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(M.S)

SYLLABUS

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Semester -III

Paper – IX : History Of English Language
Paper-X : Literary Criticism Upto T. S. Eliot
Paper -XI : Indian Writing In English (A)
Paper-XII : American Literature
UNIT-I

Indo- European Family Of Language With Reference To The Teutonic Branch.
Teutonic Verbal System.
Teutonic Accent
The First Sound Shifting Or Grimm’s Law.

UNIT-II

Old English
Dialects of old English.
Characteristic of Old English.

Middle English
Dialects of Middle English.
Characteristic of Middle English.
Rise of standard English.

UNIT-III

Modern English
Dialects of Modern English.
Characteristics of Modern English.
Modern English Grammar.
English as a world Language.

UNIT-IV

Foreign Elements in English:
French, Latin and Greek.
Individual contributors:
Chaucer, Shakespeare, Bible.
Books Recommended:

R. N. Roy : History of English Language.
Otto Jesperson : Growth and Structure of the English Language.
A. C. Baugh : A History of English Language.
Simeon Potte : Our Language.
Joseph Willies : Origins of the English Language.
Thomas Pyles : The Origins and Development of English Language.
(New York : Harcourt)

Pattern of Question Paper

Time- 3 Hours Max. Marks -80

- Q.1 Four Short answer questions out of six from Unit- I,II,III,IV
  (4 into 4) 16 Marks
- Q.2 One Long answer question out of two from Unit-I 16 Marks
- Q.3 One Long answer question out of two from Unit-II 16 Marks
- Q.4 One Long answer question out of two from Unit-III 16 Marks
- Q.5 One Long answer question out of two from Unit-IV 16 Marks

Total-80 Marks
Paper X
Literary Criticism Upto T.S. Eliot

Unit – I
Aristotle: Poetics.

Unit-II
John Dryden : Essay on Dramatic Poesy.

Unit – III
Wordsworth : Perface to Lyrical Ballads
S. T. Coleridge : Biographia Literaria Chapter IV,XII, XIV

Unit-IV
Matthew Arnold : The Study of Poetry.

Book Recommended
- Aristole’s Poetics : Translated by S. H. Butcher.
- D. J. Enright & E. D. Chikera : English Critical Text.
- A Handbook of Critical Approaches to Literature (OUP,2005)
- James Reeves, The Critical Sense.
- M. S. Nagarjan: English Literary Criticism and Theory, Orient Blackswan Pvt,Ltd.

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• Q.5 One Long answer question out of two from Unit-IV 16 Marks
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Paper XI
INDIAN WRITING IN ENGLISH (A0)

Unit – I
Rabindranath Tagore : The Gitanjali.

Unit-II

Unit – III
Grirish Karnard: Tughlaq.

Unit-IV

Book Recommended
• K. R. Shrinivas lyengar : Indian Writing in English.
• M. K. Naik : History of Indian English Literature 1800-1970 (Sahitya akademi)
• Vilas sarang (ed.) : Indian English Poetry (Orient Longman)
• Gitanjali Embassy Book,-2011.

Pattern of Question Paper

Time- 3 Hours  Max Marks – 80

• Q. 1 Four Passages for annotation out of six from Unit - I,II&III (4 into 4) 16 Marks
• Q.2 One Long answer question out of two from Unit-I 16 Marks
• Q.3 One Long answer question out of two from Unit-II 16 Marks
• Q.4 One Long answer question out of two from Unit-III 16 Marks
• Q.5 One Long answer question out of two from Unit-IV 16 Marks
Paper XII
AMERICAN LITERATURE

Unit – I
Emerson : Self Reliance, American Scholar.
Thoreau: Following chapters from Walden:
   Economy, Solitudes, Where I Lived and What I Lived For.

Unit-II
Walt Whitman : Song of Myself (Selection from the leaves of Grass)
Robert Frost: Briches, Mending Wall, The Road Not Taken.

Unit – III
Arthur Miller : Death of a Salesman.

Unit-IV
Toni Morrison : Beloved
John Steinbeck : The Grapes of Wrath

Book Recommended

- Hart : The Oxford Companion to American Literature.
- Marcus Cunliffe: American Literature to 1900.
- McMichael : Concise Anthology of American Literature (2nd ed)
- Robert Spiller ; Literary History if the United States.
  (Amerind Publishing Co)

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