

SR & BGNR GOVT. ARTS & SCIENCE COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS)
KHAMMAM
DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH
SYLLABUS - 2020-21

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SEMESTER I

SYLLABUS FOR I YEAR (I SEMESTER) GENERAL ENGLISH
AT UNDERGRADUATE LEVEL

w.e.f (under CBCS from 2019-2020)

Text Book Entitled - *English for Advancement* - for I Year (Sem I & II) 4 Credits
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UNIT ONE (SHORT FICTION)	TEXT	AN ASTROLOGER'S DAY by R.K.NARAYAN
	GRAMMAR	NOUNS AND PRONOUNS
	VOCABULARY	WORD ROOTS
	READING COMPREHENSION	HAZARDS OF FOOD COLOURING
	PRONUNCIATION	CONSONANTAL SOUNDS
	LANGUAGE SKILLS	TYPES OF LISTENING
	SOFT SKILLS	MOTIVATION AND GOAL-SETTING
UNIT TWO (PROSE)	TEXT	OF STUDIES by FRANCIS BACON
	GRAMMAR	ADJECTIVES
	VOCABULARY	FUNNY SIDE OF ENGLISH
	READING COMPREHENSION	PLEASURES OF IGNORANCE by ROBERT LYND
	PRONUNCIATION	VOWEL SOUNDS
	LANGUAGE SKILLS	CONVERSATION SKILLS
	SOFT SKILLS	TIME MANAGEMENT
UNIT THREE (POETRY)	TEXT	A POISON TREE by WILLIAM BLAKE
	GRAMMAR	ADVERBS
	SPELLING	COMMONLY MISPELT WORDS

	READING COMPREHENSION	VALUES IN LIFE by RUDYARD KIPPLING
	PRONUNCIATION	PHONETIC TRANSCRIPTION
	SOFT SKILLS	EMOTIONAL INTELLIGENCE & SOCIAL CONSCIOUSNESS
UNIT FOUR (DRAMA)	TEXT	THE RISING OF THE MOON by LADY GREGORY
	GRAMMAR	VERBS
	PRONUNCIATION	INTONATION
	READING COMPREHENSION	HAZRATH URS
	LANGUAGE SKILLS	SPEAKING : JAM
	VALUE ORIENTATION	SELF-DISCOVERY

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SEMESTER II

**SYLLABUS FOR I YEAR (II SEMESTER) GENERAL ENGLISH
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UNIT ONE (SHORT FICTION)	TEXT	WITH THE PHOTOGRAPHER by STEPHEN LEACOCK
	GRAMMAR	PREPOSITIONS
	VOCABULARY	PREFIXES AND SUFFIXES
	READING COMPREHENSION	SPORTS, POLITICS AND DEMOCRACY by ARIO BIMO UTOMO
	PRONUNCIATION	STRESS
	LANGUAGE SKILLS	INTRODUCING ONSELF IN FORMAL AND INFORMAL SITUATIONS
	SOFT SKILLS	LATERAL THINKING
UNIT TWO (PROSE)	TEXT	A TREATISE ON GOOD MANNERS AND GOOD BREEDING by JONATHAN SWIFT
	GRAMMAR	CONJUNCTIONS
	VOCABULARY	SYNONYMS
	READING COMPREHENSION	THE ECONOMIC POWER OF LANGUAGE by GABRIELLE HOGAN-BRUN
	PRONUNCIATION	STRESS AND PRACTICE IN PHONETIC TRANSCRIPTION
	LANGUAGE SKILLS	LISTENING COMPREHENSION

	SOFT SKILLS	ATTITUDE
UNIT THREE (POETRY)	TEXT	ODE ON SOLITUDE by ALEXANDER POPE
	GRAMMAR	KINDS OF SENTENCE
	SPELLING	PLURALS
	READING COMPREHENSION	JADAV PAYENG: THE FOREST MAN OF INDIA
	PRONUNCIATION	ASSIMILATION
	SOFT SKILLS	TEAM WORK
UNIT FOUR (DRAMA)	TEXT	A MARRIAGE PROPOSAL by ANTON CHEKOV
	GRAMMAR	COMMON MISTAKES
	PRONUNCIATION	ELISON
	READING COMPREHENSION	HOW I BECAME A PUBLIC SPEAKER? by GEORGE BERNARD SHAW
	LANGUAGE SKILLS	PRESENTATIONS
	VALUE ORIENTATION	SELF-CONFIDENCE

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SEMESTER III

Theory: 3 Hours/Week; Credits: 3 Marks: 75 (Internal: 15; External: 60)

**Prescribed Textbook entitled: English for Excellence
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UNIT I: GENDER EQUALITY

1. “Achieving Gender Equality in India” by Smriti Sharma
2. “They Shut me up in Prose” by Emily Dickinson
3. Prepositions
4. Phrasal Verbs

UNIT II: GENDER ROLES

1. “The Wonder Story of Kalpana Saroj” by Rakhi Chakraborty
2. “Kitchen” by Vimala
3. Voice
4. Technical Vocabulary

UNIT III: ENDING VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN

1. “What is my Name” by P.Satyavathi
2. “Voice of the Unwanted Girl” by Sujatha Bhatt
3. Connectives
4. Idioms

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SEMESTER IV

UNIT I: RENEWABLE AND NON-RENEWABLE RESOURCES

1. Jadav Payeng
2. The Tame Bird was in a Cage - Rabindranath Tagore
3. Reported Speech
4. Commonly Confused Words

UNIT II: ECOSYSTEMS AND ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION

1. Climate Change and Global Warming - Michael Shafer
2. A Requiem for Earth - O. N. V. Kurup
3. Conditionals
4. Suffixes

UNIT III: CONSERVATION AND BIODIVERSITY

1. The Ungrateful Man: A conversation between Trees - Swathi
2. The Felling of the Banyan Tree - Dilip Chitre
3. Common Errors
4. Collocations