# R.T.M.NAGPUR UNIVERSITY, NAGPUR

# Syllabus for <u>Bachelor of Science Part I</u> COMPULSORY ENGLISH

(To be implemented from the session 2013-2014 and onwards)

# **Semester I**

Theory: (Full marks 60) Internal Assessment: (15 marks)

**Prescribed Textbook**: Life and Language by Board of Editors

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### **Unit I - Prose Lessons**

- 1. The House
- 2. The Boy Who Broke The Bank
- 3. Parveen
- 4. The Selfish Giant

#### **Unit II - Poems**

- 1. Eyes Immortal
- 2. Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard
- 3. Ulysses
- 4. Ecology

#### **Unit III - Grammar**

- 1. Tenses
- 2. Voice
- 3. Prepositions

## Unit IV - Composition, Comprehension & Vocabulary

- 1. Letter Writing
- 2. Comprehension
- 3. Synonyms and Antonyms

### Recommended books for Unit III & IV:

- 1. Macmillan Foundation English (Macmillan) by R.K.Dwivedi & A.Kumar
- 2. Learners' English Grammar and Composition (S.Chand) by N.D.V.Prasada Rao
- 3. Grammar and Composition For Communication by Sagarmal Gupta and Alpana Gupta (Orient BlackSwan)

| Distribution of Marks   |   |                  |                   |                  |                  |  |  |  |  |
|---|---|------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Unit I (Prose)  |   | LAQ<br>06        | SAQ<br>06 (03+03) | VSAQ<br>03       | Total<br>15      |  |  |  |  |
| Unit II (Poems)   |   | 06               | 06 (03+03)        | 03               | 15               |  |  |  |  |
| Unit III (Grammar)  |   |                  |                   | 15               | 15               |  |  |  |  |
| Unit IV (Composition, Comprehension Pattern of the Question paper |   |                  | ry)               | 03               | 15               |  |  |  |  |
| Q.1.  | (A) One out of Two LAQs to be answered in about 150 words from Unit I.  |                  |                   |                  |                  |  |  |  |  |
| (   | (B) One out of Two LAQs to  | be answered i    | n about 150 wo    | ords from Unit l | II. 06           |  |  |  |  |
| Q. 2.   | (A) Two SAQs with internal choice to be answered in about 75 words each from Unit I. $03+03=06$                         |                  |                   |                  |                  |  |  |  |  |
| (   | (B) Two SAQs with internal choice to be answered in about 75 words each from Unit $03+03=06$                            |                  |                   |                  |                  |  |  |  |  |
| Q.3.  | (A) 6 VSAQs from any one of the prescribed grammar items in Unit III (carrying 01 mark each) 6 x 1 =                    |                  |                   |                  |                  |  |  |  |  |
| (   | (B) 6 VSAQs from any one of the remaining prescribed grammar items in Unit III (carrying 01 mark each) $6 \times 1 = 6$ |                  |                   |                  |                  |  |  |  |  |
| Q.4.  | (A) Letter writing on any one   | e of the given t | opics             |                  | 6                |  |  |  |  |
| (   | (B) Comprehension of an Ur  | nseen Passage    |                   |                  | 6 x1 = 6         |  |  |  |  |
| Q. 5.   | (A) Three VSAQs from Unit   | t I              |                   |                  | $3 \times 1 = 3$ |  |  |  |  |
| (   | (B) Three VSAQs from Unit   | : II             |                   |                  | $3 \times 1 = 3$ |  |  |  |  |

**Internal Assessment**: The teacher should give regular assignments to students on the basis of the items prescribed in Units I, II, III & IV. These assignments should be submitted by the students for evaluation. This record of assignments should be produced by the students at the time of the Internal Assessment conducted towards the end of the Semester.

(D) Three VSAQs from Unit IV (On Synonyms and Antonyms)

Unit III.

(C) Three questions carrying 1 mark each on the remaining prescribed grammar items in

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## **COMPULSORY ENGLISH**

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# <u>Semester – II</u>

Theory : (Full Marks 60)

Internal Assessment: (15 marks)

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### **Unit I - Prose Lessons**

- 1. Maintaining Democracy
- 2. The Verger
- 3. Two Gentlemen of Verona
- 4. Freedom at Midnight

### **Unit II - Poems**

- 1. Where the Mind is without Fear
- 2. My Last Duchess
- 3. Up Hill
- 4. The Village Schoolmaster

## **Unit III - Grammar**

- 1. Subject-Verb Agreement
- 2. Transformation of Sentences (Interchange of Degrees of Comparison, Affirmative and Negative Sentences, Interrogative and Assertive Sentences, Exclamatory and Assertive Sentences)
- 3. Exercises on Common Errors

## **Unit IV – Comprehension & Composition**

- 1. Comprehension
- 2. Curriculum Vitae
- 3. Make sentences of your own from the words given. (Words shall be from the prescribed lessons.)

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|---------------------------------------|-----------|-------------------|------------|-------------|
| Unit II (Poems)                       | 06        | 06 (03+03)        | 03         | 15          |
| Unit III (Grammar)                    |           |                   | 15         | 15          |
| Unit IV (Comprehension & Composition) | 06+06     |                   | 03         | 15          |

# Pattern of the Question paper

- Q.1. (A) One out of Two LAQs to be answered in about 150 words from Unit I.(B) One out of Two LAQs to be answered in about 150 words from Unit II.06
- Q. 2. (A) Two SAQs with internal choice to be answered in about 75 words each from Unit I. 03+03=06
  - (B) Two SAQs with internal choice to be answered in about 75 words each from Unit II. 03+03=06
- Q.3. (A) 6 VSAQs from any one of the prescribed grammar items in Unit III (carrying 01 mark each)
   6 x 1 = 6
   (B) 6 VSAQs from any one of the remaining prescribed grammar items in Unit III
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- Q.4. (A) Comprehension  $6 \times 1 = 6$  (B) Curriculum Vitae  $1 \times 6 = 6$
- Q. 5. (A) Three VSAQs from Unit I  $3 \times 1 = 3$ 
  - (B) Three VSAQs from Unit II  $3 \times 1 = 3$

- (C) Three questions carrying 1 mark each on the remaining prescribed grammar items in Unit III.  $3 \times 1 = 3$
- (D) Three VSAQs from Unit IV (Make sentences)

 $3 \times 1 = 3$ 

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