

K.L.E. Society's
LINGARAJ COLLEGE, BELGAUM

(AUTONOMOUS)

B.A. - I Semester

Optional English

SYLLABUS

(With effect from 2019 -20 and onwards)

Teaching hours per week – 5

Maximum Marks : 100 Marks

Semester End Examination : 70 Marks

Duration : 03 Hours

Internal Assessment : 30 Marks

Hours of Teaching : 50 Hours

Course Outcome

1. Students create literary sensibility.
2. Students get acquaintance with the language of literature.
3. They get acquainted with literary terms and forms.

Unit – I 04 hours

Introduction to Literature - What is Literature?

Unit – II 20 hours

History of English Literature

16th and 17th Century History of English Literature (Major trends texts and writers)

Unit – III 10 hours

Representative Text

A Midsummer Night's Dream- William Shakespeare

Unit – IV

10 hours

Representative poems

- True Love/Sonnet 16 -William Shakespeare
- To His Coy Mistress - John Donne
- On His Blindness - John Milton
- Come Sleep, O Sleep- Philip Sidney
- That Women are but Men's Shadows -Ben Jonson

Unit – V

06 hours

Literary Terms for identification

Conceit, Alliteration, Metaphor, Hyperbole, Allusion, Epithet, Personification, Pun, Wit, Imagery, Epiphany, Euphemism and Blank verse.

References

Unit – II

1. Daiches, David - A Critical History of English Literature, New York: Ronald Press Co. 1960. Print.
2. Hudson, W.H. An Outline History of English Literature. London: Bell, 1932. Print.
3. Long, William, J - English literature, Boston: Ginn and Company, 1909. Print.
4. Sanders Andrew- The Short Oxford History of English Literature, Oxford, Clarendon Press, 1994. Print.

Unit – III & IV

1. Abrams M H - A Glossary of Literary Terms (11th addition), New Delhi, Cengage Learning India Private Limited, 2015. Print.
2. Sir Sidney, Philip. The Poems of Sir Philip Sidney: Oxford at the Clarendon Press, 1962. Print.

Blue Print of Question Paper

	Marks
1. Objective type questions on History of English Literature (16 th and 17 th Century: Major Trends, writers and texts)	10X01=10
2. Essay type question on Unit I (One out of two)	01X10=10
3. Essay type question on the play (One out of two)	01X10=10
4. Short notes on the play (Two out of four)	02X05=10
5. Essay type question on representative poems	01X10=10

(One out of two)

6. Short notes on the poems

02X05=10

(Two out of four)

7. Questions on literary terms

05X02=10

(Five out of ten)

Theory	70 Marks
Internal	30 Marks
Total	100 Marks

Internal Assessment Marks

The marks will be allotted based on the performance of students in Internal Tests, Home assignment, Seminars, Group Discussion and participating in field visits and attendance.