

**A.D.M. COLLEGE FOR WOMEN (AUTONOMOUS) NAGAPATTINAM
DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH
SEMESTER-I CATEGORY - PART II ENGLISH
PAPER-I PROSE FOR EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION
(For candidates admitted from the academic year 2016 – 17 onwards)**

SEMESTER I

ELC I – PROSE FOR EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION

Objectives:

To make learners read, understand and appreciate texts from various genres of literature.

To help learners read and comprehend literary texts to communicate effectively.

To train learners to improve their comprehension.

Text prescribed:

I English Through Information and Comprehension
Edited by Prof.V.Sivakumaran & Prof.S.A.Sankaranarayanan

II Spoken Language Component – Identifying the speech sounds.
(Materials Prepared by the Department of English)

Unit – I

1. The Legend of Laurel
2. Why the Sea is Salt (From Great Legends)

Unit – II

3. Crossword
4. Cyber Virus (From Future World)

Unit – III

5. The Paper Story
6. The Puppet Show (From Master minds Library)

Unit - IV

7. Ego and Spirit (From “Ignited Minds” – APJ. Abdul Kalam)
8. The Tree Dream (From “The Tree Speaks” – C.Rajagopalachari)

Unit- V

9. Mount Etna
10. Dead Sea (From Discovering the Wonders of the World – readers’ digest publication)
11. Identifying the speech sounds (Pronunciation of Bilabial Plosives, Fricatives and Nasal Consonants)

Pattern of Evaluation

CIA – 25 Marks (Passing minimum of 40%)

Test (Written) – 10 Marks

Assignment & Group Discussion – 5 Marks

Written Quiz & Seminar - 5 Marks

Attendance - 5 Marks

SEMESTER – 75 Marks

Total Marks – 100 (Passing minimum of 40%)

Question Pattern:

Section A - 20 Marks

Short answer questions (10 x2 =20 Marks)

Section B -25 Marks

- (i) Answer all the Paragraph questions either or pattern (A question should be asked from each unit) 5x4=20 Marks
- (ii) Spoken English Component 10 x ½ =5 Marks

Section C – Essay Questions (3x10=30)

Answer any 3 Questions. (One Essay should be asked from each Unit.)

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DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH
SEMESTER-II CATEGORY – PART II- ENGLISH
PAPER-II POETRY FOR EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION
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SEMESTER II

ELC II – POETRY FOR EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION

Objectives:

To make learners to be aware of the various elements of poetry.

To make them appreciate the poem.

Text prescribed:

I Tranquil Reflections

-Edited by Dr.A.Santhanalakshmi & Mrs.V.Kannaki, etal.

II Spoken Language Component

(Materials Prepared by the Department of English)

Unit – I

1. Christina Rossetti - “Goblin Market”
2. Edith Sitwell - "A Mother to her dead child”

Unit – II

3. Emily Dickens - “Hope”
4. Sylvia Plath - “Mirror”

Unit – III

5. Toru Dutt - “The Lotus”
6. Sarojini Naidu - “The Soul’s Prayer”

Unit – IV

7. Kamala Das - “ My Grandmother’s House”
8. Lakshmi Kannan - “She”

Unit – V

9. Meena Kandasamy - “Touch”
10. Meena Alexandar - “Muse”
11. Spoken Language Component- Syllable Division

Pattern of Evaluation

CIA – 25 Marks (Passing minimum of 40%)

Test (Written) – 10 Marks

Assignment & Group Discussion - 5 Marks

Written Quiz & Seminar - 5 Marks

Attendance - 5 Marks

SEMESTER – 75 Marks

Total Marks – 100 Marks (Passing minimum of 40%)

Question Pattern:

Section A - 20 Marks

Short answer questions (10x2=20 Marks)

Section B – 25 Marks

Paragraph Questions (5x4=20 Marks)

Answer all the Paragraph questions either or pattern (A question should be asked from each unit)

Spoken English Component $10 \times \frac{1}{2} = 5$ Marks

Section C –

Essay Questions (3x10=30 Marks)

Answer any 3 Questions. (One Essay should be asked from each Unit)

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Credit Point: 3

SEMESTER-III CATEGORY - PART II ENGLISH
PAPER-III DRAMA FOR EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION
(For candidates admitted from the academic year 2017 – 18 onwards)

SEMESTER III

ELC III – DRAMA FOR EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION

Objectives:

To introduce the genre and use of language in various life situations.

Text prescribed:

English for Excellence (One act-plays)

–Edited by Prof.Lalitha Natarajan & Dr.Sasikala Natesan

Unitized Syllabus

Unit I

1. The Sheriff's Kitchen – Ronald Gow

Unit II

2. Mother's Day – J.B.Priestley

Unit III

3. The End of the Beginning – Sean O'Casey

Unit IV

4. Old Man River – Dorothy Deming

Unit V

5. The Bridge – K.Xavier Amalraj
6. Spoken English Component – Stress Shift to differentiate between

(i) Noun and Verb.

(ii) Statement and Question

Pattern of Evaluation

CIA – 25 Marks (Passing minimum of 40%)

Test (Written) – 10 Marks

Assignment & Group Discussion - 5 Marks

Written Quiz & Seminar - 5 Marks

Attendance - 5 Marks

SEMESTER – 75 Marks

Total Marks – 100 Marks (Passing minimum of 40%)

Question Pattern:

Section A - 20 Marks

Short answer questions (10x2=20 Marks)

Section B – 25 Marks

Paragraph Questions (5x4=20 Marks)

- (i) Answer all the Paragraph questions either or pattern (One question should be asked from each unit)
- (ii) Answer the following as directed (Spoken English Component)
 - (a) Convert the following nouns into verbs changing the stress pattern
(6 x ½ = 3 Marks)
 - (b) Mark sentence stress for the following sentences (2 x 1 = 2 Marks)

Section C – 30 Marks

Essay Questions (3x10=30 Marks)

Answer any 3 Questions. (One Essay should be asked from each Unit)

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DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH **Credit Point : 3**
SEMESTER-IV CATEGORY – PART II- ENGLISH
Paper IV – ENGLISH FOR COMPETITIVE EXAMINATIONS

SEMESTER IV

ELC IV – ENGLISH FOR COMPETITIVE EXAMINATIONS

Text Prescribed:

- **English for Competitive Examinations – R.R. Bhatnagar and Rajul Bhatnagava**
- **Spoken English – V. Sasikumar and P.V.Dhamaja.**

Units:

1. Articles
2. Indirect Speech
3. Tenses
4. Errors and how to avoid them
5. Spotting Errors
6. Sentence Completion
7. Synonyms-50
8. Antonyms-50
9. Idiomatic Expression-36
10. Reconstructing Passages-20
11. Precis Writing
12. Letter Writing (Formal and Informal)
13. Comprehension
14. Essay Writing
15. Dialogues

Unitized Syllabus

Unit-I

1. Articles
2. Indirect Speech
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4. Errors and how to avoid them
5. Spotting Errors

Unit-II

6. Synonyms-50
7. Antonyms-50
8. Idiomatic Expression-36

Unit-III

9. Reconstructing Passages
10. Sentence Completion
11. Letter Writing (Formal and Informal)

Unit-IV

12. Precis Writing
13. Comprehension

Unit-V

14. Essay Writing
15. Dialogues

Pattern of Evaluation

CIA – 25 Marks (Passing minimum of 40%)

Test (Written) – 10 Marks

Assignment - 5 Marks

Quiz / Group Discussion - 5 Marks

Attendance - 5 Marks

S/E – 75 Marks

Total Marks – 100 (Passing minimum of 40%)

Question Pattern:

Section A - 20 Marks

Vocabulary (20 x 1 = 20)

1. Synonyms - 5 Marks
2. Antonyms - 5 Marks
3. Idiomatic Expression - 5 Marks
4. Sentence Completion - 5 Marks

Section B – 25 Marks

Grammar Components

1. Spotting Errors - 5 Marks
2. Errors and How to avoid them - 5 Marks
3. Reconstructing Passages - 5 Marks
4. Tense Form - 5 Marks
5. Articles -3 Marks
6. Direct to Indirect Speech - 2 Marks

Section C (30 Marks)

1. Letter Writing - 5 Marks Personal Letter / Informal Letter (Either Or Pattern)
2. Précis Writing - 5 Marks
3. Comprehension - 5 Marks
4. Essay Writing -10 Marks
5. Dialogues - 5 Marks