

Devi Ahilya Vishwavidyalaya, Indore

Scheme of Examination

I Semester Session 2017-18 Onwards

M.A.English I Semester

Paper	Name of Paper	Maximum Marks		Minimum Passing Marks	
		Theory	CCE	Theory	CCE
I	Poetry	85	15	28	05
II	Drama	85	15	28	05
III	Fiction	85	15	28	05
IV	Prose	85	15	28	05

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# Devi Ahilaya Vishwavidyalaya, Indore

M.A. English Syllabus 2017-18 onwards  
I to IV Sem

Class- M.A. Previous  
Subject- English Literature  
Semester- I  
Course- Poetry  
Paper- I

Marks- 85 + CCE 15

- Note:**
1. There shall be four Compulsory Papers in each semester. In all there will be eight compulsory papers in two semesters.
  2. Two essay type questions to be set from each unit and one to be attempted.
  3. All questions are compulsory. They carry equal marks.

**Unit-1:** Annotations (Any two out of the four given passages. At least one from each unit).

**Unit-2** Epic Poetry:

John Milton: Paradise Lost Book I  
Edward Spenser: Fairie Queene

**Unit-3** Narrative Poetry:

Geoffrey Chaucer: The Prologue to The Canterbury Tales.  
S.T. Coleridge: The Rime of the Ancient Mariner.

**Unit-4** Renaissance Poetry:

William Shakespeare: Sonnets Nos. 23, 24, 26, 27, 31, 44.  
John Donne: The Extasie, A Valediction Forbidden Mourning.  
The Good Morrow, Love's Alchemie, The  
Canonization, The Anniversarie.

**Unit-5** Satirical Poetry:

John Dryden: Absalom and Achitophel.  
Alexander Pope: The Rape of the Lock.

**Books Recommended:**

Emile Legouis: Chaucer.  
EMW Tillyard: Milton.  
Compton Rickett: History of English Literature.  
David Daiches: History of English Literature.

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M.A. English Syllabus 2017-18 onwards

Semester- I  
Course- Drama  
Paper- II

Marks- 85 + CCE 15

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2. Two essay type . questions to be set from each unit and one to be attempted.  
3. All questions are compulsory. They carry equal marks.

**Unit-1** Annotations (Any two out of four given passages selecting at least one from each unit).

**Unit-2** Non-English Drama:

Sophocles: Oedipus Rex.

Kalidas: Abhigyanam Shankuntalam. (English Translation, Sahitya Academy)

**Unit-3** Shakespearean Tragedy:  
Hamlet, King Lear.

**Unit-4** Other Shakespearean Plays:  
Twelfth Night, The Tempest.

**Unit-5** Renaissance Drama: (Non- Shakespearean)  
Christopher Marlowe: Dr. Faustus.  
Ben Jonson: Every Man in His Humour.

## Books Recommended:-

- A.C. Bradley: Shakespearean Tragedy.  
H.B. Charlton: Shakespearean Comedy.  
Ram Vilas Sharma: Shakespearean Tragedy.  
Allardyce Nicoll: British Drama.

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# Devi Ahilya Vishwavidyalaya, Indore

M.A. English Syllabus 2017-18 onwards

Semester- I  
Course- Fiction  
Paper- Iii

Marks- 85 + CCE 15

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1. There shall be four Compulsory Papers in each semester. In all there will be eight compulsory papers in two semesters
  2. Two essay type questions to be set from each unit and one to be attempted.
  3. All questions are compulsory. They carry equal marks.

Unit-1 Early Prose Narrative:  
Daniel Defoe : Robinson Crusoe  
Cervantes: Don Quixote.

Unit-2 Henry Fielding: Tom Jones.  
Jonathan Swift's 'Gulliver's Travels'

Unit-3 Historical Novel:  
George Orwell's 'Animal Farm'  
Leo Tolstoy's 'War & Peace'.

Unit-4 Fiction by Women:  
George Eliot: The Mill on the Floss.  
Emily Bronte: Jane Eyre.

Unit-5 19th Century Realistic Novel:  
Charles Dickens: Great Expectations.  
Zola: Nana.

## Books Recommended:-

Walter Allen: History of English Novel.  
David Daiches: Critical Approaches to Literature.  
O.P. Budholia: George Eliot: Art and Vision in Her Novels.  
Austin Dobson: Fielding.  
Ian Watt: The Rise of the Novel

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M.A. English Syllabus 2017-18 onwards

Semester- I  
Course- Prose  
Paper- IV

Marks- 85 + CCE 15

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3. All questions are compulsory. They carry equal marks.

Unit-1 Annotations (Any two out of four given passages selecting at least one from each unit).

Unit-2 Biography and Autobiography:

J.L.Nehru: Autobiography (Fourth Chapter).

Kamala Das: My Story (Fourth Chapter).

Unit-3 Political and Social Writings:

Plato: The Republic, Book II (First four chapters).

Bacon: Of Truth, Of Studies, Of Revenge, Of Love.

Unit-4 Philosophical Writings:

J.Krishnamurti: 1. Individual and Society.

2. Action and Idea.

3. What is Self?

4. What are We Seeking?

Lala Hardayal: Intellectual Culture.

Unit-5 Bertrand Russell: Bertrand Russell's Competition – Chapter III.

William Hazlitt: 1. The Ignorance of the Learned.

2. The Indian Jugglers.

Books Recommended:-

Hugh Walker: The English Essay and Essayists.

Benson: The Art of Essay Writing.

J.Krishnamurti: The First and the Last Freedom.

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