

**HAJEE KARUTHA ROWTHER HOWDIA COLLEGE**  
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Uthamapalayam – 625533 2014-2015



**DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH**  
**Syllabus – Part II English**  
**(Academic Year 2014–2015 Onwards)**

## PART II - ENGLISH

| Semester | Programmes                   |   |
|----------|------------------------------|---|
| I,II     | Common for ALL UG Programmes |   |
| III, IV  | B.A                          | English<br>Economics<br>History   |
|          | B.Sc.                        | Mathematics<br>Physics<br>Chemistry<br>Zoology<br>Computer Science<br>Bio- Chemistry<br>Micro-Biology<br>Information Technology |

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|                     |             |                                 |             |              |                 | 6            | <b>I.E.</b>  | <b>T.E.E.</b> | <b>Total</b>   |
| 2014-15             | I           | II                              | II          | I            | Language – II   |              | 25           | 75            | 100            |
| <b>Subject Code</b> |             | <b>Title of the Subject</b>     |             |              |                 |              |              |               | <b>Credits</b> |
| 14UENL11            |             | <b>Communicative English- I</b> |             |              |                 |              |              |               | 3              |

### **UNIT-I-Prose**

Rajaji –Education for New India

Maugham –The Verger

Jacob Bronowski- The Values of Science

A.J.Cronin –The Best Investment I Ever Made.

### **UNIT-II-Poetry**

Tagore -Where the Mind is Without Fear

A.D.Hope- Prometheus Unbound

A.K.Ramanujan- A River

Walt Whitman- O Captain! My Captain

### **UNIT-III-Short Stories**

Jim Corbett-Lalajee

O’Henry – A Retrieved Reformation

Flora Anne Steele – The Valiant Vicky

Tagore- The Man From Kabul

### **UNIT-IV- Grammar**

Noun, Kinds of Nouns, Gender, Possessives into Plural

Pronoun, Relative Pronoun

Articles

Prepositions

Verbs, Non-Finite Verbs, Infinitive, Gerund and Participle

Voice

Tenses

### **UNIT-V- Composition**

Writing Letters

Note-Making

Precis -Writing

#### **Text:**

G. Radhakrishna Pillai: English Grammar and Composition: Emerald Publishers, Chennai.

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| 14UENL21            |             | <b>Communicative English -II</b> |             |              |                 |              |              |               | 3              |

### UNIT-I - PROSE

Stephen Leacock  
Doris Lessing  
Ellis Peters  
Sir C. V. Raman

With the Photographer  
No Witchcraft for Sale  
A Grain of Mustard Seed  
Water- The Elixir of Life

### UNIT-II- POETRY

Shelley  
Thomas Gray  
Tennyson  
R. Parthasarathy

Ode to the West Wind  
Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard  
The Lotus - Eaters  
River Once

### UNIT-III- SHORT STORIES

A. J. Cronin  
Edgar Allan Poe  
H.G.Wells  
Anton Checkov

Two Gentle men of Verona  
The Tell-Tale Heart  
The Truth About Pyecraft  
The Bet

### UNIT-IV - GRAMMAR

Affixes, Reported speech, Sentence Patterns, Conjunctions, Interjections, Adverbs,  
Adjectives, Phrases and Clauses, Synonyms&Antonyms.

### UNIT-V- COMPOSITION

Developing the Hints  
Dialogue Writing  
Expansion of Proverbs

#### **Texts:**

Prose, Poetry and Short Stories-Text to be compiled by the department.

G. Radhakrishna pillai : *English Grammar and Composition*: Emerald publishers, Chennai.

**Active English Grammar and Usage.** Macmillan India limited

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| 2014-15             | II          | III                               | II          | III          | Language – II   |              | 25           | 75            | 100            |
| <b>Subject Code</b> |             | <b>Title of the Subject</b>       |             |              |                 |              |              |               | <b>Credits</b> |
| 14UENL31            |             | <b>Communicative English- III</b> |             |              |                 |              |              |               | 3              |

### **Unit – I - ONE ACTERS**

Anton Chekov - The Proposal  
Herman Ould - The Discovery  
Maurice Maeterlinck - A Miracle of Saint Antony  
Eugene O'Neill - Before Breakfast

### **Unit – II- FICTION**

R.K. Narayan - Swami and Friends

### **Unit-III- GRAMMAR**

Simple, Compound, Complex, Affirmative, Negative, Interrogative, Imperative, Assertive & Imperative Sentences.

### **Unit – IV- Grammar**

Degrees of Comparison, Idioms and Phrases, Homonyms, Homophones, Modals & Tag Questions

### **Unit – V Composition**

Paragraph Writing  
Report Writing  
Responding Situation

### **Texts:**

One Act Plays – Text to be compiled by the department.

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| 14UENL41            |             | <b>Communicative English- IV</b> |             |              |                 |              |              |               | 3              |

### **Unit - I**

Shakespeare - As You Like It

### **Unit – II**

Grammar/Language Study

Common Errors in English

Framing Sentences (Using Words or Phrases)

Minutes Writing

### **Unit – III**

Interview Skills

Group Discussion

Developing Listening, Speaking, Reading, Writing Skills

### **Unit – IV**

Writing Soft news

Writing Memorandum

Drafting Advertisements

### **Unit – V Composition**

Resume Writing

Essay Writing

Drafting Notice, Circular, Agenda

### **Texts:**

G.Radhakrishna Pillai: **English Grammar and Composition**, Emerald Publishers, Chennai.

Niranjana Gupta, **English for ALL**, Macmillan Publishers.

Anuradha Ajit, **Soft Skills for Aspiring Leaders**, Emerald Publishers, Chennai.

Nigel D Turton, **ABC of Common Grammatical Errors in English**.