

English

Semester-I

Nomenclature of the Course: **Introduction to Short-Story and Basic Grammar**

Course Code: **B23-ENG-101**

Course Type: **CC-1/MCC-1**

Level of the Course: **100-199**

Credits: 4 (Theory 3, Tutorial/Composition 1)

Total Marks: 100

End Term Exam Marks: 70

Internal Assessment: 30

Exam Time: 3 Hrs.

Workload: 4 Hours (3 hours theory and 1 hour tutorial/composition)

Course Learning Outcomes:

After the successful completion of the course, the student will be able to:

B23-ENG-101.1 The students will comprehend different forms and techniques of short fiction.

B23-ENG-101.2 The students will be able to understand tenses.

B23-ENG-101.3 The students will understand parts of speech, voice and narration.

B23-ENG-101.4 The students will progress to understand basics of grammar.

Unit-I The following short stories are prescribed:

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| 1. Leo Tolstoy: | “God Sees the Truth, But Waits” |
| 2. Oscar Wilde: | “The Model Millionaire” |
| 3. R.K. Narayan: | “The Blind Dog” |
| 4. Bhisham Sahni: | “The Boy with a Catapult” |
| 5. Munshi Prem Chand: | “The Child” |
| 6. Mulk Raj Anand: | “The Gold Watch” |

Unit-II The following short stories are prescribed:

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| 1. Anita Desai: | “Games at Twilight” |
| 2. Shashi Deshpande: | “The Beloved Charioteer” |
| 3. Saadat Hasan Manto: | “The Dog of Tithwal” |
| 4. Agatha Christie: | “Wasp’s Nest” |

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| 5. Zora Neale Hurston: | “Sweat” |
| 6. Nadine Gordimer | “Once upon a Time” |

Unit-III Grammar

1. Tenses and Usage
2. Parts of Speech: Noun, Pronouns, Adjective, Verbs, Adverb, Conjunction, Interjection, Preposition

Unit-IV Grammar

1. Voice
2. Narration

Prescribed Text: To be edited by UG Board of Studies.

1. F.T. Wood. *A Remedial English Grammar for Foreign Students*, Macmillan.
2. Raymond Murphy. *English Grammar in Use*, OUP.

Note: (To be printed in the question paper)

1. The students are required to attempt five questions in all.
2. Question No.1 is compulsory.
3. Attempt one question from each of the 4 Units.
4. All questions carry equal marks.

Note for Paper Setters:

1. The paper-setter will set 9 questions in all.
2. Question No. 1 will consist of 10 short questions based on all the four Units. Out of 10 short questions, the students will be required to attempt any seven, selecting at least one short question from each unit. Every short-answer type question will be of 2 marks each.
3. Question No 2 with 4 parts will be on explanation with reference to the context based on Unit I. Students will be required to attempt any two.
4. Question No 3 with internal choice will be essay type questions based on Unit II.
5. Question No 4 will be based on Unit III. It will have 16 items covering all the topics in the Unit. The students will be required to attempt any 14 items.
6. Question No 5 will be based on Unit IV. It will have 16 items covering all the topics in the Unit. The students will be required to attempt any 14 items.

Evaluation of Internal Assessment

Internal Assessment will be based on the following components.

i. Class Participation	5 Marks
ii. Seminar/Presentation/Assignments/ Quiz/Class Test etc.	10 Marks
iii. Mid-Term Exam	15 Marks
Total	30 Marks