

UNIVERSITY OF KERALA

(Abstract)

First Degree Programmes under CBCS system- Revision of Syllabus- Courses in English- I, III and IV semester- with effect from 2015 and 2016 admissions -approved-orders issued

ACADEMIC 'AV' SECTION

No.ACAV/2/Eng/2016

Thiruvananthapuram, Dated: 23/08/2016

Read:- Minutes of additional meeting of the Board of Studies in English (Pass) held on 10<sup>th</sup> May 2016 & 24<sup>th</sup> May 2016.

ORDER

The additional meeting of Board of Studies in English (Pass) vide paper read above, has recommended certain revisions as follows:-

1. The text 'Writing Today' by Orient Blackswan as the core text book for Writing and Presentation Skills (BA/BSc/BCom and Career-related 2(a) EN 1311.1, EN 1311.2, EN 1311.3) for the third semester of 2015 admission onwards.
2. The text 'English Language Skills for Communication I' published by Oxford University Press, as the Core text for Career-related 2(b) EN 1111.4 (Language Courses I) and to rename the course title as 'Listening, Speaking and Reading' from 2016 admission onwards.
3. To introduce a new text book for the First Semester BA/BSc Foundation Course [EN 1121] from 2016 admissions onwards. The same book is recommended for the Foundation Course 1: 'Writings on Contemporary Issues' [CG 1121.3] of BA English and Communicative English from 2016 admission onwards. Module II of the existing course outlines 'Environmental Issues' will be replaced by a module on intoxicants. The book would contain the following essays/articles/poems.

Human Rights

Grim Realities, hopeful Hues	-	V.R Krishna Iyer
Poverty is the Greatest Threat	-	N.R Madhava Menon
The little Black Boy	-	William Blake

Globalization

Going Local; the Economics of Happiness	-	Helene Norberg-Hodge
Towards Sustainable and Beneficial co-existence	-	Christabel P.J
Freedom	-	Balachandran Chullikkad

Gender

Violence Against Women	-	Gail Omvedt
The Goddess of Revenge	-	Lalithambika Antharjanam
Nani	-	Kamala Das

### Intoxicants/ Drug Abuse

The Ban of Alcoholism	-	Dr Adithi.N
The substance Use Disorders in Children- and Adolescents		Dr Ajeesh PR
The alcoholic at the Dawn	-	Jeet Thayil

The text **book** is titled 'Perspectives on Contemporary Issues' and the publisher is 'Emerald' Chennai.

4. Change in the core textbook for Language Course 8 of BA/BSc [EN 1411.1] and career-related 2(a)[EN 1411.3, Language course 6] and BCom Language Course 6 [EN 1411.2] from the fourth semester beginning in December 2016 (2015 admissions).

The book would contain the following essays/articles/poems.

### **Module 1 Poetry.**

1. Shakespeare	:	All the World's a stage
2. William Wordsworth	:	Leechgatheres or Resolution and Independence
3. John Keats	:	La Belle Dame Sans Merei
4. Matthew Arnold	:	Doves Beach
5. Tennyson	:	Ulysses
6. WB Yeats	:	A Prayer for my Daughter
7. Wilfred Owen	:	Insensibility
8. Seamus Heaney	:	A Constable Calls
9. Sarojini Naidu	:	A Challenge to Fate
10. Kamala Das	:	An Introduction
11. Robert Frost	:	Mending Wall
12. Sachitanandan	:	Stammer

### **Module II**

1) EM Forster	-	Tolerance
2) J.B Pristley	-	On doing Nothing
3) Albert Einstein	-	Religion and Science
4) Jawaharlal Nehru	-	Independence and After
5) Nelson Mandela	-	An ideal for which I am Prepared to Die

NB:- Module I & II will be published by the Department of Publications, University of Kerala.

### **Module III**

For this module, it is recommended as core Reading: 'A Bouquet of Stories'; Edited by Kishore Ram

#### **Stories Prescribed:-**

Doctor's word	-	R.K Narayanan
Yellow is the colour of Longing	-	K.R Meera
Open Windows	-	Saki
The Bet	-	Somerset Manghum
Sherlock	-	M.T Vasudevan Nair.

For BCom Language course 6 [EN 1411.2] , it is recommended that they need to study

**Module I**

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| 1. All the world is a stage  | - | Shakespeare  |
| 2. LA Belle Dame Sans Merein | - | John Keats   |
| 3. Ulysses                   | - | Tennyson     |
| 4. Insensibility             | - | Wilfred Owen |
| 5. An Introduction           | - | Kamala Das   |
| 6. Mendoncy Wall             | - | Robert Frost |

**Module II**

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|---------------------|---|------------------------|
| 1. EM Forster       | - | Tolerance              |
| 2. Albert Einstein  | - | Religion & Science     |
| 3. Jawaharlal Nehru | - | Independence and After |

and all the Short Stories in the collection of short stories entitled 'Bouquet of stories' by Kishore Ram.

The Vice Chancellor, subject to reporting to the Academic Council has approved the above revisions recommended by the Board of Studies in English (Pass) and as endorsed by the Dean, Faculty of Arts.

Orders are issued accordingly.

Sd/-  
SHOBANA KUMARI K  
Deputy Registrar (Acad II)  
for Registrar

Copt to-

- 1) The Principals of all colleges offering First Degree Programmes under CBCS system.
- 2) The Dean, Faculty of Arts.
- 3) The Chairman, Board of Studies in English (pass)
- 4) The Controller of Examination.
- 5) The Director, Computer centre.
- 6) JR(CBCS)
- 7) DR(CBCS)/ES
- 8) AR(EB/ES)
- 9) EB/ES sections
- 10) Tabulation Sections
- 11) PRO/RO/Enquiry
- 12) Stock file/File Copy

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UNIVERSITY OF KERALA

(Abstract)

Scheme & Syllabus of First Degree Programme in English Language & Literature under CBCS system (BA English) implemented with effect from 2015 admissions-corrections in the prescribed text book for 4<sup>th</sup> semester—orders issued

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ACADEMIC 'AV' SECTION

No.Ac.AV/2/Eng/2019

Thiruvananthapuram, Dated: 27/04/2019

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Read (1):- UO.No.Ac.AV/2/Eng/2015 dated: 07/07/2015

(2):- Minutes of the additional meeting of Board of Studies in English (Pass) held on 26/03/2019 endorsed by the Dean, Faculty of Arts.

ORDER

The Scheme & Syllabus of First Degree Programme in English Language & Literature under CBCS system had been revised with effect from 2015 admissions vide paper read as (1) above

The additional meeting of Board of Studies in English (Pass) vide paper read as (2) recommended to effect certain corrections in the 3rd Edition of "Reflections", the prescribed textbook for the Core Course 'Reading Prose' (EN 1441) of Fourth Semester First Degree Programme in English Language and Literature under CBCS system (2017 admissions).

The teachers and the students in all colleges under University of Kerala, where First Degree Programme in English Language and Literature is taught, have to follow the Second Edition of "Reflections", the prescribed textbook for the Core Course 'Reading Prose' (EN 1441) of Fourth Semester, which contains TEN ESSAYS and includes two essays 'The Diary of a Young Girl' by Anne Frank and 'Nobel Banquet Speech' by Albert Camus. The essay 'Walking Tours' by Robert Louis Stevenson may be retained as Extra Reading and questions should be OMITTED from 'Walking Tours'

Orders are issued accordingly.

S/d

**SOBHANA KUMARI M**  
Deputy Registrar (Acad II)  
for Registrar

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- 1) The Principals of all colleges offering First Degree Programmes under CBCS system.
- 2) The Dean, Faculty of Arts.
- 3) The Chairman, Board of Studies in English (pass)
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**(Abstract)**

First Degree Programme in English Language and Literature - revised scheme and syllabus- w.e.f  
2020 admissions- Approved- Orders issued.

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Dated: 12.11.2020

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*Read:-*1.U.O.No.ACAV/2/Eng/2015 dated 07.07.2015

2.Item.No.1 of the Minutes of the meeting of the Faculty of Arts held on 12.10.2020

3.Item.No.(II).I of the Minutes of the meeting of the Academic Council held on  
15.10.2020

**ORDER**

The scheme and syllabus of Language courses in English (BA/B.Sc/B.Com/Career-related 2(a) & 2(b) ), First Degree Programme in English Language and Literature and Career-related First Degree Programme in English and Communicative English under CBCS system 2(a) had been revised vide paper read as (1) above.

The additional meeting of the Board of Studies in English (pass) held on 08.10.2020 recommended the revised scheme and syllabus of First Degree Programme in English Language and Literature under CBCS system, to be implemented w.e.f 2020 admissions and the same has been endorsed by the Faculty of Arts vide paper read as (2) above.

The Academic Council vide paper read as (3) above, resolved to approve the revised scheme and syllabus of First Degree Programme in English Language & Literature to be implemented w.e.f 2020 admissions, as recommended by the Board of Studies in English (pass) and as endorsed by the Faculty of Arts.

The scheme and syllabus is available in the University Website.

Orders are issued accordingly.

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DEPUTY REGISTRAR  
For REGISTRAR

To

- 1.PS to VC/PVC
- 2.PA to Registrar/CE
- 3.The Director,KUCC
- 4.The Principals of colleges offering First Degree Programmes

- 5.The Dean, Faculty of Arts
- 6.The Chairman, Board of Studies in English (pass)
- 7.JR (CBCS/Academic)
- 8.DR (CBCS/EB/ES)
- 9.AR(CBCS/EB/ES/BA/B.Sc/B.Com)
- 10.AR (IT cell) Exams
- 11.All Tabulation sections(CBCS)
- 12.PRO/RO/Enquiry
- 13.Stock file/File copy

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**UNIVERSITY OF KERALA**

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First Degree Programmes under CBCS system – Regulations-Modified – Approved – Orders issued.

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**ACADEMIC ‘A V’ SECTION**

No. Ac. A V/1/UG.Sem/2010

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 28.09.2013

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- Read:-
1. U.O. No. Acad.(CBCS)/1/UG Regu/2011 dated 08.07.2011.
  2. Minutes of the meetings of the sub-committee of the Syndicate to study the report of Prof. S. Hridaya Kumari Committee on CBCS system held on 31.08.2013, 03.09.2013, 04.09.2013 and 05.09.2013.
  3. Item No. 23.132, Minutes of the meeting of the Syndicate held on 12.09.2013.

**ORDER**

The Syndicate vide paper read as (3) above has approved the modified Regulations relating to the First Degree Programmes under CBCS system to be followed in the affiliated colleges and Centres of the University from 2013 admissions, as recommended vide paper read as (2) above, by the sub-committee of the Syndicate to study the report of Prof. S. Hridaya Kumari Committee on CBCS system.

The Vice-Chancellor, subject to reporting to the Academic Council, has approved the modified Regulations relating to First Degree Programmes under CBCS system to be followed by the Affiliated Colleges and Centres of the University from 2013 admissions as recommended by the sub-committee of the Syndicate to study the report of Prof. S. Hridaya Kumari Committee and as approved by the Syndicate. A copy of the Regulations is appended.

Orders are issued accordingly.

Sd/-  
**REGISTRAR**

To

1. The Principals of all affiliated Colleges and Centres of the University
2. All Syndicate Members and members of ULMC
3. The Deans of Faculties, concerned
4. The Chairmen of Boards of Studies , concerned
5. The PS to VC / PVC
6. The PA to Registrar / CE / FO / DCDC
7. The Controller of Examinations
8. The Director, Computer Centre
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10. JR (Exams / CBCS)
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13. EB / ES / EB (CBCS) sections
14. All tabulation section
15. Ac. A I/Ac. A II / Ac. A III / Ac. A IV / Ac. C/Ac. L/ Ac. D/ Ac. E III/ Ad. Misc/Ac. B/ Ac. B1/Ac. H sections
16. All KUTIC / DOIC
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