# **SEMESTER ONE**

# PAPER-I: LEARNING LANGUAGE SKILLS-I 50 MARKS

# **UNIT ONE: PROSE 15 MARKS**

- 1) Happy Prince- Oscar Wilde
- 2) Good Manners- J.C. Hill
- 3) The Eyes Are Not Here-Ruskin Bond
- 4) Forgetting-Robert Lynd
- 5) Home Coming- Rabindranath Tagore

# **UNIT TWO: POETRY 15 MARKS**

- 1) One Day I Wrote Her Name upon the Strand- Edmund Spenser
- 2) Ode on Solitude- Alexander Pope
- 3) If- Rudyard Kipling
- 4) My Love Is Like Red Red Rose- Robert Burns
- 5) Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening- Robert Frost

# **UNIT THREE: GRAMMAR 12 MARKS**

- 1) Parts of Speech
- 2) Nouns: classes and gender; number and case.
- 3) Adjectives: kinds of adjectives; comparison of adjectives; the correct use of some adjectives and articles.
- 4) Pronouns: personal pronouns, reflexive pronouns, demonstrative pronouns, interrogative pronouns, distributive pronouns, relative pronouns.
- 5) Verbs: transitive and intransitive; verbs and mood: indicative mood, imperative mood, subjunctive mood; the auxiliaries: be, have, do, shall, can, must; modal auxiliaries.
- 6) Adverbs: kinds: simple, interrogative and relative; formation of adverbs; position of adverbs.
- 7) Prepositions: phrase prepositions; object of prepositions; relations shown by prepositions; correct use of prepositions.
- 8) Conjunctions: phrase conjunctions; coordinating and subordinating conjunctions; correct use of some conjunctions.
- 9) Interjections

**UNIT FOUR: PRECIS WRITING 8 MARKS** 

#### **SEMESTER TWO**

#### PAPER-II: LEARNING LANGUAGE SKILLS-I 50 MARKS

# **UNIT ONE: PROSE 15 MARKS**

- 1) The Bet- Anton Chekov
- 2) The Three Questions- Leo Tolstoy
- 3) With the Photographer- Stephen Leacock
- 4) National Prejudices- Oliver Goldsmith
- 5) Playing the English Gentleman- Mahatma Gandhi

#### **UNIT TWO: POETRY 15 MARKS**

- 1) Where the Mind is Without Fear- Rabindranath Tagore
- 2) The Solitary Reaper- William Wordsworth
- 3) Ozymandias of Egypt- P.B.Shelly
- 4) Laugh and be Merry- John Masefield
- 5) The Toys- Coventry Patmore

## **UNIT THREE: GRAMMAR 12 MARKS**

- 1) Tenses; the Simple Present, the Present Continuous, and the Simple Past
- 2) The Present Perfect and the Simple Past
- 3) The Past Continuous and the Past Perfect
- 4) The Present Perfect Continuous and the Past Perfect Continuous
- 5) Future Tense
- 6) The Uses of the Tenses

## UNIT FOUR: PARAGRAPH WRITING 8 MARKS

# Recommended Reading for Grammar Units:

- 1) Contemporary English Grammar Structures and Composition by David Green Pub. By Macmillan Publishers India Ltd., 2011edition.
- 2) Modern English: A Book of Grammar Usage and Composition, By N.Krishnaswami, Pub. By Macmillan Publishers India Ltd. 2009.