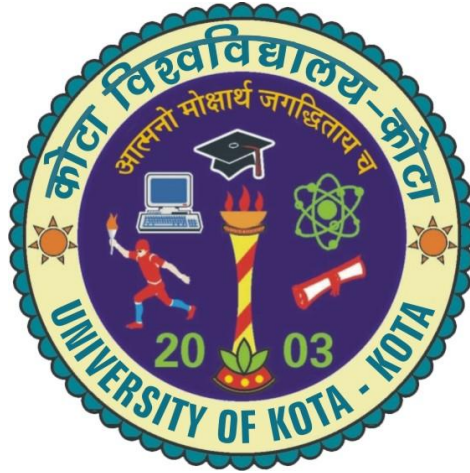


Syllabus and Course Scheme

Academic year 2024-25



BA- General English

Compulsory Paper

Common for all BA/B.Sc./B.Com

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English Literature (Optional Paper)

Unit- II (For Detailed Study)

G.M.Hopkins	:	The Sea and the Skylark.
W.B.Yeats	:	The wild Swans at Coole.
Robert Frost	:	Birches.
Rupert Brooke	:	The Soldier.

Unit- III (For detailed study)

T.S.Eliot	:	Preludes.
W.H.Auden	:	In Memory W.B. Yeats
Dylan Thomas	:	Fern Hill.

Unit-IV (For detailed study)

Henrik Ibsen	:	The Doll's House.
G.B.Shaw	:	The Apple Cart.

Unit-V (For non detailed study)

Literary History	:	The Victorian Period Features of 20 th Century Literature
Literary Terms	:	Dramatic Monologue Paradox, Antithesis, Symbol, Problem Play, Essay, Novel, Free Verse, Short Story.

Recommended Books :

1. W.H.Hudson : An Outline History of English Literature.
2. M.H.Abrams : A Glossary of Literary Terms (McMillan)

Paper-II- Prose and Fiction

Note : The question paper will contain three sections as under -

Section -A : One compulsory question with ten parts, with 2 parts from each unit .
Short answers, 20 words each. Total Marks : 10

Section - B : 10 questions with 2 questions each unit; 5 questions to be attempted, taking one from each unit, answer approximately in 250 words .

Total marks : 50

Section - C : 04 questions (questions may have sub divisions) covering all units but not more than one question from each unit. Descriptive type answer in about 500 words. 2 questions to be attempted.

Total Marks : 40

Note. **Q. No. 12**(Section -C) will be compulsory. It will contain 7 passages for Reference to Context from the texts marked for Detailed Study, out of which 4 are to be attempted.

Essays and short stories are prescribed from the following books:

- i) Susanta K. Sinha (ed.): English Essayists.
- ii) Shiv K. Kumar (ed.) : Short stories of yesterday and today (OUP).

Unit-I (For detailed study)

E.V. Lucas	:	The Town Week
G.K. Chesterton	:	On the pleasure of No Longer Being Very Young.
A.G.Gardiner	:	On Superstitions.

Unit-II (For detailed study)

Hillaire Belloc	:	In Praise of Ignorance
Aldous Huxley	:	Selected Snobberies.
J.B. Priestely	:	On Getting off to Sleep

Unit-III (For detailed study)

Joyce Cary	:	Growing Up.
Nathaniel Hawthorne	:	Dr. Heidegger's Experiment.
O'Henry	:	The Gift of the Magi.

Unit-IV (For detailed study)

Raja Rao	:	A Client
Manohar Malgaonkar	:	Upper Division Love. 'The Gold Watch' by Mulk Raj Anand

Unit-V (For non-detailed study

Khushwant Singh : 'Train to Pakistan'
