

UNIVERSITY OF RAJASTHAN JAIPUR

SYLLABUS

M.A English

Semester Scheme

IInd Semester Exam June 2017

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Department of English University of Rajasthan, Jaipur

M.A. (Semester II English 2017)
Scheme of Examination

ENG 801CCC (Compulsory Course Category)

Language and Communication Skills II

Duration: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

All questions are compulsory with provision for internal choice.

Semester II

- 1. Literary Appreciation-Prose and Poetry 20 Marks
- 2. (i) Aspects of Pronunciation (A knowledge of Phonetic Symbols for Sounds of English,
 - (ii)Transcription of Words and Word Stress),
 - (iii) Word Structure (Elementary Morphology) 20 Marks
 - (iv) Developing Listening Skills
- 3. Note making 10 Marks
- 4. Word Substitution, Idioms and Phrases 20 Marks Synonyms and Antonyms Homonyms and Homophones
- 5. Report writing 15 Marks
- 6. Essay writing 15 Marks

Recommended Reading:

- 1. S. Hornby: A Guide to Patterns and Usage
- CIEFL Material on Morphology and Phonology from the Distance Education Department

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- 3. George Yule: The Study of Language, OUP (ELBS)
- 4. A Comprehensive Grammar of the English Language by Randolph Quirk, Sydney Greenbaum, Geffory Leech, and Jan Svartivik
- 5. Praveen K Thaker: Appulturalreciating English Poetry: A Practical Course and Anthology, Orient Longman, 1999
- 6. Effective English Communication, Krishna Mohan and Meenakshi Raman, Tata McGraw Hill, 2001
- 7. Spoken English, V. Sashi Kumar and P.V. Dhamija, Tata McGraw Hill, 2001
- 8. Growth and Structure of the English Language by Otto Jesperson

ENG 802 CCC - Seventeenth Century Literature

Duration: 3 hrs. Max. Marks: 100

Candidates will be required to answer five questions in all: Question No. 1 is compulsory (four passages for explanation with reference to the context from the starred texts 2,3,4, 5 and 6) and four other questions.

Semester II

- 1. Restoration and The Age of Reason
- *2. John Milton: Paradise Lost, Book I
- *3. Congreve-The Way of the World
- *4. Dryden: All for Love
- *5. Swift: The Battle of the Books
- *6. Pope: The Rape of the Lock
- 7. Daniel Defoe *Moll Flanders*

Recommended Reading:

Pramod Nayar – A History of English Literature

Tan Jack – The Augustan Age



ENG 803 CCC - Eighteenth Century Literature II

Duration: 3 hrs. Max. Marks: 100

Candidates will be required to answer five questions in all.

- 1. Jane Austen: Pride and Prejudice
- 2. Walter Scott-Ivanhoe
- 3. Mary Shelley: Frankenstein or The Modern Prometheus, OUP Students' Edition, 1818
- 4. Charles Lamb: The following essays from Essays of Elia (ed. Hailward and Hill, Macmillan) Dream Children, In Praise of Chimney Sweepers
- 5. William Hazlitt: The Following essays from *Table Talk* (ed.C.M. Macken, Everyman): On Familiar Style, On Going a Journey
- 6. Wilkie Collins: The Moonstone
- 7. Oscar wilde The Importance of being Ernest

Recommended Reading:

Part 1 and 2 of Volume V of *New Pelican Guide to English Literature* ed. Boris Ford

Basil Willey – Nineteenth Century English Literature
Sri Leslie Stepner English Literature and Society in the 18th
Century.

ENG Elective 1 ECC (Elective Course Category)

Nineteenth Century Literature II

Duration: 3 hrs. Max. Marks: 100

Candidates will be required to answer five questions in all.

Semester II

1. Pre-Raphaelite

- 2. Dante Gabriel, Christina Rossetti (Poems from Palgrave's The Golden Treasury Oxford Ed.)
- 3. Charles Dickens: Oliver Twist
- 4. Emily Bronte: Wuthering Heights
- 5. Thomas Hardy: The Woodlanders
- 6. George Eliot: Silas Mariner
- Algernon Charles Swinburne A Forsaken Garden, Chorus from Atlantic

Recommended Reading:

Part 1 and 2 of Volumes VI of *New Pelican Guide to English Literature* ed. Boris Ford Vivian de Solavinto – Background to Victorian Poetry.

Paper ENG Elective 2ECC- Women's Writing II

Duration: 3 hrs. Max. Marks: 100

Candidates will be required to answer five questions in all: Question No. 1 is compulsory (four passages for explanation with reference to the context from starred texts 2, 3, 4 and 5) and four other questions.

- 1. Elizabeth B. Browning: Aurora Leigh Book II
- *2. Imtiaz Dharkar: Choice, Purdah, Prayer The Right Word from the Terrorist at my Table
- *3. Charlotte Keatley: My Mother Said I Never Should
- *4. Manjula Padmanabhan: Harvest
- *5. J.S. Mill: Subjection of Women
 - 6. Shashi Deshpande: Binding Line
- 7. George Eliot: Mill on the Floss

Recommended Reading

1. Elaine Showalter: A Literature of Their Own



- 2. Elaine Showalter: Ed.: The New Feminist Criticism
- 3. Juliet Mitchell: Psychoanalysis and Feminism

Paper ENG Elective 3 ECC - American Literature II

Duration: 3 hrs. Max. Marks: 100

Candidates will be required to answer five questions in all.

- 1. Symbolism and Expressionism
- 2. Eugene O'Neill: Emperor Jones
- 3. Tennessee Williams: Cat on a Hot Tin Roof
- 4. Toni Morrison: The Bluest Eye
- 5. Ernest Hemingway A Farewell to Arms
- 6. Wallace Stevens The Emperor of Ice-Cream

Recommended Reading

- 1. Bloom, Harold. Ed. Eugene O'Neill. New York, Chelsea, 1987
- 2. Bentley, Eric. In Search of Theatre. New York, Knop, 1953.
- 3. Baqohee, Shymal. Ed. *Perspectives on O'Neill*: New Essays. New York: University of Victoria, 1988.
- 4. Lewis, Allan American Plays and Playwrights of the Contemporary Theatre. New York: Crown, 1965.
- 5. Mukherjee, Sujit, and D.V.K. Raghavacharyulu eds. *Indian Essays* in *American Literature*. Bombay Popular, 1969.
- 6. Ford, Boris. Ed. The New Pelican Guide to English Literature, Vol. 9.
- 7. Morrison, Toni. Playing in the Dark, I Chapter.

Paper ENG 4ECC – Postcolonial Literature II

Duration: 3 hrs. Max. Marks: 100

Candidates will be required to answer five questions in all: Question No. 1 is compulsory (four passages for explanation from Starred texts

four other questions.

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The following poems from *Ten Twentieth Century Indian Poets* in English ed. by R. Parthasarthy

- *1. Ten Twentieth Century India Poets. OUP.)
 - R. Parthasarthy 'Exile' and 'Trial'
- 2. Keki N. Daruwalla 'Pestilence in 19th Century Calcutta; Ghaghra In Spate;
- *3. Meena Alexander: River and Bridge 'Blood Line;

The Looking Glass; 'Everything Strikes Loose; Brown Skin, White Mask?

From Illiterate Heart; 'Gold Horizon'

- 4.Margaret Atwood 'Journey to the Interior'
 From An Anthology of Commonwealth Poetry
- *5. Les Murray. 'Wilderness and?

 Woman to Man; 'Harp and the king 'Nigger's Leap'
- *6. Vijay Tendulkar: Silence the Court is in Session
 - 7. Khalid Hossein The Kite Runner
 - 8. Jhumpa Lahiri Interpreter of Maladies

Recommended Reading

- 1. Roberts, Neil. ed. *A Companion to Twentieth Century Poetry*Blackwell, 2001
- 2. Hutchings, Francis: *The Illustration of Permanence, British Imperialism in India*, Princeton University, 1967.
- 3. Innes, C.L. and Lindford Brenth Reinmann, ed.: Critical *Perspectives on Chinua Achebe*, London, 1979.
- 4. Said, Edward: Orientalism
- 5. Fanon, Frantz: The Wretched of the Earth
- 6. Gandhi: Home Rule

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Paper ENG Elective 5 ECC (Elective Course Category) Language and Linguistics

Semester II

- 1 . Language, Dialects and Varieties.
- 2. Linguistics Varieties and Multilingual Nation Janet Holmes
- 3. Language Change by David Crystal
- 4. Elements of Grammar
- 5. Noun and its Complementation
- 6. Morphology: simple and complex words; root, stem, word; free and bound morphemes; lexical and functional morphemes, derivational and Inflectional morphemes; prefixes, suffixes and unfixed, Zero morphemes; invariant words; Morphs and allomorphs; open verses closed class words 7. Semantics Conceptual and associative meaning; semantic features; semantic roles; lexical relations; Synonymy, antonymy, hyponymy, prototypes, homophones, homonyms, polysemy, wordplay, metonymy and collocations.

Reading list and reference books

- 1. George Yule. Study of Language. Delhi: Cambridge Publications.
- 2. Semantics, G. N. Leech. Harmond Sworth: Penguin, 1970
- 3. Verma S. K & Krishna Swamy. Modern Linguistics: An Introduction.
- 4. Language and Linguistics, J Lyons, Cambridge University Press, 1981
- 5. David Crystal. *Little Book of Language*, Orient Black Swan, New Delhi: 2010

(Chapter 21, 29 and 30) 6. 'The Electronic Revolution and Texting" 7. JP Allen (Ed.). *The Edinburgh Course in Applied linguistics Volume*. London: OUP, 1976

8. Holmes, J. An Introduction to Sociolinguistics. Longman: London.1992

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