PAPER-I: THE STRUCTURE OF ENGLISH 50 MARKS

AIM OF THE COURSE

*The course aims at giving students advanced knowledge of English in matter of speaking and writing.

OBJECTIVES OF THE COURSE

- *To help students towards better pronunciation.
- *To enable students to acquire the structure of English language.

CONTENT OF THE COURSE (SEMWISE) SEMESTER ONE

UNIT ONE: PHONETICS 20 MARKS

- 1) Phonetic Symbols.
- 2) The Articulation of Speech Sounds.
- 3) Classification of Speech Sounds: Description of Consonants and Vowels.
- 4) The Syllable
- 5) Pure Vowels and Diphthongs; the Consonants of English

Recommended Reading: *English Phonetics for Indian Students: A Workbook*, By T. Balasubramanian, Macmillan, 2011.

UNIT TWO: GRAMMAR 30 MARKS

- 1) Simple Sentence Pattern: subject and predicate; form and function; the basic patterns; sentence types.
- 2) Phrases: noun phrase, verb phrase, adjective phrase, adverb phrase, prepositional phrase.

PAPER-II: READING LITERATURE 50 MARKS

AIM OF THE COURSE

*To enable students to read and appreciate various forms of literature and critically interact with them from different perspectives.

OBJECTIVES OF THE COURSE

- *To introduce students to appropriate literary strategies to read literature.
- *To pinpoint how far literary language deviates from ordinary language.
- *To unravel many meanings in a literary text.

CONTENT OF THE COURSE (SEMWISE) SEMESTER ONE

UNIT ONE: METHODOLOGY OF LITERATURE 16 MARKS

- 1) Poetical types: the lyric, the sonnet.
- 2) The novel: the novel and the other forms, its structure, purpose and meaning.

UNIT TWO: SHAKESPEARE'S SONNETS 14 MARKS

- 1) Sonnet no. 29: 'When in Disgrace...'
- 2) Sonnet no. 60: 'Like as the Waves...'
- 3) Sonnet no. 73: 'That Time of Year...'
- 4) Sonnet no.116: 'Let me Not...'
- 5) Sonnet no. 130: 'My Mistress's Eyes...'

UNIT THREE: NOVEL 20 MARKS

SEMESTER TWO PAPER-III: THE STRUCTURE OF ENGLISH 50 MARKS

UNIT THREE: PHONETICS 20 MARKS

- 1) Word Accent in English
- 2) Accent and Rhythm in Connected Speech
- 3) Intonation
- 4) Phonetic Transcription

UNIT FOUR: GRAMMAR 30 MARKS

- 1) Complex Sentences-I
- 2) Complex Sentences-II
- 3) Word Formation

SEMESTER TWO

PAPER-IV: READING LITERATURE 50 MARKS

UNIT FOUR: METHODOLOGY OF LITERATURE 16 MARKS 1) Poetical types: Odes 2) Dramatic types: tragedy and comedy

UNIT FIVE: JOHN KEATS' ODES 14 MARKS

- 1) Ode to Nightingale 2) Ode to Autumn
- 3) Ode on a Grecian Urn

UNIT SIX: DRAMA 20 MARKS