

CURRICULUM AND SYLLABUS

**B.A. Honours in English
and
B.A Program in English
(w.e.f 2016-2017)**

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Curriculum and Syllabus

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(6 Semesters Pattern)

(with effect from 2016-2017 academic session and onwards)



B.A. Honours in English

There will be six semesters in the three- year B.A Honours in English. The Curriculum consists of 14 Core Courses (C), 2 Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses (AECC), 2 Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC) and 4 Discipline Specific Elective (DSE) Courses and 4 Generic Elective (GE) courses [to be taken from the pool of Generic Elective courses]. Each course is of 50 marks. L stands for Lecture Hour, T for Tutorial Hour and P for Practical Hour.

B.A Honours in English: 1st Semester

Course Code	Course Title	Course type	(L-T-P)	Credit	Marks
	Introduction to English Language and Literature	C-1	4 - 2 - 0	6	50
	Introduction to Literary Appreciation	C-2	4 - 2 - 0	6	50
	Choose from Pool of Generic Electives (given below)	GE-1		6	50
	Environment Studies	AECC-1	2 - 0 - 0	2	50
		SEMESTER	TOTAL:	20	200

B.A Honours in English: 2nd Semester

Course Code	Course Title	Course type	(L-T-P)	Credit	Marks
	Renaissance Literature-I	C-3	4 - 2 - 0	6	50
	Renaissance Literature-II	C-4	4 - 2 - 0	6	50
	Pool of Generic Electives (to be provided shortly)	GE-2		6	50
	English / MIL	AECC-2	2 - 0 - 0	2	50
		SEMESTER	TOTAL:	20	200

B.A Honours in English: 3rd Semester

Course Code	Course Title	Course type	(L-T-P)	Credit	Marks
	Puritan, Restoration and Augustan Literature –I	C-5	4 - 2 - 0	6	50
	Puritan, Restoration and Augustan Literature –II	C-6	4 - 2 - 0	6	50
	Romantic literature-I	C-7	4 - 2 - 0	6	50
	Pool of Generic Electives (to be provided shortly)	GE-3 (any one to be chosen out of two)		6	50
	Pool of Generic Electives (to be provided shortly)				
	Translation Skills	SEC-1 (any one to be chosen out of two)	2 - 0 - 0	2	50
	Actual Reporting and Content Writing				
		SEMESTER	TOTAL:	26	250

B.A Honours in English: 4th Semester

Course Code	Course Title	Course type	(L-T-P)	Credit	Marks
	Romantic literature-II	C-8	4 - 2 - 0	6	50
	Victorian Literature-I	C-9	4 - 2 - 0	6	50
	Victorian Literature-II	C-10	4 - 2 - 0	6	50
	Pool of Generic Electives (to be provided shortly)	GE-4 (any one to be chosen out of two)		6	50
	Pool of Generic Electives (to be provided shortly)				
	Pool of Generic Electives (to be provided shortly)				
	Communicative English	SEC-2 (any one to be chosen out of two)	2 - 0 - 0	2	50
	Creative Writing				
		SEMESTER	TOTAL:	26	250

B.A Honours in English: 5th Semester

Course Code	Course Title	Course type	(L-T-P)	Credit	Marks
	Modern Literature-I	C-11	5 - 1 - 0	6	50
	Modern Literature-II	C-12	4 - 0 - 4	6	50
	Any two out of five (Given below)	DSE-1	5 - 1 - 0	6	50
	DSE Group A	DSE-2	5 - 1 - 0	6	50
	1. Bhasa Poetry				
	2. Bhasa Prose				
	3. Literature and Myths				
	4. Literature and Human Rights				
	5. Literature and Social Exclusion				
		SEMESTER	TOTAL:	24	200

B.A Honours in English: 6th Semester

Course Code	Course Title	Course type	(L-T-P)	Credit	Marks
	William Shakespeare-I	C-13	5 - 1 - 0	6	50
	William Shakespeare-II	C-14	4 - 0 - 4	6	50
	Any two out of Five (Given below)	DSE-3	5 - 1 - 0	6	50
	DSE Group B	DSE-4	5 - 1 - 0	6	50
	1. Bhasa Plays				
	2. Bhasa Fictions				
	3. Literature and Environment				
	4. Literature and Fine Arts				
	5. Literature and Philosophical Thoughts				
		SEMESTER	TOTAL:	24	200
		GRAND	TOTAL:	140	1300

**POOL OF GENERIC ELECTIVE PAPERS [INTERDISCIPLINARY]
ARTS SUBJECTS: HONOURS: SEMESTER 1**

[Students of a particular Honours department should choose one Generic Elective Paper of any other existing Honours Department except of his/her own Department from the pool provided below]

SN.	DEPARTMENT	GENERIC ELECTIVE PAPER
1	BENGALI	বাংলা সাহিত্য ও সংস্কৃতির ইতিহাস
2	ECONOMICS	Historical Perspective of Indian Economy(1857-1947)
3	EDUCATION	Contemporary Issues in Indian Education
4	ENGLISH	English Literature and Film
5	GEOGRAPHY	Disaster Management
6	HINDI	हिंदी सिनेमा/टेलीविजन के हिंदी चैनल
7	HISTORY	Theories of Modern State
8	JOURNALISM AND MASS COMMUNICATION	Media and Society
9	PHILOSOPHY	Psychology
10	POLITICAL SCIENCE	Political Theory
11	PSYCHOLOGY	General Psychology
12	SANSKRIT	Basic Sanskrit
13	SANTALI	History of Santali Literature
14	SOCIOLOGY	Sociology: Introduction
15	URDU	Urdu Zaban-O-Adab ki Mukhtasar Tarikh



B.A Program in English

There will be six semesters in the three-year B.A Program in English. The Curriculum consists of 12 Core Courses (C) of which 4 core courses are to be taken from Discipline 1 (the **program in the subject** selected by the candidate) ; 4 core courses are to be taken from Discipline 2 (any subject other than Discipline 1) and 4 core courses are to be taken from AECC-Core. Apart from these, 2 Generic Elective courses (GE) [to be taken from the pool of Generic Elective courses], 2 Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses (AECC-Elective), 4 Skill Enhancement courses (SEC) (from the **program in the subject** selected by the candidate) and 2 Discipline Specific Elective courses (DSE) from Discipline-1 and 2 such courses from Discipline-2 are to be taken. Each paper is of 50 marks. L stands for Lecture Hour, T for Tutorial Hour and P for Practical Hour.

B.A Program in English: 1st Semester

Course Code	Course Title	Course type	(L-T-P)	Credit	Marks
	Rhetoric, Prosody, and Critical Appreciation of Unseen Passages	C-1	4-2-0	6	50
	Discipline 2(Core 1)	C-2		6	50
	MIL-I	AECC-1(Core)	4-2-0	6	50
	Environment Studies	AECC-1(Elective)	2 - 0 - 0	2	50
		SEMESTER	TOTAL:	20	200

B.A Program in English: 2nd Semester

Course Code	Course Title	Course type	(L-T-P)	Credit	Marks
	Poetry	C-3	4-2-0	6	50
	Discipline 2(Core 3)	C-4		6	50
	English-I	AECC-2(Core)	4 - 2 - 0	6	50
	English/MIL	AECC-2(Elective)	2 - 0 - 0	2	50
		SEMESTER	TOTAL:	20	200

B.A Program in English: 3rd Semester

Course Code	Course Title	Course type	(L-T-P)	Credit	Marks
	Fiction and Short Stories	C-5	4 - 2 - 0	6	50
	Discipline 2(Core 5)	C-6		6	50
	Phonetics and Phonology	SEC- 1	2 - 0 - 0	2	50
	MIL-II	AECC-3(Core)	5 - 1 - 0	6	50
		SEMESTER	TOTAL:	20	200

B.A Program in English: 4th Semester

Course Code	Course Title	Course type	(L-T-P)	Credit	Marks
	Bhasa Literature	C-7	4 - 2 - 0	6	50
	Discipline-2(Core 7)	C-8		6	50
	Composition	SEC- 2	2 - 0 - 0	2	50
	English-II	AECC-4(Core)	5 - 1 - 0	6	50
		SEMESTER	TOTAL:	20	200

B.A Program in English: 5th Semester

Course Code	Course Title	Course type	(L-T-P)	Credit	Marks
	DSE (Any one from Discipline 1 and any one from Discipline 2)	DSE- 1		6	50
		DSE- 2		6	50
	DSE Discipline 1(one out of two)				
	1.English Literature and Gender		5 - 1 - 0		
	2.English Literature and Ecology		5 - 1 - 0		
	DSE Discipline 2				
	1.				
	2.				
	GE(Any One)	GE-1		6	50
	Pool of Generic Electives (to be provided shortly)				
	Pool of Generic Electives (to be provided shortly)				
	SEC (Any one)	SEC- 3		2	50
	1.Communicative English		1 - 0 - 2		
	2.Newspaper Report Writing		2 - 0 - 0		
		SEMESTER	TOTAL:	20	200

B.A Program in English: 6th Semester

Course Code	Course Title	Course type	(L-T-P)	Credit	Marks
	DSE (Any one from Discipline 1 and any one from Discipline 2)	DSE- 3		6	50
		DSE- 4		6	50
	DSE Discipline 1(one out of two)				
	1. Literature and Fine Arts		5 - 1 - 0		
	2. Literature and Philosophical Thoughts		5 - 1 - 0		
	DSE Discipline 2				
	1.				
	2.				
	GE (Any one out of two)	GE- 2		6	50
	Pool of Generic Electives (to be provided shortly)				
	Pool of Generic Electives (to be provided shortly)				
	SEC (Any one out of two)	SEC-4		2	50
	1 Creative Writing		2 - 0 - 0		
	2 Translation Skills		2 - 0 - 0		
		SEMESTER	TOTAL:	20	200
		GRAND	TOTAL:	120	1200

B.A Honours in English

Semester 1

Core Paper 1: Introduction to English Language and Literature: 50 Marks

Unit I From Anglo Saxon to Mediaeval – Literary History and Socio-cultural Background

Unit II History of English Language

Place of English in the IE family of languages; Features of OE, ME, Mod English; Consonant Shift, Vowel Shift; Influences: a) Latin, Scandinavian, French, b) Bible, Christianization, Sciences and Technology; Standardization and Norms; Word Formation; Change of Meaning; Evolution of Dictionaries; American English; Indian English

Unit III Phonetics

Articulation mechanism; Features of Vowels and Consonants; Consonant Clusters; Phonetic Symbols; Syllable structure and Stress

Core Paper 2: Introduction to Literary Appreciation: 50 Marks

Unit I Rhetoric and Prosody – Knowledge and Application

Unit II Basic Literary Concepts

Epic, Tragedy, Comedy, Plot, Character, Mimesis, Unities, Hamartia, Hubris, Peripeteia, Anagnorisis, Catharsis, Tragic Hero, Denouement, Novel, Epistolary Novel, Gothic Novel, Bildungsroman, Künstlerroman, Picaresque Novel, Magic Realism, Campus Novel, Graphic Novel

Unit III Critical Appreciation of Unseen Literary Texts – Assessment of Content and Critical Comments.

Generic Elective Paper: Literature and Film: 50 Marks

Unit I Cinematic Terms and Concepts

Long Shot, Deep Focus, Zoom In, Zoom Out, Dissolve, Montage, Cut and Edit, Film Script, Revolutionary Cinema, Neo-Realism, Art Film

Unit II Selections from Texts by noted Film Makers

Selections from *Film Sense* by Sergei Eisenstein, *My Autobiography* by Charles Chaplin, *Our Films Their Films* by Satyajit Ray

Unit III Film as Text

Lagaan, *Pather Panchali*, *Great Expectations* (BBC Production)

AECC-1(Elective): Environmental Studies Marks 50

Ability-Enhancement Compulsory Course
Common Syllabus to be provided shortly

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Semester 1

Core Paper 1: Rhetoric, Prosody and Critical Appreciation of Unseen Passages: 50 Marks

Unit I **Rhetoric:** Identification of Figures with Definition and Nomenclature

Unit II **Prosody:** Literary Passages to be scanned and metres to be described

Unit III Substance Writing and Critical Appreciation of Unseen Literary Passages
and Comprehensive Questions to be answered

Core Paper 2: Discipline-2(Core 1): Marks 50

Core Paper
See the Syllabus of respective Department

AECC-1(Core): MIL-1: Marks 50

Ability-Enhancement Compulsory Course
Common Syllabus to be provided shortly

AECC-1(Elective): Environmental Studies Marks 50

Ability-Enhancement Compulsory Course
Common Syllabus to be provided shortly

Syllabus of the remaining semesters to be sent shortly