

**VEER NARMAD SOUTH GUJARAT UNIVERSITY****SURAT****SYLLABUS OF ENGLISH FOR  
THE SEMESTERS III & IV ( CORES I, II, III, IV, V, & VI )  
FOR THE ACADEMIC YEARS 2012-'13, 2013-'14, 2014-'15****FACULTY OF ARTS****SEMESTER III****ENGLISH ( Core-I ) Poetry & Drama**TEXT-I (Poetry)      Rime of the Ancient Mariner - Samuel T. ColeridgeTEXT-II (Drama)      The Merchant of Venice (Unabridged) - William Shakespeare**DISTRIBUTION OF MARKS FOR THE UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION**

UNIT-I	One Essay type question from Text-I ( 1 out of 2 )	17 Marks
UNIT-II	Two short notes from Text-I ( 2 out of 4 )	18 Marks
UNIT-III	One Essay type question from Text-II ( 1 out of 2 )	17 Marks
UNIT-IV	Two short notes from Text-II ( 2 out of 4 )	18 Marks
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<b>TOTAL:</b>		<b>70 Marks</b>

**ENGLISH ( Core-II) Language of Literature, History of English Language, and  
Translation**

TEXT-I The Language of Literature ( A Workbook) Prepared by G.K. Nanda & S.V. Shukla

TEXT-II The English Language C.L. Wrenn

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UNIT-I Language of Literature (Theory) Text-I

Figures of Speech, Cohesion.

5 short type questions ( 5 out of 8 ) - define with examples 15 Marks

UNIT-II Language of Literature - (Practice) Text-I

a) Figures of Speech (Identify with justification) 10 Marks

b) Cohesion (Identification of Cohesive devices) 10 Marks

UNIT-III History of the English Language

Text-II

Topics Prescribed:

- Ch.I (2) General Character of English  
(3) The Indo-European Family of Languages  
(4) The Germanic Family  
(5) English in the Germanic Family  
(6) Landmarks in the History of English

- Ch.II (2) The Influences of Latin  
(3) Greek Influence  
(4) French Influence on the Vocabulary

One Essay type question (Text-II) (1 out of 2) 10 Marks

Two Short Notes (Text-II) ( 2 out of 4) 10 Marks

UNIT-IV Translation of Ten sentences from Gujarati/Hindi into English,  
based on different structures ( 10 out of 12 ) 15 Marks

**TOTAL: 70 Marks**

**ENGLISH (Core-III)** Introduction to English Literature and Forms of LiteratureText Prescribed: English Literature: An Introduction for Foreign Readers - R. J. Rees

Chapters Prescribed:

- 1) Why We Study Literature
- 2) Ballad, Epic, and Narrative Poetry
- 3) Lyrical and Reflective Poetry
- 4) Satire

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UNIT-I	1) One Essay type question ( 1 out of 2 )	18 Marks
	2) One Essay type question ( 1 out of 2 )	18 Marks
	3) Short questions ( 4 out of 6 )	16 Marks
	4) Two short Notes (2 out of 4)	18 Marks
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	TOTAL:	70 Marks

## SEMESTER-IV

### ENGLISH Core- IV - 16th and 19th Century English Literature - Novel and Prose

Texts Prescribed:

Text-I Far From the Madding Crowd - Thomas Hardy (Unabridged)

Text-II English Essayists (Macmillan)

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UNIT-I	Essay type question based on Text-I ( 1 out of 2 )	17 Marks
UNIT-II	Two short notes based on Text-I ( 2 out of 4 )	18 Marks
UNIT-III	Essay type question based on Text-II ( 1 out of 2 )	17 Marks
UNIT-IV	Two short notes based on Text-II ( 2 out of 4 )	18 Marks =====

TOTAL: 70 Marks

### ENGLISH Core - V Language of Literature, History of English Language, and Translation

Text-I The Language of Literature ( A Workbook) - Prepared by G.K. Nanda & S.V. Shukla

Topics: Coherence, Discourse, Participants of Discourse, point of View

Text-II The English Language C.L. Wrenn

Chapters prescribed:

Ch. III

- 2) History of Spelling and Pronunciation
- 3) 'Standardizing' of Spelling and Pronunciation
- 4) The Development of Dictionaries

Ch.IV

- 3) The Englishing of Foreign Words
- 4) Word-building

7) Homophones and Homonyms

8) Archaism

Ch. V

1) The Ordering of Words and Syntax

3) Intonation

#### DISTRIBUTION OF MARKS FOR THE UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION

UNIT-I	Questions based on Theory from Text-I (Workbook) on topics enlisted above ( 3 out of 5 )	15 Marks
UNIT-II	Discourse and Point of View analysis of one passage (Prose Passage only) ( 1 out of 2 )	20 Marks
UNIT-III	(A) Long Question based on Text-II ( 1 out of 2 )	10 Marks
	(B) Short Notes based on Text-II ( 2 out of 4 )	10 Marks
UNIT-IV	Translation of TEN sentences from Gujarati/Hindi into English based on different structures	15 Marks
TOTAL:		70 Marks

#### **ENGLISH Core - VI** Introduction to English Literature and Forms of Literature

Text Prescribed: An Introduction of English Literature for Foreign

Students - R.J. Rees

Chapters to be studied: Tragedy, Comedy, Novel

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UNIT-I	Long essay type question ( 1 out of 2 )	18 Marks
	Long essay type question ( 1 out of 2 )	18 Marks
	Short type questions ( 4 out of 6 )	16 Marks
	Two Short Notes ( 2 out of 4 )	18 Marks
TOTAL:		70 Marks