### **DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH**

# Category I

# **BA (HONS.) ENGLISH**

# DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSE -7 (DSC-7) -: Romantic Literature

No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

#### CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course	Credits	Credit d	Credit distribution of the course		Eligibility	Pre-requisite
title 8		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
Code				Practice		(if any)
DSC 7	4	3	1	0	Passed	NIL
Romantic					Class XII	
Literature					with	
					English	

# **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To offer students a foundational understanding of the way in which Romantic thought and literature continue to sensitise us in terms of cultural and social change.
- To open up a sense of how dominant movements in the field of political and social representation, education and imagination emerge powerfully at this time.

#### **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students' imagination will be stimulated by an understanding of the ways in which Romantic theory and praxis influence many movements of change in the contemporary world.
- This course will map an exciting phase in the development of thought, gender-mobility and social change.

# **SYLLABUS OF DSC-7**

#### UNIT – I (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

- 1. William Blake: Songs of Innocence and Experience: (i) 'Lamb' (ii) 'Tiger' (iii) 'Chimney Sweeper' (Songs of Innocence) (iv) 'Chimney Sweeper' (Songs of Experience)
- 2. William Wordsworth: (i) 'Tintern Abbey' (ii) 'London'
- 3. Samuel Taylor Coleridge: (i) 'Kubla Khan' (ii) 'Dejection: An Ode'

# UNIT – II (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

- 1. Percy Bysshe Shelley: (i) 'Ozymandias (ii) 'Ode to the West Wind'
- 2. John Keats: (i) 'Ode to a Nightingale' (ii) 'Ode on a Grecian Urn' (iii) 'Ode to Autumn'

# UNIT - III (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. Mary Shelley: Frankenstein

# Practical component (if any) - NIL

# Essential/recommended readings- as listed in the units

### **Suggestive readings:**

- 1. William Wordsworth, 'Preface to Lyrical Ballads', in *Romantic Prose and Poetry*, ed. Harold Bloom and Lionel Trilling, New York: OUP, 1973. pp 594–611
- 2. John Keats, 'Letter to George and Thomas Keats, 21 December 1817', and 'Letter to Richard Woodhouse, 27 October, 1818', in Romantic Prose and Poetry. ed. Harold Bloom and Lionel Trilling, New York: OUP, 1973. pp 766–768, 777–778
- 3. Jean-Jacques Rousseau, 'Preface' to *Emile or Education*. tr. Allan Bloom. Harmondsworth: Penguin, 1991.
- 4. Samuel Taylor Coleridge, 'Chap. XIII', *Biographia Literaria*. ed. George Watson, London: Everyman, 1993. pp 161–66
- 5. J.J. Rousseau, 'Discourse on the Origin of Inequality': Part One, Jean-Jacques Rousseau: Basic Political Writings. Hackett Publishing Company, 1987. pp 37-60 6. Gilpin, William. 'On Picturesque Travel', Three Essays: On Picturesque Beauty; On Picturesque Travel; and On Sketching Landscape: to which is Added a Poem, On Landscape Painting. UK: R. Blamire, 1794.

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# **DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSE – 8 (DSC-8): Victorian Literature**

# No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

### **Credit distribution, Eligibility and Prerequisites of the Course**

Course		Credits	Credit di	Credit distribution of the course		Eligibility	Pre-requisite
title 8	ķ		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
Code					Practice		(if any)
DSC 8	-	4	3	1	0	Passed	NIL
Victorian						Class XII	
Literature						with	
						English	

### **Learning Objectives:**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To offer students a fundamental understanding of how nineteenth-century developments in England around industrialization, colonization and gender-relations foreshadow later thinking on the subject.
- To offer students a basic sense of the deep-rooted nature of contemporary social and cultural challenges as having their origins in earlier times.

#### **Learning outcomes:**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

• By studying this course, students' imagination will be kindled to the way in which a range of genres speak to the spirit of an era.

# **SYLLABUS OF DSC-8**

# UNIT – I (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. Charlotte Bronte: Jane Eyre

2. Alfred Tennyson: 'The Lady of Shalott'

#### UNIT – II (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

Charles Dickens: Great Expectations
 Robert Browning: 'My Last Duchess'

# UNIT - III (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

- 1. George Eliot: The Mill on the Floss
- 2. Elizabeth Barrett Browning: 'How Do I Love Thee? Let me Count the Ways'

# Practical component (if any) - NIL

# Essential/recommended readings- as listed in the units

### Suggestive readings (if any):

- 1. Karl Marx and Friedrich Engels, 'Mode of Production: The Basis of Social Life', 'The Social Nature of Consciousness', and 'Classes and Ideology', in *A Reader in Marxist Philosophy*. ed. Howard Selsam and Harry Martel, New York: International Publishers, 1963. pp 186–8, 190–1, 199–201
- 2. Charles Darwin, 'Natural Selection and Sexual Selection', in *The Descent of Man in The Norton Anthology of English Literature*. 8th edn., vol. 2, ed. Stephen Greenblatt, New York: Northon, 2006. pp 1545–9
- 3. John Stuart Mill, 'The Subjection of Women', *The Norton Anthology of English Literature*, 8th edn., vol. 2, ed. Stephen Greenblatt, New York: Norton, 2006. pp 1061–9

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#### DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSE— 9 (DSC-9): Literary Criticism

#### No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

# **Credit distribution, Eligibility and Prerequisites of the Course**

Course		Credits	Credit distribution of the co		of the course	Eligibility	Pre-requisite
title	&		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
Code					Practice		(if any)
DSC	9:	4	3	1	0	Passed	NIL
Literary						Class XII	
Criticism	1					with	
						English	

#### **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To offer students a foundational understanding of the tenets of literary appreciation with specific reference to aesthetic evolution, genre and cultural production.
- To open up a cross-disciplinary sense of the field with specific reference to philosophy, aesthetics and historicism.

#### **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students will be communicated a basic sense of the evolution of literary criticism.
- Students will be encouraged towards comprehending how literary criticism enriches our understanding of how philosophical and material contexts shape literature.

#### **SYLLABUS OF DSC-9**

### UNIT – I (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

- 1. David Hume, 'Of the Standard of Taste', from 'Four Dissertations', *The Norton Anthology of Theory and Criticism*, ed. Vincent Leitch, New York: W. W. Norton & Co., 2001. pp 486-99
- 2. Edmund Burke, Part 1: Section VII, Section XVIII; Part 2- Sections I- VIII; Part 3- Section XXVII, *A Philosophical Enquiry into the Origin of our Ideas of the Sublime and the Beautiful*. ed. James T. Boulton, Oxford: Blackwell, 1987. pp 39-40, 51-52, 57-74, 124-25

#### UNIT – II (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

- 1. Virginia Woolf: 'Modern Fiction' (1919)
- 2. T.S. Eliot: 'Tradition and the Individual Talent' (1919)

#### UNIT – III (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

- 1. I.A. Richards: *Principles of Literary Criticism* (1926) Chapters 1 & 2.
- 2. Cleanth Brooks: *The Well-Wrought Urn: Studies in the Structure of Poetry* (1947) (i) 'The Heresy of Paraphrase' (ii) 'The Language of Paradox'

#### Practical component (if any) - NIL

#### **Essential/recommended readings-** as listed in the units

# Suggestive readings:

1. Kant, Immanuel Kant. 'Analytic of the Beautiful', trans. Paul Guyer, *The Critique of Judgment*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2000. pp 89-127

- 2. Schiller, Friedrich. 'Letter 2'; 'Letter 6', and 'Letter 9', trans. Reginald Snell, *Letters on the Aesthetic Education of Man*. UK: Dover Publications, 2004. pp 46-50, 69-83, 93-100
- 3. Hegel, G. W. F. (i) 'Work of Art as Product of Human Activity'; (ii) 'The Kantian Philosophy'; (iii) 'Imagination Genius and Inspiration', trans. T. M. Knox, in *Aesthetics: Lectures on Fine Art Vol. 1* (Oxford: Clarendon Press, 1988) pp 25-32, 56-61, 281-88.
- 4. Nietzsche, Friedrich. 'What is the Meaning of Ascetic Ideals', Book III, Sections 1–6, On the Genealogy of Morals. trans. Walter Kaufmann and John Hollingdale, New York: Vintage Books 1967. pp 1-6
- 5. Bakhtin, Mikhail. 'Forms of Time and of the Chronotope in the Novel', *The Dialogic Imagination: Four Essays*. trans. Caryl Emerson Michael Holquist, Texas:University of Texas Press, 1981. pp 84-110, 243-58

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#### **Category II**

# BA (Prog.) with English as Major

# DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSE -5 (DSC-5) -: Romantic Literature

#### No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

#### CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course		Credits	Credit di	Credit distribution of the course		Eligibility	Pre-requisite
title	&		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
Code					Practice		(if any)
DSC	5:	4	3	1	0	Passed	NIL
Romanti	c					Class XII	
Literatur	'nе					with	
						English	

# **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To offer students a foundational understanding of the way in which Romantic thought and literature continue to sensitise us in terms of cultural and social change.
- To open up a sense of how dominant movements in the field of political and social representation, education and imagination emerge powerfully at this time.

#### **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students' imagination will be stimulated by an understanding of the ways in which Romantic theory and praxis influence many movements of change in the contemporary world.
- This course will map an exciting phase in the development of thought, gender-mobility and social change.

#### **SYLLABUS OF DSC-5**

#### UNIT – I (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

- 1. William Blake: Songs of Innocence and Experience: (i) 'Lamb' (ii) 'Tiger' (iii) 'Chimney Sweeper' (Songs of Innocence) (iv) 'Chimney Sweeper' (Songs of Experience)
- 2. William Wordsworth: (i) 'Tintern Abbey' (ii) 'London'

3. Samuel Taylor Coleridge: (i) 'Kubla Khan' (ii) 'Dejection: An Ode'

# UNIT - II (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

- 1. Percy Bysshe Shelley: (i) 'Ozymandias (ii) 'Ode to the West Wind'
- 2. John Keats: (i) 'Ode to a Nightingale' (ii) 'Ode on a Grecian Urn' (iii) 'Ode to Autumn'

# UNIT - III (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. Mary Shelley: Frankenstein

# Practical component (if any) - NIL

Essential/recommended readings- as listed in the units

#### **Suggestive readings:**

- 1. William Wordsworth, 'Preface to Lyrical Ballads', in *Romantic Prose and Poetry*, ed. Harold Bloom and Lionel Trilling, New York: OUP, 1973. pp 594–611
- 2. John Keats, 'Letter to George and Thomas Keats, 21 December 1817', and 'Letter to Richard Woodhouse, 27 October, 1818', in Romantic Prose and Poetry. ed. Harold Bloom and Lionel Trilling, New York: OUP, 1973. pp 766–768, 777–778
- 3. Jean-Jacques Rousseau, 'Preface' to *Emile or Education*. tr. Allan Bloom. Harmondsworth: Penguin, 1991.
- 4. Samuel Taylor Coleridge, 'Chap. XIII', *Biographia Literaria*. ed. George Watson, London: Everyman, 1993. pp 161–66
- 5. J.J. Rousseau, 'Discourse on the Origin of Inequality': Part One, Jean-Jacques Rousseau: Basic Political Writings. Hackett Publishing Company, 1987. pp 37-60 6. Gilpin, William. 'On Picturesque Travel', Three Essays: On Picturesque Beauty; On Picturesque Travel; and On Sketching Landscape: to which is Added a Poem, On Landscape Painting. UK: R. Blamire, 1794.

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# **DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSE – 6 (DSC-6): Victorian Literature**

# No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

# **Credit distribution, Eligibility and Prerequisites of the Course**

Course		Credits	Credit di	Credit distribution of the course		Eligibility	Pre-requisite
title	&		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
Code					Practice		(if any)
DSC	6:	4	3	1	0	Passed	NIL
Victorian	1					Class XII	
Literatur	e					with	
						English	

# **Learning Objectives:**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To offer students a fundamental understanding of how nineteenth-century developments in England around industrialization, colonization and gender-relations foreshadow later thinking on the subject.
- To offer students a basic sense of the deep-rooted nature of contemporary social and cultural challenges as having their origins in earlier times.

#### **Learning outcomes:**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

• By studying this course, students' imagination will be kindled to the way in which a range of genres speak to the spirit of an era.

#### **SYLLABUS OF DSC-6**

# UNIT – I (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. Charlotte Bronte: Jane Eyre

2. Alfred Tennyson: 'The Lady of Shalott'

#### UNIT – II (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

Charles Dickens: Great Expectations
 Robert Browning: 'My Last Duchess'

#### UNIT – III (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

- 1. George Eliot: The Mill on the Floss
- 2. Elizabeth Barrett Browning: 'How Do I Love Thee? Let me Count the Ways'

# Practical component (if any) - NIL

# **Essential/recommended readings-** as listed in the units

### Suggestive readings (if any):

- 1. Karl Marx and Friedrich Engels, 'Mode of Production: The Basis of Social Life', 'The Social Nature of Consciousness', and 'Classes and Ideology', in *A Reader in Marxist Philosophy*. ed. Howard Selsam and Harry Martel, New York: International Publishers, 1963. pp 186–8, 190–1, 199–201
- 2. Charles Darwin, 'Natural Selection and Sexual Selection', in *The Descent of Man in The Norton Anthology of English Literature*. 8th edn., vol. 2, ed. Stephen Greenblatt, New York: Northon, 2006. pp 1545–9
- 3. John Stuart Mill, 'The Subjection of Women', *The Norton Anthology of English Literature*, 8th edn., vol. 2, ed. Stephen Greenblatt, New York: Norton, 2006. pp 1061–9

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# **Category III**

# BA (Prog.) with English as Non-Major

#### DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSE -3 (DSC-3) -: Romantic Literature

#### No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

# CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course		Credits	Credit di	Credit distribution of the course		Eligibility	Pre-requisite
title	&		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
Code					Practice		(if any)
DSC	3:	4	3	1	0	Passed	NIL
Romanti	С					Class XII	
Literatur	e					with	
						English	

# **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To offer students a foundational understanding of the way in which Romantic thought and literature continue to sensitise us in terms of cultural and social change.
- To open up a sense of how dominant movements in the field of political and social representation, education and imagination emerge powerfully at this time.

#### **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students' imagination will be stimulated by an understanding of the ways in which Romantic theory and praxis influence many movements of change in the contemporary world.
- This course will map an exciting phase in the development of thought, gender-mobility and social change.

#### **SYLLABUS OF DSC-3**

# UNIT - I (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

- 1. William Blake: Songs of Innocence and Experience: (i) 'Lamb' (ii) 'Tiger' (iii) 'Chimney Sweeper' (Songs of Innocence) (iv) 'Chimney Sweeper' (Songs of Experience)
- 2. William Wordsworth: (i) 'Tintern Abbey' (ii) 'London'

3. Samuel Taylor Coleridge: (i) 'Kubla Khan' (ii) 'Dejection: An Ode'

# UNIT - II (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

- 1. Percy Bysshe Shelley: (i) 'Ozymandias (ii) 'Ode to the West Wind'
- 2. John Keats: (i) 'Ode to a Nightingale' (ii) 'Ode on a Grecian Urn' (iii) 'Ode to Autumn'

# UNIT - III (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. Mary Shelley: Frankenstein

# Practical component (if any) - NIL

Essential/recommended readings- as listed in the units

#### **Suggestive readings:**

- 1. William Wordsworth, 'Preface to Lyrical Ballads', in *Romantic Prose and Poetry*, ed. Harold Bloom and Lionel Trilling, New York: OUP, 1973. pp 594–611
- 2. John Keats, 'Letter to George and Thomas Keats, 21 December 1817', and 'Letter to Richard Woodhouse, 27 October, 1818', in Romantic Prose and Poetry. ed. Harold Bloom and Lionel Trilling, New York: OUP, 1973. pp 766–768, 777–778
- 3. Jean-Jacques Rousseau, 'Preface' to *Emile or Education*. tr. Allan Bloom. Harmondsworth: Penguin, 1991.
- 4. Samuel Taylor Coleridge, 'Chap. XIII', *Biographia Literaria*. ed. George Watson, London: Everyman, 1993. pp 161–66
- 5. J.J. Rousseau, 'Discourse on the Origin of Inequality': Part One, Jean-Jacques Rousseau: Basic Political Writings. Hackett Publishing Company, 1987. pp 37-60 6. Gilpin, William. 'On Picturesque Travel', Three Essays: On Picturesque Beauty; On Picturesque Travel; and On Sketching Landscape: to which is Added a Poem, On Landscape Painting. UK: R. Blamire, 1794.

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# COMMON POOL OF DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE (DSE) COURSES FOR ODD SEMESTERS

# DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE—1 (DSE-1): Literature and Cinema

No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

#### **Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course**

Course title &	Credits	Credit	distributi course		Eligibility criteria	Pre- requisite	Department offering the
Code		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		of the course	course
DSE-1 Literature and Cinema	4	3	1	0	Passed Class XII	NIL	English

# **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To familiarize students with the basic aspects of cinema studies.
- To consider the relationship between literature and cinema.

#### **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students will be able to acquire knowledge of visual grammar across genres of film.
- Students will understand how cinema deals with issues of gender and sexuality.

#### **SYLLABUS OF DSE-1**

# UNIT - I (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

#### **UNIT I: Language of Cinema**

- Mise en scène
- film vocabulary
- signs and syntax

- Origin of Cinema as a New Form of Art
- questioning the traditional functions of art
- analysing new art forms in the 20th century
- film as a new form of art
- silent cinema
- 1. Monaco, James. 'The Language of Film: Signs and Syntax', *How to Read a Film: The World of Movies Media and Multimedia*. New York: OUP 2009. pp 170-249
- 2. Walter Benjamin: The Work of Art in the Age of Mechanical Reproduction (1935)
- 3. *Modern Times*, dir. Charlie Chaplin, 1936.

#### FOR VISUALLY IMPAIRED STUDENTS:

3. Film script of *Modern Times*:

http://chaplin.bfi.org.uk/resources/bfi/filmog/film\_thumb.php?fid=59441&resource =Script

# UNIT – II (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

## **UNIT II: Cinematic adaptations of literary texts**

- theory of adaptation
- the relationship between literature and films
- film as an adapted text
- 4. William Shakespeare: Macbeth (1623)
- 5. *Maqbool*, dir. Vishal Bhardwaj, 2003.
- 6. Throne of Blood, dir. Akira Kurosawa, 1957.

#### FOR VISUALLY IMPAIRED STUDENTS:

5. Film Script of *Maqbool*:

https://www.filmcompanion.in/download-the-script-ofmagbool/amp/

6. Film script of *Throne of Blood*:

https://transcripts.thedealr.net/script.php/throne-of-blood-1957-DAL

# UNIT – III (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

### **UNIT III: Gender and sexuality**

- connection with literature
- the difference between sexuality in films and literary texts
- the gaze
- the body
- cinematography
- 7. Mulvey, Laura. 'Visual Pleasure and Narrative Cinema', *Film Theory and Criticism: Introductory Readings*. eds. Leo Braudy and Marshall Cohen, New York: Oxford UP 1999. pp 833-44
- 8. Thelma and Louise, dir. Ridley Scott, 1991.
- 9. Margarita with a Straw, dir. Shonali Bose, 2014.

#### FOR VISUALLY IMPAIRED STUDENTS:

8. Film Script for *Thelma and Louise*:

https://www.imsdb.com/scripts/Thelma-&-Louise.html

9. Film Script for *Margarita with a Straw*:

https://www.scripts.com/script/margarita%2C with a straw 13368

**NOTE:** For visually impaired students to be able to take this paper, a number of supplementary readings are offered for Units 2 and 3. The cinematic texts in these units are to be supplemented by close reading of the respective film scripts.

For purposes of assessment/evaluation, a general advisory may be made to assist visually impaired students filter out areas they may not be able to address due to the nature of their disability and to focus on using supplementary texts to instead create other perspectives/forms of knowledge on the same texts.

Practical component (if any) - NIL

Essential/recommended readings- as listed in the units

# Suggestive readings:

- 1. Berger, John, et al. Chaps. 2 & 3, Ways of Seeing. United Kingdom: British Broadcasting Corporation and Penguin Books, 1972. pp 35-64
- 2. Bordwell, David. Film Art: An Introduction. New York: McGraw Hill, 1998.
- 3. Cartmell, Deborah(ed). *A Companion to Literature, Film and Adaptation*. Oxford: Wiley-Blackwell, 2012.
- 4. Costello, Tom. *International Guide to Literature on Film*. London: Bowker-Saur, 1994. Print.
- 5. Nichols, Bill(ed). *Movies and Methods: Vol. I: An Anthology*. Calcutta: Seagull Books, 1985.
- 6. Nichols, Bill(ed). *Movies and Methods: Vol. II: An Anthology*. Calcutta: Seagull Books, 1985.
- 7. Prasad, Madhava. 'The Absolutist Gaze: The Political Structure and the Cultural Form', in *Ideology of the Hindi Film: A Historical Construction* pp 48-82.
- 8. Roberge, Gaston. The Subject of Cinema. Calcutta: Seagull Books. 1990. Print.
- 9. Ross, Harris. Film as Literature, Literature as Film: An Introduction and Bibliography of Film's relationship to Literature. New York: Greenwood, 1987.
- 10. Stam Robert and Alessandra Raengo(ed). *A Companion to Literature and Film,* London: Blackwell, 2004. Print.

# DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE— 2 (DSE-2): Literary Theory

# No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

# Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course title &	Credits	Credi	t distribut course	ion of the	Eligibility criteria	Pre- requisite	Department offering the
Code		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		of the course	course
DSE-2 Literary Theory	4	3	1	0	Passed Class XII	NIL	English

# **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To familiarize students with the aspects of canonical literary theory
- To create a base for theoretical knowledge

# **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students will be able to discern relations between text, theory, and the world.
- This course will provide an understanding of complexities of theoretical positions.

#### **SYLLABUS OF DSE-1**

# UNIT - I (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. Antonio Gramsci: (i) 'Formation of the Intellectuals' (ii) 'Hegemony and the Separation of Powers'

#### UNIT – II (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

- 1. Jacques Derrida: 'Structure, Sign and Play in the Discourse of Human Sciences'
- 2. Michel Foucault: 'Truth and Power'

# UNIT – III (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

- 1. Luce Irigaray: (i) 'This Sex Which Is Not One' (ii) 'Commodities Amongst Themselves'
- 2. Judith Butler: 'Women as the Subject of Feminism'

# Practical component (if any) - NIL

#### **Essential/recommended readings-** as listed in the units

# Suggestive readings:

- 1. Ahmad, Aijaz. 'Introduction'; Chapter 7: 'Indian Literature: Notes Towards the Definition of a Category'; Chapter 8: 'Three Worlds Theory: End of a Debate', *In Theory: Classes, Nations, Literatures*. London, New York: Verso, 2000.
- 2. Barry, Peter. *Beginning Theory: An Introduction to Literary and Cultural Theory*. Manchester: Manchester University Press, 4<sup>th</sup> Edition, 2017.
- 3. Eagleton, Terry. 'Introduction'; Chapter 1; 'Conclusion', *Literary Theory: An Introduction*. Minneapolis: University of Minneapolis Press, 2008.

# DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE— 3 (DSE-3): Nineteenth Century European Realism

# No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

# Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course title &	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre- requisite	Department offering the
Code		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/		of the	course
				Practice		course	
DSE-3	4	3	1	0	Passed	NIL	English
Nineteenth					Class XII		
Century							
European							
Realism							

# **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To familiarize students with the classic writings of European realism in the Nineteenth Century.
- To enable an understanding of specifics of realism among students.

#### **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students will be able to comprehend different registers of European realism.
- This course will provide critical insights into ideas of the novel and its development.

# **SYLLABUS OF DSE-3**

### UNIT – I (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. Balzac, Honoré de. *Old Man Goriot* (1835). trans. Olivia Mc Cannon, UK: Penguin Classics, 2011.

# UNIT – II (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. Flaubert, Gustave. *Madame Bovary* (1856). trans. Geoffrey Wall, UK: Penguin Classics, 2003.

#### UNIT – III (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. Dostoyevsky, Fyodor. *Crime and Punishment* (1866). trans. Oliver Ready, UK: Penguin Classics Deluxe, edition, 2014.

# Practical component (if any) - NIL

#### **Essential/recommended readings-** as listed in the units

#### **Suggestive readings:**

- 1. Balzac, Honoré de. 'Society as Historical Organism', from Preface to, 'The Human Comedy', *The Modern Tradition*, ed. Richard Ellmann et al, Oxford: OUP, 1965. pp 265-267
- 2. Belinsky, V. G. 'Letter to Gogol (1847)', *Selected Philosophical Works*. Moscow: Moscow Foreign Languages Publishing House, 1948. pp 506-07

- 3. Flaubert, Gustave. 'Heroic Honesty', *The Modern Tradition*. ed. Richard Ellmann et al, Oxford: OUP, 1965. pp 242-43.
- 4. Frank, Joseph. *Dostoevsky: A Writer in His Time*. United Kingdom: Princeton University Press, 2012. pp 472-508
- 5. Frank, Joseph. *Lectures on Dostoevsky*. United States: Princeton University Press, 2022.

# **DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE- 4 (DSE-4): Interrogating Queerness**

#### No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

# **Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course**

Course title & Code	Credits				Eligibility criteria	Pre- requisite	Department offering the
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/		of the	course
				Practice		course	
DSE-4	4	3	1	0	Passed	NIL	English
Interrogating					Class XII		
Queerness							

# **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To introduce students to transnational, transcultural representations of queer writings.
- To impart an inquisitiveness among them of ways in which queer literature questions normative realities.

#### **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students will be able to think of queer literature within global, transcultural contexts.
- Students will gain knowledge of the embeddedness of queerness in the literary canon.

#### **SYLLABUS OF DSE-4**

# UNIT - I (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

- 1. Sappho. (i) 'Hymn to Aphrodite' (ii) 'I Have Not Had One Word from Her' (iii) 'He seems an equal of the gods', *If not Winter: Fragments of Sappho*, ed. and trans. Anne Carson, USA: Little Brown, 2003.
- 2. Nuwas, Abu. 'On a Boy Called Ali', *Classical Arabic Literature*. trans. Geert Jan Van Gelder, New York University Press, 2013. pp 38-39

### UNIT – II (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

- 1. Namjoshi, Suniti. *The Mothers of Maya Diip*. UK: The Women's Press, 1989.
- 2. Hussein, Madho Lal. 'Kafis': 2; 3; 5; 10; 13, *Verses of a Lowly Fakir*. trans. Naveed Alam, India: Penguin Books Limited, 2016.

# UNIT - III (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. James Baldwin: Giovanni's Room

# Practical component (if any) - NIL

#### **Essential/recommended readings-** as listed in the units

#### **Suggestive readings:**

- 1. Anzaldua, Gloria. 'Gestures of the Body', Light in the Dark/Luz en lo Oscuro: Rewriting Identity Spirituality Reality. trans. & ed. Ana Louise Keating, USA: Duke UP, 2015. pp 1-9
- 2. Butler, Judith. 'Critically Queer', *GLQ* 1:1, 1993. pp 17-32
- 3. Foucault, Michel. 'The Deployment of Sexuality: Method', *The History of Sexuality Vol. 1*. trans. Robert Hurley, NY: Pantheon, 1978. pp 92-103
- 4. Halberstam, Judith. *Female Masculinity*. USA: Duke UP, 1998. pp 1-44 5. Lorde, Audre. 'The Uses of the Erotic: The Erotic as Power', *Sister/Outsider*. CA: Crossing Press, 1984. pp 53-59

# DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE – 5 (DSE-5): Literature of the Indian Disapora

# No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

# Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course title &	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre- requisite	Department offering the
Code		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/		of the	course
				Practice		course	
DSE-5	4	3	1	0	Passed	NIL	English
Literature					Class XII		
of the							
Indian							
Diaspora							

#### **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To introduce students to select contemporary literature of the Indian diaspora.
- To highlight diversity of diasporic locations and writings

# **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students will be able to comprehend the interrelations between home, homeland, diaspora, and migration.
- Students will acquire understanding of complex diasporic imaginations.

#### **SYLLABUS OF DSE-5**

# UNIT – I (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. M. G. Vassanji: The Book of Secrets

UNIT - II (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

2. Vikram Seth: The Golden Gate

UNIT - III (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. Meera Syal: Anita and Me

### Practical component (if any) - NIL

# Essential/recommended readings- as listed in the units

#### **Suggestive readings:**

- 1. Mishra, Vijay. *The Literature of the Indian Diaspora: Theorising the Diasporic Imaginary*. New York: Routledge, 2007.
- 2. Braziel, Jana Evans, et al. (ed.). Theorizing Diaspora: A Reader. Wiley, 2003.
- 3. Unnikrishnan, Deepak. *Temporary People*. New York: Restless Books, 2017.
- 4. Phillips, Caryl. 'Somewhere in England', *Crossing the River*. London: Random House, 1993.
- 5. Gilroy, Paul. 'The Black Atlantic as a Counterculture of Modernity', *The Black Atlantic: Modernity and Double Consciousness*. London: Verso, 1993.
- 6. Jayaram, N. (ed.). *The Indian Diaspora: Dynamics of Migration*. Vol.4, Sage: New Delhi, 2004.

# **DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE— 6 (DSE-6): Research Methodology**

# No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

# Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course title & Code	Credits				Eligibility criteria	Pre- requisite	Department offering the
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/		of the	course
				Practice		course	
DSE-6	4	3	1	0	Passed	NIL	English
Research					Class XII		
Methodology							

#### **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

To offer practical training in academic writing.

• To introduce the basics of research and its methods.

# **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students will be able to acquire in-depth and practical knowledge regarding academic reading and writing.
- This course will enable students to write a research paper as part of project work.

#### **SYLLABUS OF DSE-6**

#### UNIT – I (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

- 1. Introduction to Practical Criticism
- 2. Conceptualizing and Drafting of a Research Proposal

# UNIT – II (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. Style Manuals: Notes, References and Bibliography/Annotated Bibliography

# UNIT – III (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

- 1. Workshop on Topic Development
- 2. Workshop on Research Proposal

#### Practical component (if any) –

• Writing a Research Paper (2000 to 2,500 words)

# **Essential/recommended readings**

- 1. Flick, Uwe. *Introducing Research Methodology: A Beginner's Guide to Doing a Research Project.* New Delhi: Sage, 2017.
- 2. Leki, Ilona. *Academic Writing: Exploring Processes and Strategies*. 2nd edn. New York: CUP, 1998.
- 3. Dev, Anjana N (ed.). *Academic Writing and Composition*. New Delhi: Pinnacle, 2015.
- 4. Richards, I. A. *Practical Criticism: A Study of Literary Judgement*. New York: Harcourt Brace, 1929.
- 5. Bailey, Stephen. *The Essentials of Academic Writing for International Students.* London: Routledge, 2015.
- 6. Orwell, George. *Politics and the English Language*. United Kingdom: Sahara Publisher Books, 1946.

### Suggestive readings-

- 1. Hamp-Lyons, Liz and Ben Heasley. *Study Writing: A Course in Writing Skills for Academic Purposes*. Cambridge: CUP, 2006.
- 2. Kumar, Ranjit, *Research Methodology: A Step by Step Guide for Beginners*. New Delhi: Sage, 2014.
- 3. Phanse, Sameer. *Research Methodology: Logic, Methods and Cases*. New Delhi:OUP, 2016.
- 4. Griffin, Gabrielle, ed. *Research Methods for English Studies*. 2nd edn. New Delhi: Rawat Publications. 2016 (Indian Reprint)

# **DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE-7 (DSE-7): Graphic Narratives**

# No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

# Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course title &	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre- requisite	Department offering the
Code		Lecture Tutorial Practical/			of the	course	
				Practice		course	
DSE-7	4	3	1	0	Passed	NIL	English
Graphic					Class XII		
Narratives							

# **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To introduce students to the field of graphic narratives.
- To sample a variety of graphic narratives from different locations and in varied styles.

#### **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students will be able to gain an understanding of the specific languages of graphic narratives.
- Students will be able to comprehend the relationship between text and visuality.

#### **SYLLABUS OF DSE-7**

### UNIT – I (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. Miller, Frank. Batman: The Dark Knight Returns. Delhi: Random House, 2016.

# **Supplementary Reading for Visually Impaired Students:**

1. Feiffer, Jules. 'Introduction' and 'Afterword', *The Great Comic Book Heroes*. Bonanza Books, 1965.

http://www.tcj.com/the-great-comic-book-heroes-intro-afterword-by-jules-feiffer/

# UNIT – II (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

2. Natarajan, Srividya and Aparajita Ninan. *A Gardener in the Wasteland*. Delhi: Navayana,

2016.

3. Kadam, Dilip and S. S. Rege. *Babasaheb Ambedkar: He Dared to Fight*. Vol. 611, Mumbai: Amar Chitra Katha, 1979.

### **Supplementary Reading for Visually Impaired Students**

2. Nayar, Pramod K. 'Drawing on Other Histories.', *The Indian Graphic Novel: Nation, History and Critique*. Routledge, 2016. pp 109-154

# UNIT – III (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

- 4. Patil, Amruta. Kari. Delhi: Harper Collins, 2008.
- 5. Satrapi, Marjane. *Persepolis: The Story of a Childhood*. London: Pantheon 2004.

#### **Supplementary Reading for Visually Impaired Students**

4. Robinson, Lillian S. 'Chronicles: Generations of Super Girls,' *Wonder Women: Feminisms and Superheroes*. Routledge, 2004. pp 65-94

#### Practical component (if any) - NIL

#### **Essential/recommended readings-** as listed in the units

# **Suggestive readings:**

1. Chute, Hilary. 'Comics as Literature?: Reading Graphic Narrative,' *PMLA* 123 (2), pp 452-465

- 2. McCloud, Scott. *Understanding Comics: The Invisible Art*. USA: HarperCollins, 1993. pp 60-137
- 3. Mickwitz, Nina. *Documentary Comics: Graphic Truth-Telling in a Skeptical Age*. UK: Palgrave Macmillan, 2016. pp 1-28

# DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE— 8 (DSE-8): Children's Literature

# No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

# Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course title &	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre- requisite	Department offering the
Code		Lecture Tutorial Practical/			of the	course	
				Practice		course	
DSE-8	4	3	1	0	Passed	NIL	English
Children's					Class XII		
Literature							

# **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To familiarize students with an outline the field of children's writing.
- To convey a sense of diversity within children's literature.

#### **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students will be able to appreciate the literary and theoretical complexity of children's writing.
- This course will enable a comprehension of children's literature across time and cultural spaces.

#### **SYLLABUS OF DSE-8**

# UNIT - I (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. Roald Dahl: Fantastic Mr Fox

2. Antoine de Saint-Exupéry: The Little Prince

# UNIT - II (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

- 1. Roychowdhury, Upendra Kishore. *Goopy Gyne Bagha Byne*. New Delhi: Puffin Books, 2004. pp 3-27
- 2. Ray, Satyajit. *The Golden Fortress (Sonar Kella)*. trans. Gopa Majumdar, Penguin/Puffin, 2015.

### UNIT – III (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. Anderson, M.T. *Feed*, Somerville: Candlewick Press, 2002.

#### Practical component (if any) - NIL

# Essential/recommended readings- as listed in the units

# Suggestive readings:

- 1. Carpenter, Humphrey and Mari Prichard (Eds.). *The Oxford Companion to Children's Literature*. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 1984.
- 2. Egoff, Sheila, et al. (Eds.) *Only Connect: Readings on Children's Literature*, 3rd Edition. New York: Oxford University Press, 1996.
- 3. Hunt, Peter. *Criticism, Theory and Children's Literature*. Cambridge, Ma: Basil Blackwell, 1999.
- 4. Lehr, Susan. *The Child's Developing Sense of Theme: Responses to Literature*. New York: Teachers College Press, 1991.
- 5. Lukens, Rebecca J. *A Critical Handbook of Children's Literature*, 6th Edition. New York: Longman, 1999.
- 6. Lurie, Alison. *Don't Tell the Grown-Ups: Subversive Children's Literature*. Boston: Little, Brown, 1990.
- 7. Townsend, John Rowe. Written for Children: An Outline of English Children's Literature. 4th Edition. New York: Harper Collins, 1990.
- 8. Bang, Molly. 'Building the Emotional Content of Pictures', *Picture This: How Pictures Work*. San Francisco: Chronicle Books, 2018. pp 1-50

9. Nodelman, Perry. 'Defining Children's Literature', *The Hidden Adult: Defining Children's Literature*, Baltimore: John Hopkins University Press, 2008. pp 133-137

# **DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE – 9 (DSE-9): Indian Partition Literature**

# No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

# Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course title &	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre- requisite	Department offering the
Code		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		of the course	course
DSE-9 Indian	4	3	1	0	Passed Class XII	NIL	English
Partition Literature							

### **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To familiarize students with the basic understanding of Partition Literature in India.
- To sensitize students to complex narratives of Partition

#### **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students will be able to acquire in-depth knowledge of literary and theoretical insights into Partition.
- Students will be able to comprehend the relationship between literary representations and memories of the Partition.

#### **SYLLABUS OF DSE-9**

# UNIT - I (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. Butalia, Urvashi. 'Beginnings', *The Other Side of Silence: Voices from the Partition of India*. India: Penguin books, 1998.

2. Nandy, Ashish. 'The Invisible Holocaust and the Journey as an Exodus', *A Very Popular Exile*. Delhi: OUP, 2007.

# UNIT - II (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

- 1. Manţo, Sa'ādat Ḥasan. 'Toba Tek Singh', *Manto: Selected Short Stories: Including 'Toba Tek Singh' and 'The Dog of Tithwal'*. India, Random House India, 2012.
- 2. Chander, Krishan. 'Peshawar Express', *Stories About the Partition of India*. trans. Jai Ratan, ed. Alok Bhalla, Vol. 3, Delhi: Indus, 1994. pp 205-215
- 3. Waliullah, Syed. 'The Tale of a Tulsi Plant', *Mapmaking: Partition Stories from Two Bengals*, trans. Rani Ray, ed. Debjani Sengupta, Amaryllis: 2011. pp 101-114
- 4. Kothari, Rita. (ed.) Selections from *Unbordered Memories: Sindhi Stories of Partition*. New Delhi: Penguin Books, 2009.

# UNIT – III (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. Gangopadhyay, Sunil. Arjun. trans. Chitrita Bannerjee, Penguin, 1987.

### Practical component (if any) - NIL

#### **Essential/recommended readings-** as listed in the units

#### **Suggestive readings:**

- 1. Bhasin, Kamla and Ritu Menon. 'Introduction', *Borders and Boundaries*. Delhi: Kali for Women, 1998.
- 2. Pandey, Gyanendra. 'The Three Partitions of 1947', *Remembering Partition: Violence, Nationalism and History in India*. Cambridge: Cambridge UP, 2001. pp 21-44
- 3. Schendel, Willem van. 'Partition Studies', *The Bengal Borderland: Beyond State and Nation in South Asia*. London: Anthem Press, 2005. pp 24-38
- 5. Khan, Yasmin. 'Leprous Daybreak' and 'Bitter Legacies', *The Great Partition: The Making of India and Pakistan*. Delhi: Penguin Random House, 2007. pp 143-185

# **DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE– 10 (DSE-10): World Literatures**

# No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

# **Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course**

Course title &	Credits				Eligibility criteria	Pre- requisite	Department offering the
Code		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/		of the	course
				Practice		course	
DSE-10	4	3	1	0	Passed	NIL	English
World					Class XII		
Literatures							

# **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To introduce students to the field of World Literatures.
- To indicate diversity of literary representations in the field.

#### **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students will be able to gain an understanding of the complexity of theoretical and literary representations in the field.
- Students will gain a critical knowledge about the categorization of 'World Literature'.

# **SYLLABUS OF DSE-10**

#### UNIT – I (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. Abdulrazak Gurnah: By the Sea (2001)

# UNIT - II (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

- 1. Pablo Neruda: 'Fable of the Mermaid and the Drunks'
- 2. Walcott: 'Names'
- 3. Nazar Qabbani: 'Beirut, The Mistress of the World'

4. Meena Alexander: 'Shook Silver'

# UNIT – III (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

- 1. Marquez: 'Balthasar's Marvellous Afternoon'
- 2. Paz: 'The Blue Bouquet'
- 3. Ngugi wa Thiong'o. "Introduction: Towards the Universal Language of Struggle" & "The Language of African Literature". *Decolonising the Mind*, London: James Currey, 1986. pp 1-33

# Practical component (if any) - NIL

# Essential/recommended readings- as listed in the units

#### **Suggestive readings:**

- 1. Damrosch, David. 'Goethe Coins a Phrase', What is World Literature?. Princeton UP, 2003. pp 1-36
- 2. Cheah, Pheng. 'The New World Literature: Literary Studies Discovers Globalization', What is a World?: On Postcolonial Literature as World Literature. Duke University Press, 2015. pp 23-45
- 3. Moretti, Franco. 'Conjectures on World Literature', NLR 1, Jan-Feb. 2000. pp 54-68
- 4. Chaudhari, Rosinka. 'Viśvasāhitya: Rabindranath Tagore's Idea of World Literature', *The Cambridge History of World Literature*. ed. Debjani Ganguly, Cambridge UP, 2021. pp 261-278.
- 5. Mufti, Aamir. 'Global English and Its Others', Forget English! Orientalism and World Literatures. Harvard UP, 2016. pp 146-202

Note: Examination scheme and mode shall be as prescribed by the Examination Branch, University of Delhi, from time to time.

# COMMON POOL OF GENERIC ELECTIVE (GE) COURSES FOR ODD SEMESTERS

**NOTE:** The Generic Electives for the ODD SEMESTERS already approved, will also run for Semester III students. These are:

**GENERIC ELECTIVES (GE-1: Language and Culture)** 

No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

# Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course title &	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre- requisite	Department offering the
Code		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		of the course	course
GE-1 Language and Culture	4	3	1	0	Passed Class XII	NIL	English

# **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To familiarize students with the basic approaches to the study of language.
- To impart a socio- cultural perspective to the study of English in the Indian context.

# **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students will be able to analyze both the socio-cultural and formal aspects of language in general and English in particular.
- Students will be able to understand the shifting and evolving dynamics of the link between language and culture in India.

#### **SYLLABUS OF GE-1**

# UNIT - I (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

# **UNIT I-Language**

- 1. Connor-Linton, Jeffrey, and Fasold, Ralph. 'Introduction', *An Introduction to Language and Linguistics*. United States: Cambridge University Press, 2006.
- 2. Fromkin, Victoria, Robert Rodman, and Nina Hyams. 'Part 1', *An Introduction to the Study of Language*. Boston, MA: Cengage, 2017.
- 3. Wardaugh, Ronald. Chapters 2 and 3, *An Introduction to Sociolinguistics*. Malden, MA: Blackwell, 2006.
- 4. Rodriques, M V. Chapters 2 and 6, *Perspectives of Communication and Communicative Competence*. India: Concept Pub, 2000.

# UNIT - II (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

# **UNIT II- English Language in India and Multilingualism**

- 1. Jayendran, Nishevita, et al. Chapters 3, 5 and 6, *Language Education: Teaching English in India*. India: Taylor & Francis, 2021.
- 2. Mukherjee, Joybrato. 'The development of the English language in India', *The Routledge Handbook of World Englishes*. ed. A. Kirkpatrick, London and New York: Routledge, Taylor & Francis Group, 2000. pp 167-180
- 3. Bhatia, Tej K. 'The Multilingual Mind, Optimization Theory and Hinglish', *Chutnefying English: The Phenomenon of Hinglish. India.* ed. Rita Kothari & Rupert Snell, Penguin Books, 2011.

# UNIT - III (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

#### **UNIT III: Language and Society**

- 1. Wardaugh, Ronald. 'Gender', An *Introduction to Sociolinguistics*. Malden, MA: Blackwell, 2006.
- 2. Soden, Satori, et al. Chapter 5, 6, 8, 9, *Language, Society and Power: An Introduction*. Taylor & Francis, 2010.
- 3. Wilson, James C. and Cynthia Lewiecki-Wilson. 'Disability, Rhetoric, and the Body': *Embodied Rhetorics: Disability in Language and Culture*. United States: Southern Illinois University Press, 2001.

# Practical component (if any) - NIL

#### **Essential/recommended readings-** as listed in the units

#### Suggestive readings:

1. Fowler, Roger. *The Linguistics of Literature*. London: Routledge and Kegan Paul Ltd, 1971.

- 2. Bailey, R. W. and J. L. Robinson, ed. *Varieties of present-day English*. New York: Macmillan, 1973.
- 3. Fishman, J.A. *Sociolinguistics: A Brief Introduction*. Mass: Newbury House Rowley, 1971.
- 4. Gupta R. S. and K. S. Agarwal, *Studies in Indian Sociolinguistics*. New Delhi: Creative Books, 1996.
- 5. 'Notes on the History of the Study of the Indian Society and Culture', *Structure and Change in Indian Society*, ed. Milton Singer and Bernard S Cohn. Chicago: Aldine Press, 1968.
- 6. 'Towards a Definition of Culture', *India and World Culture*. New Delhi: Sahitya Academy, 1986.
- 7. 'Culture and Ideology', *Culture, Ideology and Hegemony: Intellectual and Social Consciousness in Colonial India*. London and New York: Longman,1995.
- 8. Crystal, David. The Stories of English. UK: Penguin Books Limited, 2005.
- 9. Krishnaswamy, N., and Krishnaswamy, Lalitha. *The Story of English in India*. India: Foundation Books, 2006.
- 10. Crystal, David. *The Cambridge Encyclopedia of the English Language*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1995.
- 11. Mesthrie, Rajend, and Bhatt, Rakesh M. World Englishes: The Study of New Linquistic Varieties. United Kingdom: Cambridge University Press, 2008.
- 12. Marckwardt, Albert H. "English as a Second Language and English as a Foreign Language." *PMLA*, vol. 78, no. 2, 1963, pp 25–28.
- 13. Kramschin, Claire. *The Routledge Handbook of Language and Culture. United Kingdom, Taylor & Francis, 2014.*

#### **GENERIC ELECTIVES (GE-2: Genre Fiction)**

#### No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

#### Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility	Pre-requisite
title &		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
Code				Practice		
GE-2	4	3	1	0	Passed	Nil
Genre					Class XII	
Fiction						

#### **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To understand how the evolving genre of fiction engages with contemporary social and cultural realities.
- To understand the strategies of narrative and themes this specific genre of fiction uses.

#### **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students will be able to efficiently undertake textual analysis within the specific rubric of genre fiction.
- Students will gain knowledge of the aspects of fictionality while engaging with popular culture.

#### **SYLLABUS OF GE-2**

# UNIT – I (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. Arthur Conan Doyle: The Sign of Four

# UNIT - II (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. Kashigo Ishiguro: Never Let Me Go

# UNIT – III (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. Ibn-e-Safi: House of Fear

2. Madulika Liddle: Crimson City

#### Practical component (if any) - NIL

#### Essential/recommended readings- as listed in the units

#### Suggestive readings:

- 1. H. Thomas Milhorn: Writing Genre Fiction: A Guide to the Craft (2006)
- 2. Beth Driscoll, Kim Wilkins, Lisa Fletcher: *Genre Worlds: Popular Fiction and Twenty-First-Century* (2022)
- 3. Joyce G. Saricks: The Readers' Advisory Guide to Genre Fiction (2009)
- 4. Jeremy Rosen: 'Literary Fiction and the Genres of Genre Fiction' Posted 8th July, 2018.

https://post45.org/2018/08/literary-fiction-and-the-genres-of-genre-fiction/

## **GENERIC ELECTIVES (GE-3): Dystopian Writings**

## No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

## Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course	Credits	Credit di	stribution	of the course	Eligibility	Pre-requisite
title &		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
Code				Practice		
GE-3:	4	3	1	0	Passed	NIL
Dystopian					Class XII	
Writings						

#### **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To familiarize students with the evolution of the literary trends/movements under Dystopian writings.
- To analyse texts and identify the distinctions across prominent milieus and regions.

## **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students will be able to understand what constitutes the genre of Dystopian Writings.
- students will be able to discern the shifting dynamics of reality and representation.

#### **SYLLABUS OF GE-3**

## UNIT - I (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. Mary Shelley: The Last Man

#### UNIT – II (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. H.G. Wells: The Time Machine

## UNIT – III (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. Malcolm Bradbury: Fahrenheit 451

#### Practical component (if any) - NIL

**Essential/recommended readings-** as listed in the units

## Suggestive readings:

- 1. Stock, Adam. *Modern Dystopian Fiction and Political Thought: Narratives of World Politics*. United Kingdom: Taylor & Francis, 2018.
- 2. Gottlieb, Erika. *Dystopian Fiction East and West: Universe of Terror and Trial.* Maldives: McGill-Queen's University Press, 2001.
- 3. Basu, Balaka, et al. (ed.) *Contemporary Dystopian Fiction for Young Adults: Brave New Teenagers*. United States: Taylor & Francis, 2013.
- 4. Isomaa, Saija, et al. (ed.) *New Perspectives on Dystopian Fiction in Literature and Other Media*. United Kingdom: Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 2020.
- 5. Anthony, Ashley G., et al. (ed.) *Worlds Gone Awry: Essays on Dystopian Fiction*. United States: Incorporated Publishers, 2018.

## **GENERIC ELECTIVES (GE-4) Literature & Human Rights**

No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

#### Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility	Pre-requisite
title &		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
Code				Practice		
GE-4	4	3	1	0	Passed	NIL
Literature					Class XII	
& Human						
Rights						

## **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To consider the relationship between literature and human rights.
- To indicate investments in human rights within literary texts.

#### **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students will be able to understand the relevance of human rights in everyday contexts.
- Students will be able to appreciate the importance of human rights in literary and theoretical terms.

#### **SYLLABUS OF GE-4**

## UNIT - I (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. George Orwell: 1984(1949)

## UNIT - II (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. Harper Lee: To Kill a Mockingbird (1960)

## UNIT - III (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

- 1. Freedom: Short Stories Celebrating the Universal Declaration of Human Rights. Amnesty International, 2009.
- (i) 'In the Prison of Repose'—Paulo Coelho
- (ii) 'Amnesty'—Nadine Gordimer
- (iii) 'ABC Antidote'—Ishmael Beah
- 2. Maya Angelou: 'I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings'[poem]
- 3. June Millicent Jordan: 'Poem About My Rights'

## Practical component (if any) - NIL

#### **Essential/recommended readings-** as listed in the units

## Suggestive readings:

- 1. The Universal Declaration of Human Rights https://www.un.org/en/udhrbook/pdf/udhr\_booklet\_en\_web.pdf
- 2. Barzilay, Vered Cohen. 'Foreword: The Tremendous Power of Literature', *Freedom: Short Stories Celebrating the Universal Declaration of Human Rights*. Amnesty International, 2009.
- 3. Hunt, Lynn. Inventing Human Rights: A History. W.W. Norton, 2008.
- 4. Nickel, James W. *Making Sense of Human Rights: Philosophical Reflections on the Universal Declaration of Human Rights*. United Kingdom: University of California Press, 1987.
- 5. Tierney, Brian. *The Idea of Natural Rights: Studies on Natural Rights, Natural Law, and Church Law,* 1150-1625. United Kingdom: Eerdmans Publishing Company, 2001.
- 6. Rawls, John. The Law of Peoples: with "The Idea of Public Reason Revisited". United Kingdom: Harvard University Press, 1999.
- 7. Griffin, James. On Human Rights. United Kingdom: OUP, 2009.

## **GENERIC ELECTIVES (GE-5) Readings on Indian Diversities and Literary Movements**

## No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

## Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
GE-5 Readings on Indian Diversities and Literary Movements	4	3	1	0	Passed Class XII	NIL

#### **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To introduce the social and cultural history of India which were conducive to the development of art and literature
- To inculcate new ways to interpret, understand and read representations of diversity.

## **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students will be able to read non-verbal social and cultural history.
- Students will be encouraged to be open to the diverse modes of thought.

## **SYLLABUS OF GE-5**

## UNIT – I (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

- 1. Overview
- 2. Linguistic Plurality within Sufi and Bhatia Tradition

#### UNIT – II (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. Language Politics: Hindi and Urdu

- 2. Tribal Verse
- 3. Dalit Voices

## UNIT – III (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

- 1. Writing in English
- 2. Woman Speak: Examples from Kannada and Bangla
- 3. Literary Cultures: Gujarati and Sindhi

## Practical component (if any) - NIL

## **Essential/recommended readings:**

1. Kumar, Sukrita Paul et al. (eds.). *Cultural Diversity, Linguistic Plurality, and Literary Traditions in India*. New Delhi: Macmillan, 2005.

## **Suggestive readings- NIL**

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## **GENERIC ELECTIVES (GE-6) Indian English Literatures**

#### No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

## **Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course**

Course	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility	Pre-requisite
title &		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
Code				Practice		
GE-6	4	3	1	0	Passed	NIL
Indian					Class XII	
English						
Literatures						

#### **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To introduce literary texts from a range of regional, cultural, social, and political locations within India.
- To inculcate an in-depth understanding of some of the major issues shaping this literary production.

## **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students will be able to comprehend regional differences in the issues discussed and in socio-cultural contexts.
- Students will be able to analyze the use of the English language by non-native speakers and writers.

#### **SYLLABUS OF GE-6**

## UNIT – I (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

1. Vikram Seth: A Suitable Boy

## UNIT – II (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

- 1. Shashi Deshpande: 'The Intrusion'
- 2. Salman Rushdie: 'The Courter'
- 3. Rohinton Mistry: 'Swimming Lessons'
- 4. Vikram Chandra: 'Dharma'

## UNIT – III (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

- 1. Kamala Das: (i) 'An Introduction' (ii) 'My Grandmother's House'
- 2. Nissim Ezekiel: (i) 'Night of the Scorpion' (ii) 'Goodbye Party for Miss Pushpa TS'
- 3. Arun Kolatkar: (i) 'The Bus'
- 4. Mamang Dai, 'The Sorrow of Women'

## Practical component (if any) - NIL

#### **Essential/recommended readings-** as listed in the units

## **Suggestive readings:**

- 1. Burton, Antoinette. *Dwelling in the Archive: Women Writing House, Home, and History in Late Colonial India*. Oxford UP, 2003.
- 2. Zecchini, Laetitia. *Arun Kolatkar & Literary Modernism in India: Moving Lines*. USA: Bloomsbury Academic, 2014.
- 3. Nerlekar, Anjali. *Bombay Modern: Arun Kolatkar and Bilingual Literary Culture*. Speaking Tiger, 2017.
- 4. Anjaria, Ulka. *Realism in the Twentieth-Century Indian Novel: Colonial Difference and Literary Form*. Cambridge UP, 2012.
- 5. Parashkevova, Vassilena. *Salman Rushdie's Cities: Reconfigurational Politics and the Contemporary Urban Imagination*. Bloomsbury, 2012.

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## COMMON POOL OF GENERIC ELECTIVE (GE) LANGUAGE COURSES

## GENERIC ELECTIVES LANGUAGE-5 (GE Language 5) English Language through Literature-II

No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

## Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course	Credits	Credit di	stribution	of the course	Eligibility	Pre-requisite
title &		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
Code				Practice		
GE Language 5- English Language Through Literature- II	4	3	1	0	Passed Class XII	NIL

## **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To develop in students the ability and confidence to process, understand and examine different kinds of texts-verbal and written-that they encounter in everyday life
- To enable students to identify and understand social contexts and ethical frameworks in the texts they encounter.
- To encourage suitable research—to recognize sources; to distinguish fact from opinion/editorialization; produce objective versus subjective pieces
- To learn skilled comprehension; listening/reading; skimming; summarizing; précis writing; paraphrasing; note making
- To identify key topics/arguments/ideas
- To accomplish writing goals: creating an essay; writing a thesis statement; producing topic sentences; developing organised paragraphs; evolving the skill of producing suitable transitions between paragraphs

- To enable students to write in expository argumentative and descriptive modes
- To help students identify and use the characteristic features of various writing forms: letters; programmes reports/press-releases; newspaper; feature articles; fiction and nonfiction
- To enable students to choose between expository, argumentative, descriptive and narrative writing styles to assemble their own writing

#### **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students will be able to inculcate confident expression.
- Students will be able to articulate their own views confidently as their language skills sufficiently empower them to converse, research and collate information from various textual sources—verbal or written.

#### **SYLLABUS OF GE LANGUAGE 5-**

## UNIT – I (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

**UNIT 1**: Understanding Fiction

1. Kumar E., Santhosh. 'Three Blind Men describe an Elephant', Indian Review.

http://indianreviewin/fiction/malayalam-short-stories-three-blind-men-describe-an-elephant-by-e-santhosh-kumar/ Accessed 1st June 2022

- 2. Mistry, Rohinton. 'The Ghost of Firozsha Baag', *Tales from Firozsha Bagh*. McClelland & Stewart, 1992.
- 3. Joshi, Umashankar. 'The Last Dung Cake', *The Quilt from the Flea-market and Other Stories*. Delhi: National Book Trust, 2017.

#### UNIT – II (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

**UNIT 2:** Creating Your Own Voice

4. Powell, Tori B. 'Young people discuss how phones and social media create connection — and self-doubt: "Compared to them, I am a nobody" *CBS News*. Posted 24th May 2022.

https://www.cbsnews.com/news/mental-health-impacts-phones-social-media/

5. Khanna, Twinkle. 'Lesson from Frida: Backbone can win over broken spine' in 'Mrs. Funnybones' *The Times of India*. 16th September 2018.

https://timesofindia.indiatimes.com/blogs/mrsfunnybones/lesson-from-frida-backbone-can-win-over-broken-spine/ Accessed 13th June 2022

UNIT – III (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

**UNIT 3**: Writing your own academic paper

6. Patel, Raj and Moore Jason. 'How the chicken nugget became the true symbol of our era' *The Guardian*, 8th May 2018

https://wwwtheguardiancom/news/2018/may/08/how-the-chicken-nugget-became-the-true-symbol-of-our-era Accessed 1st June 2022

7. Latest editions of the MLA and APA style sheets

Practical component (if any) - NIL

**Essential/recommended readings-** as listed in the units

**Suggestive readings- NIL** 

## GENERIC ELECTIVES LANGUAGE-6 (GE Language 6) Digital Communication-II

#### No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

## Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course title &	Credits	Credit distribution of the			Eligibility	Pre-
Code		course			criteria	requisite
		Lecture Tutorial Practical/				of the
				Practice		course
GE Language 6-	4	3	1	0	Passed	NIL
Digital					Class XII	
Communication-						
II						

## **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To hone skills for online communication and provide interpersonal skills required in the digital world.
- To effectively present themselves in personal and professional capacities using online mediums.

#### **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

 By studying this course, students will be able to understand and learn globally emerging forms of digital communication in English and effectively communicate in their everyday contexts be it in social or professional situations.

#### **SYLLABUS OF GE LANGUAGE 6-**

#### UNIT – I (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

**UNIT I:** Curating Persona

- 1. Maintaining profiles (continuity: coherence, cohesion)
- 2. Innovating content (introducing new ideas, opinions, and facts: style and correctness)

3. Content writing (briefs, press releases, podcast scripts: concise, cohesion, coherence, clarity)

## UNIT - II (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

**UNIT II:** Making Institutional Profiles and networks

- 1. Writing about the institution (describing and assessing)
- 2. Building networks (compare, contrast, synthesize)
- 3. Updating Blogs and Vlogs (discourse markers)

## UNIT – III (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

**UNIT III:** Online Interactions and Diversity

- 1. Etiquettes for online interactions (chats, meetings, video conferences).
- 2. Ethics towards inclusive and integrated participation (addressing gender, ethnicity, special abilities)
- 3. Drawing boundaries in communication (obscenities, hostility, addressing disrespectful comments and feedback: changing register and tone of communication)

Practical component (if any) - NIL

**Essential/recommended readings-** as listed in the units

Suggestive readings- NIL

## GENERIC ELECTIVES LANGUAGE-7 (GE Language 7) English Fluency-II

## No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

## Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility	Pre-requisite
title &		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
Code				Practice		
GE	4	3	1	0	Passed	NIL
Language					Class XII	
7- English						
Fluency-II						

## **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To describe or express their opinions on topics of personal interest such as their experiences of events, their hopes and ambitions.
- To read and understand information on topical matters and explain the advantages and disadvantages of a situation.
- To write formal letters, personal notes, blogs, reports and texts on familiar matters.
- To comprehend and analyse texts in English.
- To organise and write paragraphs and short essays in a variety of rhetorical styles.

#### **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students will be able to effectively communicate in their everyday contexts.
- Students will be equipped with skills that will help them interact with people around their personal, institutional and social spaces.

#### **SYLLABUS OF GE LANGUAGE 7-**

## UNIT – I (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

#### **Unit 1:** In the State

- Research -- Filing an FIR, making an RTI request, submitting a consumer complaint
- Active & Passive voice; idioms

A. Find out what the procedure is for making a complaint about trees being cut in your neighbourhood.

B. Draft a formal letter requesting information about the disbursal of funds collected by a residents' welfare association

## **Readings:**

- 1. Sendak, Maurice. Where the Wild Things Are. UK: Random House, 2000.
- 2. https://rtionline.gov.in/
- 3. www.jaagore.com/know-your-police/procedure-of-filing-fir
- 4. www.consumercomplaints.in/municipal-corporation-of-delhi-b100274

## UNIT - II (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

**Unit 2:** Interface with Technology

- Book/film reviews
- Punctuation

A. Write a review of a text you have read in class.

B. Record a collaborative spoken-word review of the latest film your group have all seen

#### **Readings:**

5. Kennedy, Elizabeth. "Breakdown and Review of 'Where the Wild Things Are'." *ThoughtCo*. Posted 3rd July, 2019.

https://www.thoughtco.com/where-the-wild-things-are-maurice-sendak-626391 Accessed 1st June, 2022

- 6. Brown, Dan. Angels & Demons. UK: Pocket Books, 2000.
- 7. Angels & Demons. dir. Ron Howard, 2009.

## UNIT - III (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

**Unit 3:** Self-Representation

- Introducing oneself, giving and seeking information.
- Introduce characters from the texts you are reading.
- Creating a profile for social media.
- Creating a professional profile of oneself.
- Dialogue writing, Paragraph writing Brainstorming, planning/outline rough drafts, editing.
- Intercultural Communication

## **Readings:**

8. "To Jyotiba, From Savitribai Phule: These Aren't Love Letters, But Tell You What Love Is All About", *Scroll.In*. Posted 14th February, 2016.

https://scroll.in/article/801848/to-jyotiba-from-savitribai-phule-these-arent-love-letters-buttell-you-what-love-is-all-about Accessed on 1st June 2022

- 9. Sharma, Natasha. *Squiggle Takes a Walk: All About Punctuation*. Penguin/Young Zubaan and Puffin, 2014.
- 10. Lorde, Audre. 'The Transformation of Silence into Language and Action', *Sister Outsider*. NY: Random House, 1984. pp 40-44
- 11. *Haroun and the Sea of Stories: Salman Rushdie*. New Delhi: Penguin Books, 1991. pp 15-23

Practical component (if any) - NIL

Essential/recommended readings- as listed in the units

**Suggestive readings: NIL** 

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# GENERIC ELECTIVES LANGUAGE-8 (GE Language 8) Developing English Language Skills-II

No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

## Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course	Credits	Credit di	stribution	of the course	Eligibility	Pre-requisite
title &		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
Code				Practice		
GE	4	3	1	0	Passed	NIL
Language					Class XII	
8-						
Developing						
English						
Language						
Skills-II						

## **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To enhance comprehension skills and enrich vocabulary through the reading of short and simple passages with suitable tasks built around these.
- To introduce simple syntactical structures and basic grammar to students through contextualized settings and ample practice exercises so that they can engage in short independent compositions.
- To introduce the sounds of the language and the essentials of English pronunciation to students in order to remove the inhibitions experienced by them while speaking English.
- To acquaint students with social formulae used to perform various everyday functions so that they can converse in English in simple situations.

## **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students will be able to read and write in English with confidence.
- The course will help in increasing their proficiency in English, increase their vocabulary and improve their comprehension of syntactical structures

#### **SYLLABUS OF GE LANGUAGE 8-**

## UNIT - I (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

## **UNIT 1:** Reading & Vocabulary–II

- Ways of expanding vocabulary;
- learning how to use a dictionary;
- understanding more text types such as argumentative and descriptive passages, poetry, character sketches, etc. through suitable activities based on selected texts

## **Readings:**

- 1. *A Foundation English Course for Undergraduates*: Book III. Delhi: University of Delhi, 1993. pp 5–10, 27–29, 40–44, 81–83
- 2. Developing Language Skills 2. Delhi: Doaba House, 1995. pp 43-51
- 3. Everyday English. Delhi: Pearson, 2005. pp 36-43
- 4. English at the Workplace II. Delhi: Oxford University Press, 2007. pp 32–37, 46–48

#### UNIT – II (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

#### **UNIT 2:** Writing & Grammar–II

- Understanding what constitutes a piece of good writing;
- learning to describe objects and processes, narrate incidents and stories, and argue a point of view.
- framing of questions and negative sentences;
- modals and their uses.

#### **Readings:**

- 5. *A Foundation English Course for Undergraduates*: Book II. Delhi: University of Delhi, 1992. pp 115–130
- 6. *A Foundation English Course for Undergraduates*: Book III. Delhi: University of Delhi, 1993. pp 126–136
- 7. Developing Language Skills I. Delhi: Manohar, 1997. pp 183–186, 206–209
- 8. Developing Language Skills 2. Delhi: Doaba House, 1995. pp 112–116

9. English at the Workplace II (Delhi: Oxford University Press, 2007) pp 49 – 52.

## UNIT - III (15 weeks-1 hour/week)

**UNIT 3:** Speaking & Listening-II

- Understanding the essentials of English pronunciation: word stress and rhythm in connected speech; speaking on the telephone;
- becoming a better listener;
- expressions used for getting and giving permission, agreeing and disagreeing, warning and persuading, inviting, suggesting, accepting and refusing, expressing likes and dislikes, regulating speech and ending a conversation.

## **Readings:**

- 10. Developing Language Skills I. Delhi: Manohar, 1997. pp 26–45
- 11. English at the Workplace. Delhi: Macmillan, 2006. pp 52–57
- 12. *English at the Workplace II*. Delhi: Oxford University Press, 2007. pp 10–13, 20–24, 38–45

Practical component (if any) - NIL

**Essential/recommended readings-** as listed in the units

Suggestive readings- NIL

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