

Unit I ENGLISH LITERATURE FROM 1400-1600

Age of Chaucer		4
Poetry		
Geoffrey Chaucer	- Prologue to the Canterbury Tales	5
	(The Book of the Duchess Chapter only)	
Edmund Spenser	- Prothalamion	29
	Epithalamion	35
Sir Thomas Wyatt	- Remembrance	43
Prose		
Bacon - Essays	- Of Truth,	48
	Of Friendship,	53
	Of Studies,	60
	Of Adversity,	63
	Of Revenge	66
	Of Ambition	68
Sir Philip Sydney	- An Apologie for Poetrie	71
The Bible	- The Book of Job	89
Drama		
Christopher Marlowe	- Dr. Faustus	97
Thomas Kyd	- The Spanish Tragedy	120
Ben Jonson	- Every Man in His Humour	138

Unit II ENGLISH LITERATURE FROM 1601-1798

Poetry

John Milton	-	Paradise Lost, Book – IX	6
Andrew Marvell	-	To His Coy Mistress	20
John Donne	-	The Canonization	30
Alexander Pope	-	The Rape of the Lock	42
John Dryden	-	Absalom and Achitophel	57
Thomas Gray	-	Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard	70

Prose and Fiction

Samuel Johnson	-	Life of Milton	88
Jonathan Swift	-	Gulliver's Travels	104
John Bunyan	-	The Pilgrim's Progress	123
Daniel Defoe	-	Robinson Crusoe	149

Drama

John Dryden	-	All for Love	153
Richard B. Sheridan	-	The School for Scandal	163
William Congreve	-	The Way of the World	170
Oliver Goldsmith	-	She Stoops to Conquer	178

Unit III ENGLISH LITERATURE FROM 1798-1850

Poetry

William Wordsworth	-	Immortality	5
	-	Tintern Abbey	19
		The Prelude - Book-I	27
Samuel Coleridge	-	Ode to Dejection	34
	-	Kubla Khan	42
John Keats	-	Ode to a Nightingale	49
Percy Bysshe Shelley	-	Ozymandias	59
	-	Adonais	71

Prose and Fiction

Charles Lamb Essays of Elia	-	Christ's Hospital	89
	-	The South Sea House	92
	-	Dream Children	94
	-	New Year's Eve	95
William Hazlitt	-	My First Acquaintance with Poets	98
William Wordsworth	-	Preface to Lyrical Ballads	101
Jane Austen	-	Sense and Sensibility	107
Emily Bronte	-	Wuthering Heights	128

Lyrical Drama

Percy Bysshe Shelley	-	Prometheus Unbound	
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Unit IV LITERATURE FROM 1851 TO THE PRESENT DAY

Poetry

- Mathew Arnold - Dover Beach,
- The Scholar Gypsy
- Robert Browning - Andrea Del Sarto
- Alfred Lord Tennyson - Ulysses
- W.B. Yeats - Byzantium
- T.S. Eliot - The Waste Land
- G.M. Hopkins - God's Grandeur
- W.H. Auden - The Unknown Citizen
- Ted Hughes - The Thought Fox

Prose and Fiction

- Thomas Carlyle - On Heroes, Hero-Worship and the Heroic in
History Lecture III- Shakespeare
- Mathew Arnold - The Study of Poetry
- George Orwell - You and the Atom Bomb
- Charles Dickens - Hard Times
- George Eliot - The Mill on the Floss
- Thomas Hardy - Mayor of Casterbridge
- Virginia Woolf - Mrs Dalloway

Drama

- John Osborne - Look Back in Anger
- Bertolt Brecht - Mother Courage and Her Children
- J.M. Synge - Riders to the Sea

Caryl Churchill - Top Girls

Unit V PLAYS AND SONNETS BY SHAKESPEARE

Drama

Othello,
King Lear,
The Tempest,
Measure for Measure

Sonnets 18, 29,65, 104,106, 116, 129,130

Unit VI AMERICAN LITERATURE

Poetry

Walt Whitman - Out of the Cradle Endlessly Rocking

Anne Bradstreet - Prologue

R.W. Emerson - Brahma

Robert Frost - Birches,

Mending Wall

Paul Lawrence Dunbar - The Sparrow

Maya Angelou - I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings

E.E. Cummings - The Cambridge Ladies

Charlotte Perkins Gilman - The Anti-Suffragists

Prose and Fiction

H.D. Thoreau	-	Where I Lived and What I Lived For
R.W. Emerson	-	The American Scholar
William Faulkner	-	Nobel Prize Acceptance Speech
Toni Morrison	-	Beloved
Jhumpa Lahiri	-	The Namesake

Drama

Arthur Miller	-	The Death of a Salesman
Eugene O' Neil	-	Emperor Jones
Tennessee Williams	-	A Street Car Named Desire

Unit VII (A) INDIAN WRITING IN ENGLISH

Poetry

Rabindranath Tagore	-	Gitanjali
Nissim Ezeikel	-	Goodbye Party to Miss Pushpa
Toru Dutt	-	Our Casuarina Tree
Kamala Das	-	An Introduction
Sujatha Bhatt	-	A Different History

Prose and Fiction

Jawaharlal Nehru	-	An Autobiography
Dr. B.R. Ambedkar	-	Annihilation of Caste
Mulk Raj Anand	-	Coolie
Kamala Markandeya	-	A Handful of Rice
Arundathi Roy	-	The God of Small Things

Drama

Girish Karnad	-	Hayavadana
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- Vijay Tendulkar - Silence! The Court is in Session
- Mahasweta Devi - Rudali
- Mahesh Dattani - Dance like a Man

(B) COMMONWEALTH LITERATURE

Poetry

- Kath Walker - A Song of Hope
- Banjo Patterson - Waltzing Mathilda
- Wole Soyinka - The Telephone Conversation
- E.J. Pratt - The Dying Eagle
- Judith Wright - At Cooloolah
- Abioseh Nicol - The Meaning of Africa
- A.D. Hope - Australia

Prose and Fiction

- Thomas King - Godzilla Vs Post-Colonial
- Chinua Achebe - Things Fall Apart
- Alan Paton - Cry, the Beloved Country
- Patrick White - Voss

Drama

- Wole Soyinka - The Lion and the Jewel
- George Ryga - The Ecstasy of Rita
- Joe Jane Harrison - Stolen

Unit VIII LITERARY CRITICISM

1. Aristotle - Poetics

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| 2. Dryden | - | Essay of Dramatic Poesy |
| 3. Coleridge | - | Biographia Literaria Ch. XIV and Ch XVII |
| 4. T. S. Eliot | - | Metaphysical Poets |
| 5. I. A. Richards | - | Four Kinds of Meaning |
| 6. William Empson | - | The Seven Types of Ambiguity |
| 7. Northrop Frye | - | The Archetypes of Literature |
| 8. Cleanth Brooks | - | Irony as a Principle of Structure |
| 9. Allen Tate | - | Tension in Poetry |
| 10. Elaine Showalter | - | Towards a Feminist Poetics |

Unit IX LANGUAGE, LINGUISTICS AND PEDAGOGY

History of English Language and its Growth

Indo – European Family and the Place of English language

Old, Middle and Modern English

Growth of Vocabulary from various Foreign Languages,

Change in Meaning,

Influence of The Bible, Shakespeare, Milton and Dr. Johnson

Characteristics of Modern English,

Spelling Reform and the English Lexicon

Linguistics

English Phonetics and Phonology (Vowels, Consonants and Diphthongs) Morphology,
Word formation and its different types Semantics

Dialect & Idiolect

Grammar – Traditional, Transformational Generative Grammar and Deep Structure

Applied Linguistics

English Language Teaching (ELT)

History of ELT

Second Language Acquisition

Designing Syllabus Materials Production

Language Testing and Evaluation

UNIT X APPLICATION OF LANGUAGE SKILLS

Phrases,

Synonyms,

Antonyms,

Prefix and Suffix,

Tenses,

Voice,

Parts of Speech,

Homophones,

Articles and Determiners,

Identifying Sentence Patterns,

Compound Words,

Figures of Speech,

Identifying and Correcting Error,

British and American English