

**TKM COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE, KOLLAM**  
**DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH**  
**STORYBOARD: A COURSE IN CREATIVE WRITING**  
**SYLLABUS**

**MODULE 1**

Types of Creative Writing-poetry, fiction, non-fiction, essays, drama, short story, flash fiction, rap, comic strip, feature journalism, novella, script writing, column writing, songs/lyrics, collaboration, blog, twitter stories, speeches- Memoir-genre fiction-features and examples-tasks

Vocabulary building, Elementary Grammar part 1, idioms and expressions-Story Writing-Part1-Plot-Beginnings and endings of narratives-the hero in a novel-features and sample passages-tasks

**MODULE 2**

Poetry-figurative language-figures of speech with examples, types of poetry with examples- Imagery-Sensory Details-Point of View-Rhyme-Repetition-

The sense of colour in writing-adjectives describing colours- colour symbolism-sample passages from different genres-tasks-Sense of smell in writing-adjectives that describe scents- sample passages- tasks

Vocabulary building-word choice-descriptive words-telephone expressions-elementary grammar part 2

**Module 3**

Fiction-different types-features-characterization-narrative strategies-setting-plot-dialogues-point of view-voice-Memoir-reflective writing-autobiography-biography

Sense of taste in writing-adjectives for taste-sample passages-tasks-Sense of sight in writing-features-visual imagery-descriptive adjectives-sample passages

Vocabulary building-elementary grammar part 3

**Module 4**

Drama-features-setting-plot-character-dialogue-sample passages-descriptive writing-persuasive writing-humour in creative writing-news story-blog-Sense of touch in writing-descriptive adjectives-examples-

Sense of hearing in writing-auditory image-descriptive adjectives-sample passages-column writing-examples-tasks