

## **SYLLABUS**

**Subject: ENGLISH**

**Note:**

**There are two Papers for each of the subjects. Paper – I on Teaching and Research aptitude, Paper – II based on the syllabus of concerned subjects. Details are furnished below:**

### **PAPER – I**

**Subject : General Paper on Teaching & Research Aptitude**

The Test is intended to assess the teaching/research aptitude of the candidate. They are supposed to possess and exhibit cognitive abilities like comprehension, analysis, evaluation, understanding the structure of arguments, evaluating and distinguishing deductive and inductive reasoning, weighing the evidence with special reference to analogical arguments and inductive generalization, evaluating, classification and definition, avoiding logical inconsistency rising out of failure to see logical relevance due to ambiguity and vagueness in language. The candidates are also supposed to have a general acquaintance with the nature of a concept, meaning and criteria of truth, and the source of knowledge. There will be 50 questions for Paper – I.

1. The Test will be conducted in objective mode. The Test will consist of two Papers. All the two Papers will consist of only objective type questions and will be held on the day of Test in two separate sessions as under :

| <b>Session</b> | <b>Paper</b> | <b>Number of Questions</b> | <b>Marks</b>         | <b>Duration</b> |
|----------------|--------------|----------------------------|----------------------|-----------------|
| First          | I            | 50 question                | $50 \times 2 = 100$  | 1 Hours         |
| Second         | II           | 100 questions              | $100 \times 2 = 200$ | 2 Hours         |

2. Candidates who appear in two Papers and secure at least 40% aggregate marks for candidates belonging to General Category and at least 35% aggregate marks for candidates belonging to reserved categories will be declared qualifies for Eligibility for Assistant Professor by following the reservation policy of the State Government.
3. The Syllabus of Paper – II and Paper – III will be combined for Paper – II of each subject.

## **ENGLISH**

### **PAPER - II**

1. Chaucer to Shakespeare
2. Jacobean to Restoration Periods
3. Augustan age : 18th century Literature
4. Romantic Period
5. Victorian Period
6. Modern Period
7. Contemporary Period
8. American and other non-British Literatures
9. Literary Theory and Criticism
10. Rhetoric and Prosody

### **PAPER -III (A)**

#### **(CORE GROUP)**

1. British Literature from Chaucer to the present day
2. Criticism and Literary Theory

**Unit I** : Literary Comprehension (with internal choice of poetry stanza and prose passage, five comprehension questions will be asked 5 marks each)

**Unit II** : Up to the Renaissance

**Unit III** : Jacobean to restoration periods

**Unit IV** : Augustan Age: 18th Century Literature

**Unit V** : Romantic Period

- Unit VI** : Victorian and Pre-Raphaelites
- Unit VII** : Modern British Literature
- Unit VIII** : Contemporary British Literature
- Unit IX** : Literary Theory and Criticism up to T. S. Eliot
- Unit X** : Contemporary Theory

**PAPER - III (B)**

**(ELECTIVE/OPTIONAL)**

- Elective I** : History of English Language, English Language Teaching
  - Elective II** : European Literature from Classical Age to the 20th Century
  - Elective III** : Indian writing in English and Indian Literature in English translation
  - Elective IV** : American and other non-British English Literatures
  - Elective V** : Literary Theory and Criticism
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