

SYLLABUS

ENGLISH (COMPULSORY) B.A. SEMESTER-III

Max. Marks: 50
Time Allowed: 3 hrs.
Text Prescribed:

Theory: 45 marks
Internal Assessment: 05

English for Empowerment

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Poetry Section:

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| (i) Ode to Autumn | (ii) The Road Not Taken |
| (iii) Money Madness | (iv) I, Too |

Prose Section:

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| (i) Mr. Know All | (ii) Film Making |
| (iii) Not Just Oranges | (iv) A Talk on Advertising |

TESTING SCHEME:

Section-A

1. Short answer type questions from Poetry and Prose texts (in about 50-60 words). Five out of eight are to be attempted, selecting at least two each from Poetry and Prose. 10 Marks
(The examiner will set eight questions, four from each Poetry and Prose. The examiner will write the name of respective poem/prose at the end of each question.)
2. Long answer type questions from Poetry and Prose (in about 100-120 words). Two out of four are to be attempted, selecting one from each Poetry and Prose. 6 Marks
(The examiner will set four questions, two from each Poetry and Prose. The examiner will write the name of respective poem/prose at the end of each question.)

Section-B

3. Paragraph writing (based on poet-reading activities suggested in the prescribed texts). One out of three is to be attempted. 5 Marks
(The examiner will set three topics for essay writing from the post reading activities suggested in the prescribed texts. While selecting this question, special care must be taken to borrow ideas from the text or suitably modify them so as to identify viable topics that the students of B.A. (compulsory) can easily handle.)
4. Note making (one out of two is to be attempted) 4 Marks
(The examiner will set two paragraphs based on the prescribed text for note making. The students will be asked to attempt any one of the two.)
5. Grammar:
 - (i) Non finite verbs 5 Marks
 - (ii) Punctuation (A short paragraph) 5 Marks
 - (iii) Do as directed (based on transformation of sentences) 10 Marks*(The examiner will set three different grammar exercises for every section of Q.5 based on the prescribed text in such a way that most of the activities students have done in the class are adequately covered.)*