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**B.Sc. Part-II (ENGLISH)**  
**SEMESTER-III**  
**(For Sessions 2024-25, 2025-26, 2026-27)**

Time Allowed: 3 Hours.  
Teaching Hours: Theory: 3 hours, Tutorial: 2 hours

Written Examination: 70 Marks  
Internal Assessment: 30 Marks  
Pass Marks: 35%  
Credits: 04

**COURSE CONTENT**

The course content of this paper shall comprise of the following books:

1. *Perspectives: Selections from Modern English Prose and Fiction*, edited by S.A. Vasudevan and M. Sathya Babu, Published by Orient Longman.
2. *Composition and Writing Skills*, Published by Orient Black Swan, 2016.

The following Chapters are to be studied:

Basic Vocabulary (List C), Summary Writing, Letter Writing and E-mails.

**TESTING**

The paper shall have two sections. Section-A shall comprise testing from *Perspectives* while Section-B from *Composition and Writing Skills*.

**SECTION - A: PERSPECTIVES**

Q.1 (Based on the section titled "Prose", comprising chapters I to VI)

- (a) One essay-type question with internal alternative. The answer should not exceed 300-350 words. 8 Marks

- (b) Four short-answer questions to be attempted out of six. Each answer should be written in 20 to 30 words.

4x1=4 Marks

Q.2 (Based on the section titled "Fiction", comprising chapter VII to IX)

- (a) One essay-type question with internal alternative on character/theme and incident/episode. The answer should not exceed 200-250 words. 8 Marks

- (b) There will be one question from each of the three stories. The candidate shall be required to attempt any two out of three. Each answer should be written in 40 to 50 words. 2x2.5=5 Marks

Q.3 (Based on the section titled "Biographies", comprising chapter X to XII)

- (a) One essay-type question with internal alternative. The answer should not exceed 200-250 words. 8 Marks


  
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- (b) There will be one short-answer question from each chapter. The candidate shall be required to attempt any two. Each answer should be written in 40 to 50 words.

2x2.5=5 Marks

**SECTION B:- COMPOSITION AND WRITING SKILLS**

- Q.4 (a) The candidate shall be asked to write a letter (with internal choice between personal and official letters). 10 Marks
- (b) The candidate shall make ten sentences from the given twelve words (from List C of *Composition and Writing Skills*). Make a separate sentence for each word. Each sentence carries 1 mark. 10x1=10 Marks
- (c) The candidate shall be asked to write a summary of a given passage in one third of the total number of words in the passage. 06 Marks
- (d) The students shall be asked to write an e-mail (on the basis of given details with internal choice). 06 Marks

  
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**COURSE CONTENT**

1. *Six One Act Plays*, edited by Maurice. Stanford, Published by Orient Longman.
2. *Composition and Writing Skills*, Published by Orient Black Swan, 2016.

The following chapters are to be studied:

Essay Writing, Job Application Letters and Curricula Vitae, Report Writing.

Effective Writing.

**TESTING**

The paper shall have two sections. Section-A shall comprise testing from *Six One Act Plays* while Section-B and Section -C from *Composition and Writing Skills*.

**SECTION-A: SIX ONE-ACT PLAYS**


- Q. 1 (a) One essay type question on character, incident/episode or theme with internal alternative. The answer should be in about 350-400 words. 12 Marks
- Q.2 Four short-answer questions to be attempted out of six. Each answer should be written in 50 to 60 words. 4x3=12 Marks

**SECTION - B: COMPOSITION AND WRITING SKILLS**

- Q. 3 An essay of 350 words on a topical or relevant subject (one topic shall be attempted out of five given topics). 12 Marks
- Q. 4 The candidate shall be asked to write a job application letter (on the basis of given details with internal choice). 12 Marks

**Section -C: COMPOSITION AND WRITING SKILLS**

- Q. 5 The candidate shall be asked to write a report (on the basis of given details with internal choice). 08 Marks
- Q. 6 The candidate shall be asked to prepare a C.V. (on the basis of given details with internal choice). 08 Marks
- Q. 6 The candidate shall be asked to correct a given passage of six lines on clarity, structure of argument and use of proper grammar and punctuation. 06 Marks

  
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