### PUNYSHLOK AHILYADEVI HOLKAR SOLAPUR UNIVERSITY, SOLAPUR



### Name of the Faculty Syllabus

**Name of the Course:** 

B.A., B.Com, B. Sc.&All Under Graduate Courses Part I

Compulsory English

With effect from June 2022-23, 23-24, 24-25

#### **Preamble:**

English is the secondary language introduced as the compulsory subject at B.A., B.com and B. Sc. Part I. The text prescribed for the syllabus is divided into four sections. It includes prose, poetry, grammar and communication skills. The prose and poetry section aim to strengthen students' reading as well as comprehension skills and give them an opportunity to develop literary sensibility and taste. The section on grammar and vocabulary provides brief, useful guidelines on the form and the function of language. The section on communication skills includes topics on useful oral and written communication necessary in the present global scenario.

#### 1) Objectives of the Course:

- To introduce to the students various forms of communication.
- To make the teaching of English more practical and student centric.
- To introduce to the students poems from across the globe.
- To acquaint the students with different forms of prose.
- To acquaint the students with different language skills.

#### 2) **Outcome**: At the end of the course students will

- Understand the concepts of communication.
- Expand their vocabulary after reading the prescribed texts.
- Attain writing, speaking, reading, & listening competence.
- Be aware of the correct usage of English grammar
- Become familiar with selected literary forms, develop and strengthen their imaginative ability and the ability to analyze different literary forms.

#### Title of the Course/Paper LITERARY VOYAGE (Compulsory English) Semester I [Credits:4]

Unit no: 1 Prose (Credit 01)

- 1. The Birth of Khadi M. K. Gandhi
- 2. The Portrait of a Lady Khushwant Singh

Unit no: 2 Poetry

1. Let Me Not Pray to be Sheltered from Dangers – Rabindranath Togore

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- 2. The Lotus Toru Dutt
- 3. The Toys Coventry Patmore

Unit no: 3 Grammar & Vocabulary (Credit for Unit 2 and 3: 01) (15)

- 1. Word Formation Prefixes & Suffixes
- 2. Parts of Speech

Unit no. 4 Communication & Other Skills (Credit for Unit 4: 02) (30)

- 1. What is Communication?
- 2. Communicating Effectively
- 3. Intrapersonal Skills (Soft Skills)

#### **List of Reference Books:**

- 1. LITERARY VOYAGE (Prescribed Text Book)
- 2. "A Student"s Introduction to English Grammar" by Rodney Huddleston and Geoffrey K. Pullum. 2002.

### **Equivalent Subject for Old Syllabus**

Sr. No.	Name of the Old Paper	Name of the New Paper
1)	Compulsory English	Compulsory English

## Title of the Course/Paper LITERARY VOYAGE

(Compulsory English)

Semester II [Credits: 4]

**Unit no: 1 Prose** (Credit 01) (15)

- 1. Does Education Do Harm? Bertrand Russell
- 2. The Spirit of Freedom Rabindranath Tagore

Unit no: 2 Poetry

- 1. Our Earth Will Not Die Niyi Osundare
- 2. Ode on Solitude Alexander Pope
- 3. Remember Christian Rossetti

Unit no: 3 Grammar & Vocabulary (Credit for Unit 2 and 3: 01) (15)

- 1. Synonyms & Antonyms
- 2. Tenses

Unit no. 4 Communication & Other Skills (Credit for Unit 4: 02) (30)

- 1. Letter Writing (Formal & Informal)
- 2. Interpersonal Intelligence (Soft Skills)

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Question Paper pattern (for B. A, B. Com and B. Sc. I)

B. A. –I (Semester I & II)

ENGLISH (Compulsory) Revised Syllabus (CBCS)
(Introduced from June 2022)

Que.1 Rewrite the following by choosing the correct alternative. (08)

(Poems, Prose and Grammar)

Que.2 Write the answers in short. (Any Four out Six) (12)

(Prose and Poetry)

Que.3 Broad question (any one) (10)

(Communication Skills)

Que. 4 Broad question General topics (10)

(Communication Skills)