dancer, Ecstasy

Henry Derozio : Sonnet to the Moon

ManmohanGhosh : The Garden Passion

SubramaniaBharati : In Each Other's Arms

**Unit-II (Prose)** 

Jawaharlal Nehru : Letters from a Father to a Daughter

Sir C.V. Raman : Water – The Elixir of life

Unit-III (Drama)

Rabindranath Tagore: Chandalika

**Unit-IV** (Fiction)

Mulkraj Anand : Two leaves and a Bud

R.K.Narayan : The English Teacher

**Unit-V(Short Story)** 

Subramania Bharati : The Fox with the Golden Tail

Prem chand : The shroud

Tara Shankar Banerjee: Boatman Tarin

# **Reference Books:**

- Narasimhaiah, C.D. Ed., An Anthology of Common Wealth Poetry, Macmillan, 1990.
   (Unit I & II)
- 2. Prasad, Hari Mohan. Prasad Singh, Chakradhar. **Ed Indian Poetry in English**, Sterling publishers. Chennai (Unit II)
- 3. Raju, Anand Kumar.: Ed., **The Lotus and The Rose- An Anthology of Indian Writing** in English, Vol-IV.Blackia Books, 1992. (Unit III)
- 4. Raju, Anand Kumar.: Ed., **The Lotus and The Rose- An Anthology of Indian Writing** in English, Vol-I.Blackia Books, 1992. (Unit –IV)
- 5. **The Complete works of Sri Aurobindo. Ed,** Sri Aurobindo Publishing House Pvt Ltd Volume- III, Pondicherry, 1998. (Unit IV)
- 6. Raju, Anand Kumar.: Ed., **The Lotus and The Rose- An Anthology of Indian Writing** in English, Vol-III, Blackia Books. 1992. (Unit V)
- 7. Visvanathan.C. Ed, **Bharatias a Translator**, Annam publishersPvt Ltd, Sivagangai, 1982.(Unit II & V)

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# TWENTIETH CENTURY ENGLISH LITERATURE

# **Objective:**

• To facilitate the students in apprehending the modern era.

• To provide the students a new perspective in appreciating the modern literature.

**Unit- I** (POETRY)

T. S. Eliot : The Waste Land

W.B. Yeats : The Second Coming

Rupert Brooke : The Soldier

W.H.Auden : As I walked out one evening

Dylan Thomas : Do not Go Gentle into that Good Night

**Unit- II** (PROSE)

T. S. Eliot : The Metaphysical Poets

F.R. Leavis : The Great Tradition (Introduction)

**Unit- III** (DRAMA)

Samuel Beckett : Waiting for Godot

John Osborne : The Entertainer

**Unit- IV** (FICTION)

James Joyce : Portrait of an Artist as a young man

Kingsley Amis : Lucky Jim

**Unit -V** (SHORT STORY)

Katherine Mans fields : A cup of Tea

Jeffrey Archer : The Hungarian Professor

Just Good Friends

# **Reference Books:**

1. Thomas. C.T, Ed, Twentieth Century Verse: An Anglo American Anthology,

Macmillan: Delhi, 2006. (Unit I&II)

2. Woodhead, Chris, Ed, Nineteenth and Twentieth Century Verse, Oxford University

Press, New York, 1984. (Unit I&II)

- 3. Beckett, Samuel, Waiting for Godot, Penguin Books, New Delhi, 1986.
- Woolf, Virginia, Mrs. Dalloway, UBSPD Ltd, Chennai, 2007. (Unit V)
   Golding, William, The Lord of the Flies. Madras: Oxford University Press, 1981. (Unit V)



Class : M.A( English) Part III : Core
Semester : III Hours : 06
Sub.Code : 15PENC34 Credits : 04

# POST MODERN BRITISH AND AMERICAN LITERATURE

# **Objective:**

• To understand the Post-modernist Approaches to Literature

• To enrich the scope and significance of Postmodern British and American Literature

# Unit- I (Poetry)

Thom Gunn : Human Condition

Seamus Heaney : Causality Philip Larkin : Church Going

Rita Dove : Parsley
Maya Angelou : Caged Bird
James Baldwin : Jimmy's Blues

# **Unit -II (Prose)**

Langston Hughes : The Negro Artist and the Racial Mountain

Seamus Heaney : Nobel Prize Address

**Unit -III : ( Drama)** 

Edward Albee : Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf

Tom Stoppard : Rosencrantz and Guildenstern Are Dead

**Unit -IV : (Fiction)** 

Sylvia Plath : The Bell Jar

Doris Lessing : To Room Nineteen Kurt Vonnegut : Slaughter House Fire

**Unit -V: (Short Story)** 

Somerset Mougham : The Verger

H.E.Bates : Same Time Same Place

Alice Walker : Every day use

Leslie Masmon Silks : The Man to send Rain Cloud

- 1. M.H.Abrams, **Norton Anthology of English Literature, Vol I** (1979 ) W.W.Norton& Co, Newyork. (Unit:1)
- 2. William Fisheretol, Ed. American Literature of the Nineteenth Century: An Anthology, Eurasia, New Delhi, 1970. (Unit: II)
- 3. Dr.Egbert S. Oliver (Ed): American Literature 1980-1965 : An Anthology, Eurasia, New Delhi, 1970 (Unit :III)
- 4. McCullough, Frances, **Fore word to The Bell Jar,** Harper Collins Publishers, New York, 1996. (Unit: IV)
- 5. Plath, Sylvia, **The Critical Heritage**, New York.
- 6. Dove, Rita, **Selected Poems**. Vintage ed: Pittsburgh, 1993. (Unit I)



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#### ADVANCED ACADEMIC WRITING

# **Objective:**

To help the students to identify a toolkit approach to writing and to introduce the essential characteristics, major trends and techniques in research through reading and writing.

# **Unit - I INFORMATION ACCESSION**

**Pre-writing Techniques** 

a) Note-making b) Note-taking c) Brain-storming d) Mind-mapping

# **Unit - II DOCUMENTATION**

Citing Resources / Academic Integrity

a) Bibliography b) Annotated Bibliography c)Parenthetical Documentation

# **Unit-III COMPOSITION**

Writing Process/ Synthesizing Information

a) Paragraphing- Coherence, Cohesion b) Writing the topic sentence c) Explanation and Expansion d) Illustration

# **Unit- IV ANALYSIS OF WRITING IN JOURNALS**

a) Text Structure b) Argument c) Language d) Content Students are expected to read articles in academic journals and magazines and identify the different components of research writing.

# Unit-V PRACTICE IN RESEARCH WRITING

- 1. Choosing the primary and the secondary source. The students are expected to choose a text preferably published within the past five years Essays, Articles or Journals.
- 2. Writing for publication: Editing / Proof- Reading

- 1. **Skills for Academic Purpose,** Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, 2006. (Unit-1,2)
- 2. Berry, Ralph, **The Research Project How to Write It. London's Rout Ledge**, 2004. (Unit- 3)

- 3. Butler, Linda, **Fundamentals of Academic Writing**, Pearson Education, Inc New York, 2007. (Unit 4,5)
- 4. Croswell, Gail, **Writing for Academic Success a Post Graduate Guide.** London Sage Publication, 2005. (Unit 1-5)
- 5. Oliver, Paul. Writing Your Thesis, Vistas Publications, New Delhi, 2004. (Unit-3)



**Course Structure – Semester wise CBCS (w.e.f. 2015-2016)** 

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# THE AGE OF HARDY

Unit-I

G.M Hopkins God's Grandeur

Pied Beauty

W.B. Yeats The Second Coming

Easter 1916

Robert Bridges A Passer-by

Francis Thompson The Hound of Heaven

**Unit-II** 

Houseman When I was One and Twenty

Epitaph on an Army of Mercenaries

Rupert Brooke Helen and Menelaus

Rudyard Kipling If

**Unit-III** 

E.M Foster A Passage to India

**Unit-IV** 

Oscar Wilde An Ideal husband

Unit-V

Hardy Tess of the D'Urbervilles

# **Reference Books:**

- 1. Green David, **TheWinged Word**, Macmillan, New Delhi, 1974
- 2. Machael Roberts ed, **Faber Book of Modern VerseV,VI,VII**, A.B. publishers, 2009.
- 3. Ram Narayan Panda, Magic Casements (ed) Macmillan, Chennai, 2011
- **4.** Borisforded, **A Pelican Guide to English Literature**, Complete Volumes, Penguin Books Ltd, Chennai 1974



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**Course Structure – Semester wise CBCS (w.e.f. 2015-2016)** 

Class : B.A (English) Part III : Core Semester : IV Hours : 04 Sub Code : 15UENC42 Credits : 04

# PHONETICS AND TRANSCRIPTIONS

#### Unit-I

Airstream Mechanism and Organs of Speech.

# **Unit-II**

Classification and Description of Consonant Sounds in English.

#### **Unit III**

Classification and Description of Vowel sounds in English

# **Unit-IV**

Word Accent, Intonation, Syllabization, Stress

# **Unit-V**

Transcription of words and Transcription of Dialogues

#### **Text Book:**

1. T. Balasubramanian, A Textbook of English Phonetics for Indian Students, Macmillan.

- 1. Roache, Peter, English Phonetics and Phonology, Cambridge.
- 2. Jones, Daniel, English Pronouncing Dictionary. Cambridge, 2006.



**Course Structure – Semester wise CBCS (w.e.f. 2015-2016)** 

Class: B.A (English)Part III: AlliedSemester: IVHours: 05Sub Code: 15UENA41Credits: 04

# HISTORY OF ENGLISH LITERATURE-II

# **Unit-I**

The Age of Wordsworth

# **Unit-II**

The Age of Tennyson

# **Unit-III**

The Age of Hardy

# **Unit-IV**

The Age of Eliot

# Unit-V

The Post war Period (1945to 1990)

# **Text Book:**

1. W.H.Hudson, **An Outline History of English Literature**, B.I.Publications pvt.Ltd,

Chennai, 2009.

- Albert.Edward, A History of English Literature, Oxford University Press, NewDelhi, 1995.
- 2. Long.J.William, English History and Its Significance, Kalyani Publishers, New Delhi.



**Course Structure – Semester wise CBCS (w.e.f. 2015-2016)** 

Class : B.A (English) Part IV : Skill Based

Semester : IV Hours : 02 Sub Code : 15UENS41 Credits : 02

# **CREATIVE WRITING**

# Unit-I

Paragraph Writing, Descriptive& Narrative

# **Unit-II**

**Essay Writing** 

# **Unit-III**

Response to letters

# **Unit-IV**

**Story Writing** 

# **Unit-V**

Poetry Appreciation

- $1. \quad V.R. Narayanasamy, \textbf{Strengthen Your Writing}, \ 3^{rd} \ Edition. \ Orient \ Longman. \ Hyderabad.$
- 2. Wren and Martin, English Grammar and Composition, Revised by N.D.V. PrasadRao, S. Chand & Co. New Delhi..
- 3. Sarah Freeman, Written Communication in English, Orient Longman, New Delhi.

4. Dr. Krishnasamy and T. SriRaman, **English for Creative Communication**, Macmillan, Chennai.



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**Course Structure – Semester wise CBCS (w.e.f. 2015-2016)** 

Class : BBA Part IV : NME
Semester : IV Hours : 02
Sub Code : 15UENN41 Credits : 02

# ENGLISH FOR COMPETITIVE EXAMINATIONS-II

# Unit -I

Sentence Skills

Sentence Improvement Sentence Arrangement Sentence Completion Sentence Fillers

**Unit-II** Spotting the Errors

Unit-III Emotional Quotient

**Unit –IV** Comprehension Passages

Resume (Soft and Hard)

**Unit-V** Self- Introduction

**Group Discussion** 

Interview Role playing

# **Text Books:**

- 1. Gopalan.Retal,.**General English for Competitive Examinations**, Vijay Nicole Imprints Private Ltd.Chennai, 2010.
- 2. Radhakrishna.G.Pillai, English for Success. Emerald Publishers, Chennai, 2003.

#### **Reference Books:**

- 1. Dhanavel .S.P., English and Softskills, Orient Black Swan, Hyderabad, 2010.
- 2. Rajappan.C, English for Communication and Competitive Examinations, Pavai publications, Chennai, 2005.



# MANNAR THIRUMALAI NAICKER COLLEGE (Autonomous) DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

**Course Structure – Semester wise CBCS (w.e.f. 2015 – 2016)** 

Class : M.A( English) Part III : Core
Semester : IV Hours : 06
Sub.Code : 15PENC41 Credits : 04

#### **NEW LITERATURES IN ENGLISH**

# **OBJECTIVE:**

- To cultivate the ability and analyze the elements and strategies of various genres
- To foster the ability to discuss literary, dramatic, and historical concepts
- To develop the awareness of cultural history and foster exploration of their own cultural assumptions and expectations.

# **Unit- I (POETRY)**

Gabriel Okara : The Mystic Drum Vincent Buckley : Late Tutorial

Derek Walcott : Ruins of Great House.

Wole Soyinka : Dedication

Manoowa : The Two Sisters
Partick Fernando : Elegy for My Son

# **Unit- II (PROSE)**

SalmanRushdie : *Imaginary Homelands* (Essay Except from the

Imaginary Homelands)

NgugiWaThiongo : Decolonizing the Mind

Chinua Achebe : My Home under Imperial Fire (Collection from the

Exile)

**Unit -III (DRAMA)** 

Wole Soyinka : The Strong Breed
George Ryga : The Ecstasy of Rita Joe

# **Unit -IV (FICTION)**

BapsiSidwa : Ice Candy Man YasmineGooneratne : The Change of Skies

# **Unit -V(SHORT STORY)**

Jumpha Lahari : Interpreter of Maladies (1 to 9 Stories)

#### **Reference Books:**

1. Achebe, Chinua, **Home and Exile**. Anchor; Reprint edition (September 18, 2001).(Unit III)

- 2. Brown,Russell and Donna Bennet.Ed,An Anthology of Candaian Literature in English.Tornoto.OUP,1982.(Unit IV)
- 3. Gooneratne, Yasmine, **The Change of Skies**, Penguin Publications, New Delhi, 2001.
- 4. Rushdie, Salman, **Imaginary Homelands**, Granta Books, Penguin Publication, 1981.
- 5. Paramsewari.D.Ed,**Politics of Survival.Studies in Canadian Literature**, Jane Publishers, Madurai,1999.
- 6. Sidwa, Bapshi, **Ice Candy Man.MilkWeed,** USA, 1994.(Unit V)
- 7. Soyinka, Wole, **The Strong Breed**, Oxford University Press, London, 1964.
- 8. NarashimaC.D, **An Anthology of Common Wealth Poetry,** Macmillan India..(UnitI& Unit II)
- 9. John Thieme,(ed), **The Arnold Anthology of Post Colonial Literatures in English.** London, 2000.
- 10. Lahilri, Jumpha, **Interpreter of Malodies**, Penguin Publications, 1980.



**Course Structure – Semester wise CBCS (w.e.f. 2015 – 2016)** 

Class : M.A(English) Part III : Core
Semester : IV Hours : 06
Sub.Code : 15PENC42 Credits : 04

# INDIAN ENGLISH LITERATURE-II (POST-INDEPENDENT)

# **Objective:**

i) To make the students know the social values of Post Independent India.

ii) To make the students familiar about the writers who reformed Post Independent India.

# **Unit - I: Poetry**

Nissim Ezekiel : The Professor

JayantaMahabatra : Indian Summer

A.K.Ramanujan : Ecology

R.Parthasarathy : Home Coming

Shiv.K.Kumar : Indian Woman,

Keki.N.Daruwalla : Death of a Bird

# **Unit - II: Prose**

Arundhati Roy : The Algebra of Infinite Justice

Shashi Tharoor : Nehru, The Invention of Indian

**Unit -III: Drama** 

Vijay Tendulkar : Silence! The Court is in Session

Mahesh Dattani : Tara

#### **Unit -IV: Fiction**

Anita Nair : The Better Man

AmitavGhosh : The Glass Palace

David Davidar : The House of Blue Mangoes

# **Unit -V: Short Story**

Rohinton Mistry : Tales from Firozsha Baag

Temsula Ao : Labussium for my Head

Somerest Maughan : The Ant and The Grasshopper

#### **Reference Books:**

1. Hari Mohan Prasad, Chakradhar Prasad Singh. Ed, **Indian Poetry in** 

English, Sterling Publishers (P) Ltd., New Delhi, 2001. (Unit I & II)

- Board of Editors, Bouquet of Indian Poetry in English, Orient Black Swan Private Limited, Chennai 2010. (Unit I&II)
- 3. C.D.Narasimhaiah, **An Anthology of CommonWealthPoetry**,Macmillan PublishersIndia,Chennai 2011.(Unit II)
- 4. Tendulkar, Vijay, **Silence! The Court is in Session,** Oxford University Press, Delhi, 2014 (Unit IV-Text)
- 5. Roy ,Arundhati ,**The Algebra of Infinite Justice**, Penguin,india ,2002.(Unit II)
- 6. Nair, Anita, **The Better Man**, Picador, 2000. (Unit IV)
- 7. Ghosh, Amitav, **The Glass Palace**, Random House Trade, 2002. (Unit IV)
- 8. Davidar, David, **The House of Blue Managoes**, Harper, Perennial, 2003. (Unit IV)
- 9. Mistry ,Rohinton, Tales From Frozshaa Baag Faber, 2006 (Unit V)
- 10. Ao, Temsula, **Labussium for My Head Penguin**, India,2009. (Unit V)



# MANNAR THIRUMALAI NAICKER COLLEGE (Autonomous)

# **DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH**

**Course Structure – Semester wise CBCS (w.e.f. 2015 – 2016)** 

Class: M.A( English)Part III: CoreSemester : IVHours: 06Sub.Code : 15PENC43Credits: 04

# TRANSLATION THEORY AND PRACTICE

# **Objective:**

The Translation will be able to supplement their basic linguistic and cultural competencies with translation skills and knowledge in translation studies.

#### Unit -I

- 1. Definition of Theory and principles and Types of Translation
- 2. Decoding and Recoding
- 3. Loss and Gain
- 4. Translation Process

# **Unit-II**

- 1. Translation: An Art or Science
- 2. Problems of Equivalence in Translation
- 3. Types of Equivalence
- 4. Untranslatability
- 5. Translator: Responsibilities and Roles

#### **Unit -III**

- 1. Transcreation
- 2. History of translation
- 3. Bible Translation
- 4. Early Theorists

# **Unit -IV**

- 1. Structures
- 2. Translating Literary Texts
- 3. Translating Prose Texts
- 4. Translating Poetry Texts
- 5. Translating Drama Texts

#### Unit -V

Practical: Translating Passages from Tamil into English and from English into Tamil Students should submit an eight page Assignment Translating any Prose piece from Tamil into English.

# **Reference Books:**

- 1. Bassnett, Susan, **Translation Studies London**, Matuen Press, 1980. (Unit I, II & IV)
- 2. Kanakaraj.S. and N.Kalaidasan, **Translatology**, Prem Publishers, Madurai, 2003. (UnitII)
- 3. Savory and H. Theodre, Art of Translation, Jonathan Cape Ltd, London, 1969



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**Course Structure – Semester wise CBCS (w.e.f. 2015 – 2016)** 

Class: M.A( English)Part III: CoreSemester: IVHours: 06Sub.Code: 15PENC44Credits: 04

# JOURNALISM AND MASS-COMMUNICATION

# **Objective**

The course aims at creating awareness in students of the impact of mass media on society. It familiarizes them with the working of print and electronic media and also develops in them the working skills needed for employment in the field of media.

# Unit- I

Print Media-definition, concept, elements, values, sources; Interviewing kinds, purpose, techniques; Investigative reporting-purposes, sources, styles, techniques; Columns-feature writing, news analysis; Editing-proof reading-meanings, symbols, purposes, News Desk, editorial department set-up, news flow, Headlines-kinds,techniques,styles and purposes.

#### Unit - II

Art of advertising-definition, history, type, advertising strategies, media selection, copy writing.

# **Unit - III**

Electronic Media (Radio, Television and Internet) – Radio script writing; elements of radio writing (contents and forms), type of news bulletin and preparation of news bulletin, and editing of news.

#### **Unit-IV**

Writing of television-principles of TV scripts writing, script writing for News, interviews, documentaries, short talks and commercials, online writing-meaning and its concept, features of online writing and difficulties.

# Unit -V

Films-characteristics, type, techniques; principles of script writing, world and regional cinemas and modern trends.

# **Reference Books:**

- 1. Scott, James Film, **The Medium and the Maker**, Holt Rinehart WinstonInc, New York,: (Unit I, II &III).
- 2. Sims, Norman and Mark Kramer (eds), **Literary Journalism**, Ballantine Books, New York, 1995. (Unit IV & V)



# MANNAR THIRUMALAI NAICKER COLLEGE (Autonomous) DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

**Course Structure – Semester CBCS (w.e.f.2017-2018)** 

Class: B.A (English)Part III: CoreSemester: VHours: 06Subject Code: 15UENC51Credits: 05

# TWENTIETH CENTURY LITERATURE

# Unit I

T.S. Eliot The Hollow Men

Philip Larkin Whitsun Weddings

Ted Hughes Hawk Roosting

**Unit II** 

Stephen Spender The Double Shame

Wilfred Owen Anthem for Doomed Youth

W.H. Auden The Unknown Citizen

**Unit III** 

G.B. Shaw Caesar and Cleopatra

**Unit IV** 

T.S. Eliot Tradition and the Individual Talent

Virginia Wolf A Room of One's Own

Unit V

James Joyce A Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man

- 1. Abrams, M. H.ed. et al. *The Norton Anthology of English Literature*, Vol II. New York: Norton &co. Inc., 1962.
- 2. Borisford ed., *The New Pelican Guide to English Literature*. Complete Volumes. New Delhi: Penguin Books Ltd, 1983.
- 3. Michael Roberts ed. *The Faber Book of Modern Verse*. V,VI, VII, Faber & Faber, London, 2003.



**Course Structure – Semester CBCS (w.e.f.2017-2018)** 

Class: B.A (English)Part III: CoreSemester: VHours: 05Subject Code: 15UENC52Credits: 05

# **AMERICAN LITERATURE**

Unit I

Edgar Allan Poe The Raven

Walt Whitman I Sit and Look Out Robert Frost Mending Wall

After Apple Picking

**Unit II** 

Emily Dickinson A Bird Came Down the Walk

Wallace Stevens Anecdote of the Jar

Sylvia Plath Lady Lazarus

**Unit III** 

Tennessee Williams The Glass Menagerie

**Unit IV** 

William Faulkner Nobel Prize Acceptance Speech Booker T. Washington The Struggle for an Education

Ralph Waldo Emerson The American Scholar

Unit V

Toni Morrison The Bluest Eye

- 1. C.T.Thomas. *Twentieth Century Verse-An Anglo American Anthology*, Macmillan India Ltd, Chennai, 1979.
- 2. Egbert S. Oliver., American Literature 1890-1965: An Anthology

Eurasia Publishing House Pvt Ltd, NewDelhi, 1970.

3. Fisher, Samuelson and Reninger Vaid, *An American Literature of the 19<sup>th</sup> Century*, An Anthology Macmillan Publishers, Chennai, 1964.



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**Course Structure – Semester CBCS (w.e.f.2017-2018)** 

Class: B.A (English)Part III: CoreSemester: VHours: 05Subject Code: 15UENC53Credits: 05

#### INDIAN WRITING IN ENGLISH

Unit I

Kamala Das An Introduction

Dance of the Eunuchs

A.K. Ramanujan Obituary Jeyanta Mahapatra Hunger

**Unit II** 

Nissim Ezekiel Poet, Lover, Birdwatcher Dilip Chitre Father Returning Home

Mamta Kalia Tribute to Papa R. Parthasarathy Homecoming

**Unit III** 

Girish Karnad Hayavadana

**Unit IV** 

Aravind Adiga The White Tiger

Unit V

R. K. Narayan The White Flower

Khuswant Singh Karma

# **Prescribed Texts:**

1. M.L.Tickoo, A. E. Subramaniam et. al, *Current English for Language Skills*. Laxmi Publications (First edition), New Delhi, 2015.

- 2. Narasimhaiah, C. D., ed., *An Anthology of Commonwealth Poetry*, Laxmi Publications, New Delhi, 2008.
- 3. S. Kanitha and Mrs. P. Selvi Santhanakrishnan ed., *Literary Treasures* New Century Book House Pvt. Ltd, Chennai. 2011



**Course Structure – Semester CBCS (w.e.f.2017-2018)** 

Class : B.A (English) Part III : Core Semester : V Hours : 05 Subject Code : 15UENC54 Credits : 05

# WOMEN'S WRITING IN ENGLISH

Unit I

Judith WrightWoman to ManMaya AngelouPhenomenal WomanRazia KhanMy Daughter's BoyfriendKishwar NaheedI am not that Woman

Unit II

Lorraine Hansberry A Raisin in the Sun

**Unit III** 

Virginia Woolf Shakespeare and His Sister

Anita Desai Devoted Son

George Eliot Silly Novels by Lady Novelists

**Unit IV** 

Anita Nair Ladies Coupe

Unit V

Jumpa Lahiri Mrs. Sen from Interpreter of Maladies

Chitra Banerjee Clothes Jamaica Kincaid Girl

# **Prescribed Texts:**

1. Dwivedi A. N., *Indo-Anglian Poetry*. Kitab Mahal Publishers, Allahabad, 1979.

- 2. Narasimhaiah, *An Anthology of Common Welath Poetry Macmillan India*, NewDelhi, 1990.
- 3. Jung, Anees, *Breaking the Silence: Voices of Women from Around the World*. Penguin Books, New Delhi, 1998.
- 4. Naber, Vrinda, *Caste as Women*. Penguin Books, New Delhi,1995.



# MANNAR THIRUMALAI NAICKER COLLEGE (Autonomous) DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH Course Structure – Semester CBCS (w.e.f.2017-2018)

Class : B.A (English) Part III : Allied
Semester : V Hours : 05
Subject Code : 15UENA51 Credits : 04

# **LITERARY CRITICISM - I**

# Unit I

# Classical Criticism (Greek)

Plato and Aristotle

#### Unit II

# **Classical Criticism (Latin)**

Horace, Quintilian, Longinus and Dante

# **Unit III**

# **Renaissance Criticism**

Sir Philip Sidney and Ben Jonson

# **Unit IV**

#### **Neoclassical criticism**

John Dryden, Joseph Addison, Alexander Pope and Samuel Johnson

# Unit V

# **Romantic Criticism**

# Wordsworth and Samuel Taylor Coleridge

# **Prescribed Texts:**

- 1. B. Prasad, *An Introduction to Literary Criticism*, Macmillan, Madras, 2011.
- 2. David Daiches, Critical Approaches to Literature, Orient Longman, Kolkata, 1988.



# MANNAR THIRUMALAI NAICKER COLLEGE (Autonomous) DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

**Course Structure – Semester CBCS (w.e.f.2017-2018)** 

Class : B.A (English) Part IV : Skill Based

Semester : V Hours : 02 Subject Code : 15UENS51 Credits : 02

#### FILM APPRECIATION

#### Unit-I

Film History- Origin of Cinema

#### **Unit-II**

Aspects and Genres

# **Unit-III**

Reading a Visual and Visualising a Script

# **Unit-IV**

Film and Society

# **Unit-V**

Film and Literature

- 1. Erik Barnouw and Krishnasamy: *Indian Film, A Reviewing*. New York: Frederick Unger Publishing Co, 1978.
- 2. Robinson, David. World Cinema, A Short History. London: Eyre, Molten, 1981.
- 3. Vaidyanathan, T.G *Hours in the Dark in Cinema*: New Delhi: DUP, 1995.
- 4. Jack C. Ellis. A History of Film; Allyn and Bacon, Mishawaka, U.S.A, 1995.
- 5. Hayward, Susan. Cinema Studies: The Key Concept, London: Routledge, 2013.



**Course Structure – Semester CBCS (w.e.f.2017-2018)** 

Class : B.A (English) Part IV : Skill Based

Semester : V Hours : 02 Subject Code : 15UENS52 Credits : 02

# JOURNALISM AND MASS COMMUNICATION

Unit I

Basics of Journalism Definition, Kinds, Scope and Functions, the Development of

Journalism and its History

**Unit II** 

Mass Communication Functions of Mass Media, Problems in Communication, Print and

Electronic Media, News Media

**Unit III** 

News Collecting Basic Principles - Column writing and editing- interviews

& Reporting - film reviews-news reporting -online journalistic writing

**Unit IV** 

Freedom of Press Social Responsibility- Code of Ethics- Press Laws

Unit V

Advertising Kinds - Strategies, Copywriting and Public Relations

- 1. Ahuja, B.N. *Theory and Practice of Journalism*. Surject Publications: New Delhi, 2007.
- 2. Kumar, Keval K. *Journalism and Mass Communication in India.* Jaico: New Delhi, 2000.
- 3. Srivatsava, K.M. *News Reporting and Editing*. Sterling: New Delhi, 1995.



**Course Structure – Semester CBCS (w.e.f.2017-2018)** 

Class : B.A (English) Part III : Core Semester : VI Hours : 05 Subject Code: 15UENC61 Credits : 04

#### **SHAKESPEARE**

#### **Course Outcomes:**

**CO1:** To make the students to understand and appreciate the plays of Shakespeare.

**CO2:** To enable the students to get acquainted with the general topics on Shakespeare.

**CO3:** To make the students find for themselves that Shakespeare is for all time.

**Unit-I** A Midsummer Night's Dream

Unit-II Othello

Unit-III Richard II

**Unit-IV** General Shakespeare- Theatre and Audience, Features of Tragedies, Comedies

and Historical Plays, Clowns and Fools in Shakespearean Plays, Supernatural

Elements, Love and Music

**Unit-V** Shakespearean Criticism

Dr. Johnson, AC. Bradley & Wilson Knight

- 1. Bradley, A.C. Shakespearean Tragedy. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2006.
- 2. Rees, M.M. **Shakespeare:** *His World and His Work*. New Delhi: University Book Stall, 1980.
- 3. Sutherland, James and Joel Hurstfield, eds.et. *Shakespeare's World*. London: Edward Arnold Publishers Ltd, 1974.

- 4. Wilson Knight. *The Imperial Theme*. New York: NYC Publishers, 1980.
- 5. Harrison, G.B *Introducing Shakespeare*. New Delhi: Penguin Books, 1968.



**Course Structure – Semester CBCS (w.e.f.2017-2018)** 

Class : B.A (English) Part III : Core Semester : VI Hours : 05 Subject Code : 15UENC62 Credits : 04

#### NEW LITERATURES IN ENGLISH

#### **Course Outcomes:**

**CO1:** To introduce the students the new authors in English of different countries.

**CO2:** To provide wholesome understanding of literature all over the world.

CO3: To expose the students about various cultures in New Literature

# Unit-I

Margaret Atwood Torture

Derek Walcott A Far Cry from Africa

Taufiq Rafat The Medal

David Rubadiri A Negro Labourer in Liverpool

**Unit-II** 

Wole Soyinka The Lion and the Jewel

**Unit-III** 

Shirley Geoic Lim Why do You Write?

Chinua Achebe The Role of the Writer in a New Nation Ngugi wa Thiango Excerpts from Decolonizing the Mind

**Unit-IV** 

Doris Lessing The Story of a Non-Marrying Man

**Unit-V** 

Chinua Achebe Things Fall Apart

# **Prescribed Texts:**

- 1. Narasimhaiah, C.D. ed. *Commonwealth Literature*. New Delhi: Oxford University Press, 1976.
- 2. Narasimhaiah, C.D. ed. *Awakened Conscience: Studies in Commonwealth Literature*. Sterling Publishers: New Delhi, 1978.



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**Course Structure – Semester CBCS (w.e.f.2017-2018)** 

Class : B.A (English) Part III : Core Semester : VI Hours : 05 Subject Code : 15UENC63 Credits : 05

### ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEACHING

#### **Course Outcomes:**

**CO1:**. To teach the various approaches and techniques of ELT.

**CO2:** To teach the various methodologies involved in the teaching of English language.

**CO3:** To enable the students to improve their LSRW skills.

**Unit I** The English Language Teaching Scenario in India, Language Acquisition

**Theories** 

Unit II Instructional Strategies

**Unit III** Techniques of Teaching-LSRW, Grammar and Vocabulary

**Unit IV** The Teaching of Prose, Composition and Extensive Reader

Unit V CALL- Audio-Visual Aids in Teaching English

Blackboard, Pictures, Smart Class Room and Video

# **Prescribed Texts:**

1. Nagaraj, Geetha. *English Language Teaching: Appproaches, Methods and Techniques*. Bangalore: Orient Longman Regional Institute of English, 2008.

2. Richards, Jack C and Rodgers Theodore. *Approaches and Methods in Language Teaching*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2001.



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**Course Structure – Semester CBCS (w.e.f.2017-2018)** 

Class : B.A (English) Part III : Core
Semester : VI Hours : 06
Subject Code : 15UENC64 Credits : 05

#### LITERATURE OF THE MARGINALIZED

#### **Course Outcomes:**

**CO1:** To introduce the students Dalit studies is a new field of research in India which looks at

the problem of marginalised groups.

**CO2:** To enable the students to get acquainted with <u>tribals</u>, religious minorities, women from excluded groups, denotified tribes.

**CO3:** To make the students to understand the consequences of social exclusion and discrimination on economic growth and poverty, education, health, political participation and on the well-being of the marginalised social groups.

# Unit I

Gwendolyn Brooks The Mother
Maya Angelou Caged Bird
Langston Hughes Brass Spittoons

**Unit II** 

Vijay Tendulkar Kanyadaan

#### **Unit III**

Louise Erdich Excerpts from Tracks
Ganesh N. Devy Painted words (Selections)

**Unit IV** 

Ambai A Kitchen in the Corner of the House

Mahasweta Devi Draupadi

Unit V

Bama Karukku

- 1. Baker, A. Houston. *Three American Literatures*. New York: The Modern Languages Association, 1982.
- 2. Grice, Helen. et al. *Beginning Ethnic American Literatures*. Manchester and New York: Manchester University Press, 2001.
- 3. Limbale, Sharankumar. *Towards an Aesthetic of Dalit Literature*: **History, Controversies and Considerations**. New Delhi: Orient Longman, 2004.



**Course Structure – Semester CBCS (w.e.f.2017-2018)** 

Class : B.A (English) Part III : Allied Semester : VI Hours : 05 Subject Code : 15UENA61 Credits : 04

# LITERARY CRITICISM - II AND LITERARY THEORY

#### **Course Outcomes:**

**CO1:** To make the students to be familiar with the history of literary criticism starting from Matthew Arnold to the modern age.

**CO2:** To enable the students to focus on literary criticism, which includes studying, evaluation, and interpretation of literature

**CO3:** To introduce the basics of various theories and approaches

# Unit I Victorian Criticism

Matthew Arnold Walter Pater

# **Unit II** Modern Criticism

T.S.Eliot I.A. Richards F.R. Leavis

# **Unit III** Critical Approaches

Historical/Biographical approach Sociological/Marxist approach Psychological approach

Psychological approach Archetypal approach New Criticism

# Unit IV Theories I

Introduction to Literary Theories, Structuralism,

Post Structuralism

# Unit V Theories II

Deconstruction Postmodernism Postcolonialism Feminism Reader-Response

- 1. Prasad, B. An Introduction to Literary Criticism. Madras: Macmillan, 2011.
- 2. Daiches, David. Critical Appproaches To Literature. Kolkata: Orient Longman, 1988.
- 3. Nagarajan, M.S. *English Literary Criticism and Theory An Introductory History*. New Delhi: Orient Black Swan, 2006.
- 4. Barry, Peter. *Beginning Theory: An Introduction to Literary and Cultural Theory*. Viva Books, 2010.
- 5. Scott, Wilbur. *Five Approaches to Literary Criticism*. London: Macmillan Publishers, 1962.
- 6. Prof. Krishnaswamy, N. et.al. *Contemporary Literary Theory: A Student's Companion*. New Delhi: Laxmi Publications, 2008.



**Course Structure – Semester CBCS (w.e.f.2017-2018)** 

Class : B.A (English) Part IV : Skill Based

Semester : VI Hours : 02 Subject Code : 15UENS61 Credits : 02

# TRANSLATION: THEORY AND PRACTICE

# **Course Outcomes:**

**CO1:** To familiarize the students with the theories and problems of translation.

**CO2:** To train the students in prose and poetry translation.

**CO3:** To enable the students to get acquainted with the methods of translation.

# Unit I

Translation- Definition and Significance

# **Unit II**

History of Translation Theory- Early Theories- Bible Translation-The Renaissance, 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> Century Translations- Romanticism- Victorians

# **Unit III**

Modern Theories of Translation

#### **Unit IV**

Problems of Literary Translations- Structure- Poetry and Translations- Translating Prose and Dramatic Texts

#### Unit V

Translation Practice- From English to Regional Language and Vice versa

- 1. Bassnet, Susan Meguire. *Translation Studies*. London: Routledge, 1988.
- 2. Bassnet, Susan Meguire and Harish Trivedi. *Post-Colonial Translation: Theory and Practice*. London: Routledge, 2000.



**Course Structure – Semester CBCS (w.e.f.2017-2018)** 

Class : B.A (English) Part IV : Skill Based

Semester : VI Hours : 02 Subject Code : 15UENS62 Credits : 02

# ENGLISH FOR EMPLOYMENT

# **Course Outcomes:**

**CO1:** To improve the students' reading, writing, and speaking skills in the English language.

**CO2:** To teach them employability skills

CO3: To make them perform well in Competitive examinations

**Unit-I** Reading Comprehension

**Unit-II** Cloze Test

**Unit-III** Spotting the Errors, Synonyms, Antonyms, Idioms and Phrases

**Unit-IV** Sentence Skills (Sentence Improvement, Sentence Arrangement, Sentence

Completion and Sentence Fillers)

Unit-V Composition (Paragraph Writing, Essay Writing, e-mail letters, Report writing

and Resume preparing)

- 1. Gopalan, R. et.al. *General English for Competitive Examinations*. Noida, Uttar Pradesh: McGraw Hill Education (India) Pvt. Ltd, 2008.
- 2. Farhatullah, P.M. *English for Business Communication*. New Delhi: Prism Books Pvt. Ltd, \_\_\_\_\_.