# M.A. (English)

(w.e.f. 2011-2012)

# **Mode of Evaluation**:

Each Masterøs Programme shall have four Semesters.

No. of papers in each Semester shall be four

Topics for the Dissertations of both the University & all the colleges who run P.G. in English will have to be approved by the Board of Studies in the beginning of the IV Semester. Allotment of Supervisors will also be done by Board of Studies.

#### **SEMESTER I**

Paper I : English Society, Literature & Thought

(16<sup>th</sup> Century including Chaucer)

Paper II : English Society, Literature & Thought

(17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> Centuries)

Paper III : English Society, Literature and Thought

(19<sup>th</sup> Century)

Paper IV : Structure of English

## **SEMESTER II**

Paper V : English Society, Literature and Thought

(20<sup>th</sup> Century)

Paper VI : Readings in Literary Criticism Paper VII : English Language Teaching

Paper VIII : Literature and Gender

**SEMESTER III** 

Note: Students will have to offer 4 papers in all one from each of the following groups:

Optional Papers will be functional only when minimum five students offer that paper.

## Group A

Paper IX(A) : American Literature

Paper IX(B) : New Literatures in English

# Group B

Paper X(A): Forms of Popular Literature Paper X(B): Indian Literature in English

## Group C

Paper XI(A) : Contemporary Literary Theories Paper XI(B) : Stylistics and Discourse Analysis

# Group D

Paper XII(A) : Colonial and Post-Colonial Literature

Paper XII(B): 4 Term papers: (<u>Three</u> on each paper offered by the student and <u>one</u> of his/her choice under the supervision of the teacher responsible for teaching that particular paper. Each term paper should be approx 5000-7000 words. Topics for the term papers (both the University & all the colleges who run P.G. in English) will be decided by the Department of English and M.E.L., Lucknow University.

#### **SEMESTER IV**

Note: Students will have to offer 3 papers in all one from each of the following groups:

Optional Papers will be functional only when minimum five students offer that paper.

Paper XIII : Viva-Voce (Compulsory)

# Group A

Paper XIV(A): African and Carribean Literature

Paper XIV(B) : Canadian Literature Paper XIV(C) : Comparative Literature

## Group B

Paper XV(A): Translation: Theory and Practice

Paper XV(B) : Literature and Films

Paper XV(C): Indian Literature in Translation

## **Group C**

Paper XVI (A): Australian Literature

Paper XVI(B): SAARC Literature in English

Paper XVI(C): Dissertation (Optional)- Dissertation will be allowed to those candidates only who secure not less than 55% marks in the first three semesters.

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## **SEMESTER I**

Paper I :English Society, Literature & Thought

(16<sup>th</sup> Century including Chaucer)

Unit I : Social & Intellectual Background

\*Francis Bacon : õOf Ambitionö

õOf Travelö

õOf Revengeö

Unit II : Poetry

Geoffrey Chaucer : The General Prologue To

The Canterbury Tales

Edmund Spenser : Faerie Queene (Book I)

Unit III : Drama

Christopher Marlowe: \*Dr. Faustus
Ben Jonson: The Alchemist

Unit IV : William Shakespeare

\*Hamlet
\*The Tempest

#### Structure of the Question paper

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2. There will be six short -answer questions to be answered in 150 words, of four marks each 6x4=24

3. There will be four long-answer questions with internal choices of 15 marks each. 15x4=60

Paper II : English Society, Literature & Thought

(17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> Centuries)

Unit I : Social & Intellectual Background

John Dryden : Mac Flecknoe

Alexander Pope : The Rape of the Lock

Unit II : Poetry

\*John Donne : õA Valediction Forbidding Mourningö

õThe Good Morrowö

õThe Fleaö

\*Andrew Marvell : õTo His Coy Mistressö \*John Milton : **Paradise Lost.** Book I

Unit III : Drama

\*John Webster : The White Devil

William Congrave : The Way of the World

Unit IV : Fiction

Daniel Defoe : **Moll Flanders** Henry Fielding : **Tom Jones** 

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- 3. There will be four long-answer questions with internal choices of 15 marks each. 15x4= 60

Paper III : English Society, Literature and Thought

(19<sup>th</sup> Century)

**Unit I** : Social and Intellectual Background

Matthew Arnold : Culture and Anarchy

Unit II : Poetry

William Wordsworth: \*Tintern Abbey

S.T.Coleridge :\* õThe Rime of the Ancient Marinerö

John Keats : õThe Eve of St. Agnesö

A.L. Tennyson : õIn Memoriamö Robert Browning : \*öRabbi Ben Ezraö Matthew Arnold :\*öThe Scholar Gypsyö

Unit III : Fiction

Jane Austen : Emma
Charles Dickens : Hard Times

Thomas Hardy : Tess of the D'Urbervilles

Unit IV : Prose

John Stuart Mill : **On The Subjection of Women**John Ruskin : An idealistøs Arraignment of the Age

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3. There will be four long-answer questions with internal choices of 15 marks, each. 15x4=60

Paper IV : Structure of English

Unit I : Language & Linguistics:

Properties of Human Language

Linguistics as a science

Models of Linguistic analysis

Unit II : Phonology of English:

Vowels & Consonants

Phonemes & Allophones

Word-Accent

Unit III : English Morphology & Syntax:

Morphemes & Allomorphs
Processes of word formation

Structure of the Noun Phrase & Verb Phrase

Unit IV : Use of English

Language Variation
Varieties of English
Languages in Contact

# **Structure of Question Papers**

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## **SEMESTER II**

Paper V : English Society, Literature and Thought

(20<sup>th</sup> Century)

**Unit I**: Social and Intellectual Background

Albert Camus : <u>The Myth of Sisyphus Chaps I & IV</u>

Jean-Paul Sartre : Existentialism And Human Emotions

Unit II : Poetry

\*W.B. Yeats : õAmong School Childrenö

õByzantiumö õEaster 1916

õA Prayer for my Daughterö õSailing to Byzantiumö

\*T.S. Eliot : The Waste Land \*Ted Hughes : õThe Jaguarö

> õVoodooö õCrow Alights

\*John Hopkins : õWindhoverö Seamus Heaney : õDiggingö õPunishmentö

õMayö

Unit III : Fiction

D.H. Lawrence : Sons And Lovers
Virginia Woolf : To The Light House
William Golding : Lord of the Flies

Unit IV : Drama

Samuel Beckett : Waiting for Godot
G.S. Shaw : Man And Superman

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3. There will be four long-answer questions with internal choices of 15 marks, each. 15x4=60

Paper VI : Readings in Literary Criticism

**Unit I** : Classical Theory

\*Aristotle : **Poetics** 

Indian Literary theories with special reference to the theories

of Rasa, Dhwani, Vakrokti and Auchitya.

Unit II : Renaissance, Neoclassical, Romantic and Victorian.

Sir Philip Sidney : An Apology for Poetry

John Dryden : **An Essay of Dramatic Poesie** \*S.T. Coleridge : **Biographia Literaria**, **Chap XIV** 

Matthew Arnold : õ**The Study of Poetry**"

**Unit III** : **Modern Theory** 

M.H. Abrams : Orientation to Critical Theories

\*T.S. Eliot : -Tradition and the Individual Talentø -Hamletø

Wimsatt & Beardsley: õThe Intentional Fallacyö

**Unit IV** : Contemporary Theory

Jacques Derrida :õStructure, Sign and Play in the Discourse of Human

Sciencesö

Stanley Fish : õIs there a text in the class?ö
\*Elaine Showalter : õTowards a Feminist Poeticsö

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Paper VII : English Language Teaching

Unit I : Language Acquisition & Language Learning:

Theories of language acquisition

Language learning & teaching

Unit II : Methods of Teaching English

Grammar ó Translation Method

Direct Method

Communicative Language Teaching

Unit III : English Language Teaching in India:

Problems of Teaching English in India

Contrastive & Error Analysis

**Unit IV** : English for Specific Purposes

Concept of registerø

Features of some register -types in English

# **Structure of Question Papers**

**Unit III** 

- 1. There will be ten short-answer questions to be answered in 150 words, of four marks each 10x4=40
- 2. There will be four long-answer questions with internal choices of 15 marks each. 15x4=60

Paper VIII : Literature and Gender

Unit I : Simone de Beauvoir : <u>The Second Sex</u>

Virginia Woolf : A Room of One's Own

Unit II : Mahadevi Verma : <u>Srinkhala Ki Kariyan</u>

Mahashweta Devi : <u>Draupadi</u> Bharati Mukherjee : <u>Jasmine</u>

Anita Desai : Fire on The Mountain

Unit IV : Tehmina Durrani : My Feudal Lord

Maxine Hong Kingston : <u>The Woman Warrior</u>

# **Structure of the Question paper**

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## **SEMESTER III**

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Paper IX(A) : American Literature

Unit I : Wallace Stevens : \*Sunday Morning

õThirteen ways of Looking at a black birdö

: Sylvia Plath : \*õDaddyö

\*öLazarus Langhedö : \*Diving Into the Wreck

\*Aunt Jenniferøs Tigers

**Unit-II** : 20<sup>th</sup> American novel

Adrienne Rich

William Faulkner :

Saul Bellow : Herzog Toni Morrison : Beloved

Unit III Sam Shepard : Buried Child

Edward Albee : Whoos Afraid of Virginia Woolf?

**Unit IV** Sherewood Anderson: Death in the Woods

F. Scott Fitzgerald : Babylon Revisited

John Steinbeck : Flight

Katherine Anne Porter: Flowering Judas

Eudora Welty : Death of a traveling Salesman Richard Wright : The man who was almost a man

James Baldwin : Sonnyøs Blues

Flannery OøConnor : A Good man is hard to find

Bernard Malamud : The Magic Barrel

Joyce Carol Oates : Upon the Sweeping Flood

# Structure of the Question paper

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Paper IX(B) : New Literatures in English

**Unit I** : African and Caribbean Literature

V.S. Naipaul : A House For Mr. Biswas

Chinua Achebe : **Arrow of God**Wole Soyinka : **Kongi's Harvest** 

**Unit II** : Australian Literature

Patrick White : Voss

\*A.D. Hope : õAustraliaö

õStandardizationö õDeath of the Birdö

\*Judith Wright : õThe Company of Loversö

õWoman to Manö õThe Ancestorsö

**Unit III** : **Indian English Literature** 

Salman Rushdie : The Midnight

© Children

Amitav Ghosh : Hungry Tide

\*Jayant Mahapatra : -The Lost Children of America@

\*A.K. Ramanujan : :Small-Scale Reflections on a Great Houseø

**Unit IV** : Canadian Literature

Margaret Atwood : Surfacing

George Ryga : The Ecstasy of Rita Joe

\*Earle Birney : õThe Bear on the Delhi Road"

"Bushed"

#### Structure of the Question paper

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3. There will be four long-answer questions with internal choices of 15 marks each. 15x4=60

## <u>Paper-X(A)</u> : <u>Forms of Popular Literature</u>

Unit –I : Science Fiction

Arthur C. Clarke - 2001: A Space Odyssey H.G. Wells - The Time Machine

**Unit-II** : **Detective Fiction** 

Agatha Christie - <u>The Murder of Roger Ackroyd</u>

Ian Fleming - <u>From Russia With Love</u>

**Unit-III** : Travel Narrative

Vikram Seth - <u>From Heaven Lake</u> Bill Aitkin - <u>Footloose in Himalayas</u>

**Unit-IV** : Children's Fiction

Salman Rushdie - <u>Haroun & The Sea of Stories</u>

Ruskin Bond - <u>A Room on the Roof</u>

Paper X(B) : Indian Literature in English

Unit I : Fiction

R.K. Narayan : <u>The Guide</u>

Manohar Malgaonka : <u>A Bend in the Ganges</u>

Mulk Raj Anand : <u>Untouchable</u>

Unit II : Drama

Girish Karnad : <u>Fire and the Rain</u>

Asif Currimbhoy : **<u>Doldrummers</u>** 

**Unit III** : Non-Fictional Prose

\*Mahatma Gandhi : **Hind Swaraj** 

Nirad C. Chaudhary : A Passage to England

Unit IV : Poetry

Henry Derozio : The Harp of India

To My Native Land

Nissim Ezekiel : õGoodbye Party for Pushpa T.S

**Background Casually** 

"Jewish Wedding In Bombay"

Jayant Mahapatra : õ**Hunger**"

õGrandfather"

\*A.K. Ramanujan : õLove Poem for a wife"

õSmall Scale reflections on a great

House"

\*Kamala Das : õ**The Dance of the Eunuchs**"

õThe Stone Age"

(From Indian English Poetry Since 1950: An Anthology, ed. Vilas Sarang, Disha Books, 1995)

## Structure of the Question paper

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Unit IV

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# Paper XI(A) : Contemporary Literary Theories

Unit I : Northrop Frye : ∃Myth, Fiction, and Displacementø

Raymond Williams : :Romantic Artistø from Culture and Society

Unit II : Victor Shklovsky : From Art as Technique

M.M. Bakhtin : öDiscourse in the Novelø from <u>The Dialogic</u>

**Imagination** 

Unit III : Louis Althusser : From Ideology and the State

Wolfgang Iser : From **The Reading Process**Helene Cixous : õCastration or Decapitationö?
Roland Barthes : õThe Death of the Authorö

Edward Said : From **Orientalism** 

Note: These essays are available in **The English Critical Tradition**, **Vol. II**, edited by S. Ramaswamy and V.S. Seturaman (Macmillan, 1986) **Literary Criticism: A Reading** 

edited by B.Das and J.M. Mohanty (Oxford University Press, 1993) and Patricia Waugh & Philop Rice (eds.) **Modern Literary Theory**: Second Edition, Edward Arnold, London, 1992.

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Paper XI(B) : Stylistics and Discourse Analysis

Unit I : Style & Stylistics:

Language use

Language of literature

Stylistics and literary criticism

**Unit II** : **Discourse Analysis** 

Text and discourse

Coherence and Cohesion

Unit III : Pragmatics:

Language and communication

**Concept of Pragmatics** 

The Co-operative Principles

**Unit IV** : Meaning in Interaction:

**Conversational Principles** 

Politeness Principles

Speech Acts

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#### Paper XII(A) : Colonial and Post-Colonial Literature

Unit I : B. Ashcroft, G. Griffiths &

H. Tiffin

"Cutting the Ground: Critical Models of Post Colonial Literatures" from The Empire Writes Back (London & New York,

Routledge 1989)

Harish Trivedi : Chapter IX and X from Colonial

**Transactions** (Calcutta, Papyrus)

Aijaz Ahmed : õLanguage of Class, Ideology of

Immigration" from <u>In theory</u>

(Bombay: OUP, 1992)

Unit II : Ngugi wa Thiongo : <u>Decolonising the Mind</u>

Chinua Achebe : <u>Colonialist Criticism</u>

Unit III : Premchand : <u>Karmabhumi</u>

Shrilal Shukla : Raag Darbari

Unit IV : Salman Rushdie : <u>Midnight's Children</u>

Shashi Tharoor : The Great Indian Novel

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**Paper XII(B): 4 Term papers**: (<u>Three</u> on each paper offered by the student and <u>one</u> of his/her choice under the supervision of the teacher responsible for teaching that particular paper. Each term paper should be approx 5000-7000 words. Topics for the term papers (both the University & all the colleges who run P.G. in English) will be decided by the Department of English and M.E.L., Lucknow University.

## **SEMESTER IV**

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Paper XIII : Viva-Voce (Compulsory)

Group A

Paper XIV(A) : African and Carribean Literature

Unit I : The following poems from An Anthology of Commonwealth Poetry,

edited by C.D. Narsimhaiah, Macmillan, 1990 for detailed study

\*Dennis Brutus : ÷You Laughed and Laughedø

\*Gabriel Okara : :The Mystic Drumø \*Wole Soyinka : oDedicationø \*Edward Brathwaite ::Tizzicø

\*Derek Walcott : : A Far Cry from Africaø \*Mervyn Morris : :Literary evening, Jamaicaø

Unit II : V.S. Naipaul : An Area of Darkness

George Lamming : <u>The Pleasure of Exile</u>

Unit III : Chinua Achebe : Things Fall Apart

J. Ngugi wa Thiongo : <u>A Grain of Wheat</u>

Unit IV : \*Wole Soyinka : A Dance of the Forests

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# Paper XIV(B): Canadian Literature

Unit-I : Catharine Parr Traill - õLetter IXö, õLetterXö

From The Backwoods of Canada

Susauna Moodie -õBrian, The Still Hunterö

From Roughing It in he Bush

W.H. Newøs - A History of Canadian Literature

Codes of History, :Codes of Genderø

:Codes of Fantasy and Folkloreøand

¿Parodic codesø

M.G. Vassanji - õAm I a Canadian Writerö

Unit II : Poetry

Catharine Parr Traill -õThe Scottish Emigrantøs Songö

Susauna Moodie - õIndian Summerö

A.L. Purdy - õThe Country North to Bellevilleö

õWilderness Gothicö

D.G. Jones - õThe River : North of Guelphö Mrgaret Atwood - õProgressive Insanities of a Pioneerö

Dorothy Livesay - õWaking in the Darkö

**Unit III** : Canadian Fiction From the Diasporic Writers

Rohinton Mistry : Such a Long Journey
Michael Ondaatje : The English Patient

**Unit IV** : Fiction from the Canadian Prairie

Robert Kroetsch : The Studhorse Man
David Williams : Eye of the Father

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# Paper-XIV(C): Comparative Literature

Unit I : Comparative Literature : Definition and Scope

Development of the Discipline

Problems and Methods in Comparative Literature

Susan Bassnett: Comparative Literature: A Critical Introduction

(Introduction, Chapter I)

\_\_\_\_\_. -Reflections on Comparative Literature in the

Twenty-First Centuryø

Sisir Kumar Das. :Comparative Literature in India: A Historical

Approachø

Amiya Dev. Towards Comparative Indian Literature

Unit II : 1. Freud : Daydreaming and Literatureø

2. E. Balibur and P. Macheray: ¿Literature as an Ideological Formø
3. Paul de Mann : "The Epistemology of Metaphorø

Unit III : 1. Rassundari Devi : <u>Amar Jiban (My Life)</u>

2. Mary Prince : <u>The History of Mary Prince</u>

Unit : 1. Aristophanes : The Frogs

2. Shudrak : <u>Mrichchakatikam</u> (The Clay Cart)

## **Structure of the Question Paper**

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- 2. There will be four long-answer questions with internal choices of 15 marks each. 15x4=60

#### Group B

Paper XV(A) : Translation: Theory and Practice

**Unit I** : The Concept of Translation:

Social significance of translation

Some definitions of translation ó eastern and western

Some terminological distinctions

**Unit II** : Equivalence in Translation:

Concept of ÷equivalenceø

Theories of translation

**Unit III** : Problems of Translation:

Socio-cultural dimensions of translation

Machine translation ó merits and demerits

Unit IV : Practical Translation of passages from Hindi/Urdu to English and vice-

versa

#### Structure of the Question paper

1. There will be ten short-answer questions to be answered in 150 words, of four marks each 10x4=40

2. There will be four long-answer questions with internal choices of 15 marks each. 15x4=

Paper XV(B) : Literature and Films

Unit I : Basic Concepts: The Cinematic image, aspects of mis-en-scene,

editing styles.

Space in the Cinema: Scale, Shooting angle, Depth, Cutting, Camera

movement & framing.

Time in the Cinema

**Physical Time**: Time variation within a shot, Accelerated motion, slow motion, stopped motion, Montage and Physical time, the

flash back

Psychological Time: Suspense, Rhythm & Tempo

Dramatic Time Space-Time in Cinema

**Space-Time in Cinematographic movement** 

Space-Time and montage: Theories of montage and

realism

Mis-en-scene Characteristics: Décor, Costume & Makeup

Photographic Characteristics: Lighting, Soft Focus, Double Exposure,

Negarive Image & Distortion.

Colour: Dramatic use of colour & Special effects.

The Fifth Dimension: Sound

Film Editing Authorship

# Unit II : Adaptation of Literature to Film: Theory and Analysis

**Study of Film genres & sub-genres**: Chick flick, war, Gangster/Crime, Comedy, Biopics, Drama/Suspense/Thriller, Romance, Sci-Fi, Disaster, Epic/Historical, Guy films, Musicals, Horror, Action, Adventure.

#### Analysis of the following films based on literary texts

In love and War
A Farewell to Arms
To Kill A Mockingbird
To the Lighthouse
Frankenstein
Mistress of Spices
Hazar Chaurasi Ki Maa
Grapes of Wrath

#### **Additional Recommended Viewing**

Les Misrables Johnny Mnemonic The Human Stain Provoked The Colour Purple

# **Unit III** : Relation of Theatre to Films

Study of cinematic versions of Plays

## Shakespeare

Macbeth (Directed by Jack Gold for BBC Series)

Maqbool (Directed by Vishal Bharadwaj)

Throne of Blood (Directed by Akira Kurosawa)

**Romeo & Juliet** (3 Versions) 1. Directed by Baz Luhrmann 2. Directed by Franco Zefferelli 3. Directed by Renato Castellani

Death of a Salesman (Based on a play by Afthur Miller)

My Fair Lady (Adaption of Pygmalion by George Bernard Shaw)

Utsav (based on Mrichchakatika by Bhasa)

**Phantom of the Opera** (based on work by French Writer Gaston Leroux and stage musical by Andrew Lloyd Weber)

# **Addition Recommended Viewing**

Omkara Othello Dance like a Man Angles in America Cat on a hot tin roof

# Street Car named desire Joan of Arc

#### Unit IV : 1. Film as Literature

- 2. Study of the following Films
  - 1. **The Hours** (Directed by Stephen Daldry, based on the life of Virginia Woolfe)
  - 2. **Slumdog Millionaire** (Directed by Danny Boyle)
  - 3. Pather Panchali (Directed by Satyajit Ray)
  - 4. Erin Brookovich (Directed by Steven Sonderbergh)
  - 5. Schindler's List (Directed by Steven Speilberg)
  - 6. Khaamosh Paani (Directed by Sabiha Sumar)

## **Additional Recommended Viewing**

- 7. **Sylvia** (Directed by Christine Jeffs based on the life of American Author & Poet Sylvia Plath)
- 8. **Tome & Viv** (Based on the life of T.S. Eliot)
- 9. Rang De Basanti (Directed by Om Prakash Mehra)
- 10. **Iris** (Directed by Richard Eyre adapted from the novel by John Bayley, based on the life of Iris Murdoch)
- 11. **Frida** (Directed by Juilie Taymor, based on the life of Painter Frida Kahlo)
- 12. **Gandhi** (Directed by Richard Attenborough, based on the life of Mahatma Gandhi)
- 13. What Dreams May Come (Directed by Vincent Ward)
- 14. **Jodha Akbar** (Directed by Ashotosh Gowarikar)
- 15. Tahan (Directed by Rituparno Ghosh)
- 16. Tamas (Directed by Govind Nihalani)

The Cinema as Art : Reality & Artistic Creation
Understanding Film texts : Meaning & Experience

# Critical Analysis of Films

## **Structure of the Question paper**

- 1. There will be ten short-answer question to be answered in 150 wards, of four marks each 10x4=40
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# Paper XV(C) : Indian Literature in Translation

Unit I : General acquaintance with great Indian Epics-The Ramayan and Mahabharat.

Kalidasa : Shakuntala
Ban Bhatta : Kadambari
Jaishankar Prasad : Kamayani

: Rabindra Nath Tagore : Gitanjali

Yashpal : <u>Divya</u>

Mohan Rakesh : Adhe Adhure
: Amrita Pritam : Revenue Stamp

M.K. Indira : Phaniyamma

Unit IV : U.R. Ananthmurthy : Samskara

Qurratul-ain Haider : River of Fire

## Structure of the Question paper

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2. There will be four long-answer questions with internal choices of 15 marks each. 15x4=60

## Group C

**Unit III** 

Unit II

**Unit III** 

## Paper XVI(A) : Australian Literature

Unit I : \*James Mcauley : : Invocation #Any Poetö

\*A.D. Hope : 'The Pleasure of Princes','The

Wandering Island, 'Observation

Car'

\*Judith Wright : 'Five Senses', 'Bullocky', Woman to

Child', Legend

\*Peter Porter : 'Your Attention, Please'

Competition is 'healthy'

Unit II : Sally Morgan : My Place

Jack Davis : <u>Kullark</u>
: Peter Kenna : <u>Hard God</u>

Randolf Stow : The Merry-Go-Round in the Sea

Unit IV : David Williamson : The Removalists

Christopher Koch : Across the Sea Wall

## Structure of the Question paper

1. There will be *four* passages with internal choices for explanation from the starred texts 4x4=16 marks

2. There will be six short-answer questions to be answered in 150 words, of four marks each 6x4=24

3. There will be four long-answer questions with internal choices of 15 marks each. 15x4=60

# Paper-XVI(B): SAARC Literature in English

Unit-I :India

Amitav Ghosh-<u>The Glass Palace</u> Nayantara Sehgal-<u>Rich Like Us</u> Manjula Padmanabhan - <u>Harvest</u> Agha Shahid Ali ó õPostcard From Kashmirö õSnowmenö

Unit-II : Pakistan and Bangla Desh

Zulfikar Ghose - õ The Loss of Indiaö
Kishwar Naheed - õI am not that Womanö
Ahmed Ali - <u>Twilight in Delhi</u>
Monica Ali - <u>Brick Lane</u>
Kamila Shamsie - <u>Broken Verses</u>

Unit-III :Bhutan & Nepal

Kunzang Choden - <u>The Circle of Karma</u> Manjushree Thapa - <u>The Tutor of History</u>

Unit-IV : Sri Lanka & Maldives

Anne Ranasinghe - õJuly 1983ö, and õNight of the Broken

Glassö

Yasmine Gooneratne - A Change of Skies

Shyam Selvadurai - <u>Funny Boy</u> Michael Ondaatje - õBearhugö

õSpeaking to youö (From Rock Bottom)

Paper XVI(C): Dissertation (Optional)- Dissertation will be allowed to those candidates only who secure not less than 55% marks in the first three semesters. Topics for the Dissertations of both the University & all the colleges who run P.G. in English will have to be approved by the Board of Studies in the beginning of the IV Semester. Allotment of Supervisors will also be done by Board of Studies.