

ENGLISH LITERATURE Paper-I

(History of English Literature)

**Unit-I : From Renaissance to Seventeenth Century**

Renaissance and Reformation

Miracle and Morality Plays

University Wits

Metaphysical Poetry

Neo-classicism

Elizabethan Songs and Sonnets

**Unit-II : Eighteenth Century and the Romantic Age**

Growth of the Novel

Precursors of Romanticism

Romanticism and the French Revolution

Growth of Romantic Literature (Prose, Poetry, Drama and Novel)

**Unit-III: Nineteenth Century**

Characteristics of Victorianism

Growth of Victorian Literature (Prose, Poetry, Drama and Novel)

Pre-Raphaelite Poetry

**Unit-IV : The Twentieth Century**

Trends in twentieth century literature : Twentieth Century Novel,

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INDIAN WRITINGS IN ENGLISH Paper II

**Unit-I: Poetry**

Sarojini Naidu 'Palanquin Bearers'

Nissim Ezekiel 'A Poem of Dedication'

Jayant Mahapatra 'Hunger'

**Unit-II Poetry**

Vikram Seth 'Unclaimed'

A K Ramanujan 'Anxiety'

Keki N Daruwala 'The Unrest of Desire'

**Unit-III: Drama**

Mahesh Dattani :Tara

**Unit-IV: Fiction**

Mulk Raj Anand : The Untouchable

**Unit-V: Prose**

Mahatma Gandhi :Hind Swaraj, Chapters VIII[The Condition of India], XIII [What is True Civilization?], &XVII[Education]

Q.No.1 [a] Five very short answer questions based on entire course , 5 Marks

[b] Two passages for explanation [From Unit I &II ] 5 Marks

Q No,2&3. Long answer type questions on any two of the prescribed writers and poets. 10 +10 =20

Q.No. 4&5 Long answer type questions on the prescribed texts. 10+10=20

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Twentieth Century Drama, Problem Play,

**Unit-V : The Twenty –first Century**

Growth of Postcolonial literature: Feminism, Post modernism etc

Q No. 1. Five short answer questions based on the entire course.

10 Marks

Q, No.2-5 Four long answer questions based on the entire course

4x10= 40 Marks

List of Books Recommended

[1]History of English Literature by Legouis & Cazamian [published by Macmillan Books]

[2] A Background to the History of English Literature by Brijadesh Prasad  
[published by Macmillan Books]

[3] History of English Literature by Hudson

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