### Department of English Semester-IV

BA (Hons.) English

#### DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSE 10 - (DSC-10) -: AMERICAN LITERATURE

No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials -15 hrs.)

#### CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course		Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility	Pre-requisite
title	&		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
Code					Practice		(if any)
DSC	10:	4	3	1	0	Passed	NIL
Americ	can					Class XII	
Literature						with	
						English	

#### **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To offer students a foundational understanding of the literature of the United States with specific reference to the way it chronicles patterns of oppression and freedom in the lives of its peoples.
- To open up a range of possibilities in the way in which literature shapes and chronicles new frontiers and cultural groups.

#### **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students will be able to trace the powerful role played by literature in shaping the emergent United States.
- Students will be enlightened on how literature chronicles and shapes both different kinds of enslavement and possibilities of liberation.

#### **SYLLABUS OF DSC-10**

#### **UNIT - I (15 hours)**

1. Toni Morrison: Beloved

#### UNIT – II (15 hours)

2. Kate Chopin: The Awakening

3. Herman Melville: 'Bartleby the scrivener'

#### UNIT – III (15 hours)

- 4. Walt Whitman: (i) 'O Captain, My Captain' (ii) 'Passage to India' (lines 1–68)
- 5. Alexie Sherman Alexie: (i) 'Crow Testament' (ii) 'Evolution'

#### Practical component (if any) - NIL

**Essential/recommended readings-** as listed in the units

- 1. Emerson, Ralph Waldo. 'Self-Reliance', *The Selected Writings of Ralph Waldo Emerson*. ed. Brooks Atkinson, New York: The Modern library, 1964.
- 2. Martin Luther King Jr, 'I have a dream', *African American Literature*. ed. Kieth Gilyard, Anissa Wardi, New York: Penguin, 2014. pp 1007-1011
- 3. Douglass, Frederick. Chaps. 1–7, *A Narrative of the life of Frederick Douglass*. Harmondsworth: Penguin, 1982. pp 47–87
- 4. Rich, Adrienne. 'When We Dead Awaken: Writing as Re-Vision', *College English*. Vol. 34, No. 1, Women, Writing and Teaching (Oct., 1972), pp. 18-30
- 5. Crevecouer, Hector St John. Letter III: 'What is an American', *Letters from an American Farmer*. Harmondsworth: Penguin, 1982. pp 66–105

#### DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSE 11- (DSC-11): Indian Writing in English

No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

#### CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course Cr		Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility	Pre-requisite
title	&		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
Code					Practice		(if any)
DSC	11:	4	3	1	0	Passed	NIL
Indian						Class XII	
Writing	in					with	
English						English	

#### **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To offer students a foundational understanding of the distinctively Indian qualities of literature in English, across a range of genres.
- To open up a sense of the Indian response to literary and political challenges in modern times.

#### **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students will be able to gain a basic sense of Indian writing in English as a viable means to understand the evolution of modern India.
- Students' imagination will be stimulated by an understanding of how Indian writing in English opens up the challenges and complexities of contemporary India.

#### **SYLLABUS OF DSC-11**

#### **UNIT - I (15 hours)**

1. Anita Desai: The Clear Light of the Day

#### UNIT - II (15 hours)

- 2. H.L.V. Derozio: (i) 'Freedom to the Slave' (ii) 'The Orphan Girl'
- 3. Kamala Das: (i) 'Introduction' (ii) 'My Grandmother's House'
- 4. Sarojini Naidu: (i) 'An Indian Love Song', (ii) 'In Salutation to the Eternal Peace'
- 5. Robin S. Ngangom: (i) 'The Strange Affair of Robin S. Ngangom' (ii) 'A Poem for Mother'

#### UNIT – III (15 hours)

- 6. Salman Rushdie: 'The Free Radio'
- 7. Shashi Deshpande: 'The Intrusion'
- 8. Padmanabhan, Manjula. 'Stains', *Hot Death, Cold Soup: Twelve Short Stories*. New Delhi: Kali for Women/Zubaan, 1996.

#### Practical component (if any) - NIL

Essential/recommended readings- as listed in the units

- 1. Rao, Raja. 'Foreword', Kanthapura. New Delhi: OUP, 1989. pp v-vi
- 2. Rushdie, Salman. 'Commonwealth Literature does not exist', *Imaginary Homelands*. London: Granta Books, 1991. pp 61–70
- 3. Mukherjee, Meenakshi. 'Divided by a Common Language', *The Perishable Empire*. New Delhi: OUP, 2000. pp 187–203
- 4. King, Bruce. 'Introduction', *Modern Indian Poetry in English*. New Delhi: OUP, 2<sup>nd</sup> edn., 2005. pp 1–10

# DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSE -12 (DSC-12): Indian Writing in English Translation

No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials -15 hrs.)

#### CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course	Credits	Credit di	stribution	of the course	Eligibility	Pre-requisite
title &		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
Code				Practice		(if any)
DSC 12:	4	3	1	0	Passed	NIL
Indian					Class XII	
Writing in					with	
English					English	
Translatio						
n						

#### **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To understand and celebrate the diversity of linguistic and regional influences on the shaping of modern India.
- To open up a sense of the sophistication and fluidity of Indian thought and literature even when it speaks through the medium of translation.

#### **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students will gain knowledge of the richness of modern Indian writing.
- Students will be encouraged to understand how contemporary India owes its diversity to a range of literatures, cultures and regions.

#### **SYLLABUS OF DSC-12**

#### **UNIT – I (15 hours)**

- 1. Premchand 'The Shroud', *Penguin Book of Classic Urdu Stories*. ed. M. Assaduddin, New Delhi: Penguin/Viking, 2006.
- 2. Chugtai, Ismat. 'The Quilt', Lifting the Veil: Selected Writings of Ismat Chugtai. tr. M. Assaduddin. New Delhi: Penguin Books, 2009.
- 3. Senapati, Fakir Mohan. 'Rebati', *Oriya Stories*. ed. Vidya Das, tr. Kishori Charan Das, Delhi: Srishti Publishers, 2000.

#### UNIT – II (15 hours)

- 4. Bharati, Dharamveer. Andha Yug. tr. Alok Bhalla, New Delhi: OUP, 2009.
- 5. Tagore, Rabindranath. 'Light, Oh Where is the Light?' & 'When My Play was with thee', *Gitanjali: A New Translation with an Introduction*. trans. William Radice, New Delhi: Penguin India, 2011.
- 6. Muktibodh, G.M. 'The Void' (tr. Vinay Dharwadker) & 'So Very Far', (tr. Tr. Vishnu Khare and Adil Jussawala), *The Oxford Anthology of Modern Indian Poetry*. ed. Vinay Dharwadker and A.K. Ramanujam, New Delhi: OUP, 2000.

#### UNIT – III (15 hours)

- 7. Pritam, Amrita. 'I say unto Waris Shah' (tr. N.S. Tasneem), *Modern Indian Literature: An Anthology, Plays and Prose, Surveys and Poems*. ed. K.M. George, vol. 3, Delhi: Sahitya Akademi, 1992.
- 8. Singh, Thangjam Ibopishak. 'Dali, Hussain, or Odour of Dream, Colour of Wind' & 'The Land of the Half-Humans', *The Anthology of Contemporary Poetry from the Northeast*. tr. Robin S. Ngangom, NEHU: Shillong, 2003.
- 9. Macwan, Joseph. *The Stepchild*. Trans. Rita Kothari, Oxford University Press, New Delhi, 2004.

#### Practical component (if any) - NIL

Essential/recommended readings- as listed in the units

- 1. Singh, Namwar. 'Decolonising the Indian Mind', *Indian Literature*, tr. Harish Trivedi, no. 151(Sept./Oct. 1992), 1992.
- 2. Ambedkar, B.R. Chaps. 4, 6, & 14, *Annihilation of Caste in Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar: Writings and Speeches*, vol. 1, Maharashtra: Education Department, Government of Maharashtra, 1979.
- 3. U.R. Ananthamurthy: 'Being a Writer in India'
- 4. Vinay Dharwadker: 'Some Contexts of Modern Indian Poetry'
- 5. Aparna Dharwadker, 'Modern Indian Theatre', *Routledge Handbook of Asian Theatre*. ed. Siyuan Liu, London: Routledge, 2016. pp 243-67

Note: Examination scheme and mode shall be as prescribed by the Examination Branch, University of Delhi, from time to time.

#### **Category II**

# (Discipline Specific Courses for Undergraduate Programme of study with ENGLISH(Major) as one of the Core Disciplines)

**DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSE -11 (DSC-11): Indian Writing in English** 

No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials -15 hrs.)

#### CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course C		Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility	Pre-requisite
title	&		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
Code					Practice		(if any)
DSC	11:	4	3	1	0	Passed	NIL
Indian						Class XII	
Writing	g in					with	
English						English	

#### **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To offer students a foundational understanding of the distinctively Indian qualities of literature in English, across a range of genres.
- To open up a sense of the Indian response to literary and political challenges in modern times.

#### **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

 By studying this course, students will be able to gain a basic sense of Indian writing in English as a viable means to understand the evolution of modern India.  Students' imagination will be stimulated by an understanding of how Indian writing in English opens up the challenges and complexities of contemporary India.

#### **SYLLABUS OF DSC-11**

#### UNIT - I (15 hours)

1. Anita Desai: The Clear Light of the Day

#### UNIT – II (15 hours)

- 2. H.L.V. Derozio: (i) 'Freedom to the Slave' (ii) 'The Orphan Girl'
- 3. Kamala Das: (i) 'Introduction' (ii) 'My Grandmother's House'
- 4. Sarojini Naidu: (i) 'An Indian Love Song', (ii) 'In Salutation to the Eternal Peace'
- 5. Robin S. Ngangom: (i) 'The Strange Affair of Robin S. Ngangom' (ii) 'A Poem for Mother'

#### UNIT – III (15 hours)

- 6. Salman Rushdie: 'The Free Radio'
- 7. Shashi Deshpande: 'The Intrusion'
- 8. Padmanabhan, Manjula. 'Stains', *Hot Death, Cold Soup: Twelve Short Stories*. New Delhi: Kali for Women/Zubaan, 1996.

#### Practical component (if any) - NIL

Essential/recommended readings- as listed in the units

- 1. Rao, Raja. 'Foreword', Kanthapura. New Delhi: OUP, 1989. pp v-vi
- 2. Rushdie, Salman. 'Commonwealth Literature does not exist', *Imaginary Homelands*. London: Granta Books, 1991. pp 61–70

- 3. Mukherjee, Meenakshi. 'Divided by a Common Language', *The Perishable Empire*. New Delhi: OUP, 2000. pp 187–203
- 4. King, Bruce. 'Introduction', *Modern Indian Poetry in English*. New Delhi: OUP, 2<sup>nd</sup> edn., 2005. pp 1–10

## DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSE 12- (DSC-12): Indian Writing in English Translation

No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials -15 hrs.)

#### CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course titl	le	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility	Pre-requisite
& Code			Lecture Tutorial		Practical/	criteria	of the course
					Practice		(if any)
	2:	4	3	1	0	Passed	NIL
Indian						Class XII	
Writing i	in					with	
English						English	
Translation							

#### **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To understand and celebrate the diversity of linguistic and regional influences on the shaping of modern India.
- To open up a sense of the sophistication and fluidity of Indian thought and literature even when it speaks through the medium of translation.

#### **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

 By studying this course, students will gain knowledge of the richness of modern Indian writing.  Students will be encouraged to understand how contemporary India owes its diversity to a range of literatures, cultures and regions.

#### **SYLLABUS OF DSC-12**

#### **UNIT – I (15 hours)**

- 1. Premchand 'The Shroud', *Penguin Book of Classic Urdu Stories*. ed. M. Assaduddin, New Delhi: Penguin/Viking, 2006.
- 2. Chugtai, Ismat. 'The Quilt', *Lifting the Veil: Selected Writings of Ismat Chugtai*. tr. M. Assaduddin. New Delhi: Penguin Books, 2009.
- 3. Senapati, Fakir Mohan. 'Rebati', *Oriya Stories*. ed. Vidya Das, tr. Kishori Charan Das, Delhi: Srishti Publishers, 2000.

#### UNIT - II (15 hours)

- 4. Bharati, Dharamveer. Andha Yug. tr. Alok Bhalla, New Delhi: OUP, 2009.
- 5. Tagore, Rabindranath. 'Light, Oh Where is the Light?' & 'When My Play was with thee', *Gitanjali: A New Translation with an Introduction*. trans. William Radice, New Delhi: Penguin India, 2011.
- 6. Muktibodh, G.M. 'The Void' (tr. Vinay Dharwadker) & 'So Very Far', (tr. Tr. Vishnu Khare and Adil Jussawala), *The Oxford Anthology of Modern Indian Poetry*. ed. Vinay Dharwadker and A.K. Ramanujam, New Delhi: OUP, 2000.

#### UNIT - III (15 hours)

- 7. Pritam, Amrita. 'I say unto Waris Shah' (tr. N.S. Tasneem), *Modern Indian Literature: An Anthology, Plays and Prose, Surveys and Poems*. ed. K.M. George, vol. 3, Delhi: Sahitya Akademi, 1992.
- 8. Singh, Thangjam Ibopishak. 'Dali, Hussain, or Odour of Dream, Colour of Wind' & 'The Land of the Half-Humans', *The Anthology of Contemporary Poetry from the Northeast*. tr. Robin S. Ngangom, NEHU: Shillong, 2003.
- 9. Macwan, Joseph. *The Stepchild*. Trans. Rita Kothari, Oxford University Press, New Delhi, 2004.

#### Practical component (if any) - NIL

#### Essential/recommended readings- as listed in the units

#### Suggestive readings:

- 1. Singh, Namwar. 'Decolonising the Indian Mind', *Indian Literature*, tr. Harish Trivedi, no. 151(Sept./Oct. 1992), 1992.
- 2. Ambedkar, B.R. Chaps. 4, 6, & 14, *Annihilation of Caste in Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar: Writings and Speeches*, vol. 1, Maharashtra: Education Department, Government of Maharashtra, 1979.
- 3. U.R. Ananthamurthy: 'Being a Writer in India'
- 4. Vinay Dharwadker: 'Some Contexts of Modern Indian Poetry'
- 5. Aparna Dharwadker, 'Modern Indian Theatre', *Routledge Handbook of Asian Theatre*. ed. Siyuan Liu, London: Routledge, 2016. pp 243-67

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#### **Category III**

Discipline Specific Courses for Undergraduate Programme of study with ENGLISH (minor) as one of the Core Disciplines

**DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSE 11- (DSC-11): Indian Writing in English** 

No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials -15 hrs.)

#### CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course	Credits	Credit distribution of the course		Eligibility	Pre-requisite	
title &		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
Code				Practice		(if any)
DSC 11:	4	3	1	0	Passed	NIL
Indian					Class XII	
Writing in					with	
English					English	

**Learning Objectives** 

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

• To offer students a foundational understanding of the distinctively Indian

qualities of literature in English, across a range of genres.

• To open up a sense of the Indian response to literary and political challenges

in modern times.

**Learning outcomes** 

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

• By studying this course, students will be able to gain a basic sense of Indian

writing in English as a viable means to understand the evolution of modern

India.

• Students' imagination will be stimulated by an understanding of how Indian

writing in English opens up the challenges and complexities of contemporary

India.

**SYLLABUS OF DSC-11** 

**UNIT – I (15 hours)** 

1. Anita Desai: The Clear Light of the Day

UNIT – II (15 hours)

2. H.L.V. Derozio: (i) 'Freedom to the Slave' (ii) 'The Orphan Girl'

3. Kamala Das: (i) 'Introduction' (ii) 'My Grandmother's House'

4. Sarojini Naidu: (i) 'An Indian Love Song', (ii) 'In Salutation to the Eternal Peace'

5. Robin S. Ngangom: (i) 'The Strange Affair of Robin S. Ngangom' (ii) 'A Poem for

Mother'

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#### UNIT – III (15 hours)

- 6. Salman Rushdie: 'The Free Radio'
- 7. Shashi Deshpande: 'The Intrusion'
- 8. Padmanabhan, Manjula. 'Stains', Hot Death, Cold Soup: Twelve Short Stories. New Delhi: Kali for Women/Zubaan, 1996.

#### Practical component (if any) - NIL

Essential/recommended readings- as listed in the units

#### Suggestive readings:

- 1. Rao, Raja. 'Foreword', Kanthapura. New Delhi: OUP, 1989. pp v-vi
- 2. Rushdie, Salman. 'Commonwealth Literature does not exist', *Imaginary Homelands*. London: Granta Books, 1991. pp 61–70
- 3. Mukherjee, Meenakshi. 'Divided by a Common Language', *The Perishable Empire*. New Delhi: OUP, 2000. pp 187–203
- 4. King, Bruce. 'Introduction', *Modern Indian Poetry in English*. New Delhi: OUP, 2<sup>nd</sup> edn., 2005. pp 1–10

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# COMMON POOL OF DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE (DSE) COURSES FOR SEMESTER III

#### **DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE 4–(DSE-4): Dystopian Writings**

#### No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

#### Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course title &	Credits	Credit distribution of the				Pre-requisite of
Code		course			criteria	the course
		Lecture	Lecture   Tutorial			
				Practice		
DSE-4:	4	3	1	0	Passed	NIL
Dystopian					Class XII	
Writings						

#### **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To introduce a body of writings on dystopic themes
- To consider the range of literary representations in the field

#### **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students will be able to analyse literary representations in contemporary contexts.
- Students will be provided a literary and theoretical understanding of the ideas of dystopia.

#### **SYLLABUS OF DSE-4**

#### **UNIT – I (15 hours)**

1. Mary Shelley: The Last Man

#### UNIT - II (15 hours)

2. H.G. Wells: The Time Machine

#### UNIT – III (15 hours)

3. Malcolm Bradbury: Fahrenheit 451

#### Practical component (if any) - NIL

**Essential/recommended readings-** as listed in the units

- 1. Stock, Adam. *Modern Dystopian Fiction and Political Thought: Narratives of World Politics*. United Kingdom: Taylor & Francis, 2018.
- 2. Gottlieb, Erika. *Dystopian Fiction East and West: Universe of Terror and Trial*. Maldives: McGill-Queen's University Press, 2001.
- 3. Basu, Balaka, et al. (ed.) *Contemporary Dystopian Fiction for Young Adults: Brave New Teenagers*. United States: Taylor & Francis, 2013.
- 4. Isomaa, Saija, et al. (ed.) *New Perspectives on Dystopian Fiction in Literature and Other Media*. United Kingdom: Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 2020.
- 5. Anthony, Ashley G., et al. (ed.) *Worlds Gone Awry: Essays on Dystopian Fiction*. United States: Incorporated Publishers, 2018.

#### DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE 5 (DSE-5): Literature of the Indian Diaspora

#### No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

#### Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre- requisite
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/		of the
				Practice		course
DSE-5 Literature of	4	3	1	0	Passed	NIL
the Indian					Class XII	
Diaspora						

#### **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To familiarize students with select contemporary literature of the Indian diaspora.
- To highlight diversity of diasporic locations and writings.

#### **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students will be able to acquire understanding of complex diasporic imaginations.
- Students will be able to comprehend the interrelations between home, homeland, diaspora, and migration.

#### **SYLLABUS OF DSE-5:**

#### **UNIT - I (15 hours)**

1. M. G. Vassanji: The Book of Secrets

#### UNIT – II (15 hours)

2. Vikram Seth: The Golden Gate

#### UNIT - III (15 hours)

3. Meera Syal: Anita and Me

#### Practical component (if any) - NIL

#### Essential/recommended readings- as listed in the units

#### **Suggestive readings:**

- 1. Mishra, Vijay. *The Literature of the Indian Diaspora: Theorising the Diasporic Imaginary*. New York: Routledge, 2007.
- 2. Braziel, Jana Evans, et al. (ed.). Theorizing Diaspora: A Reader. Wiley, 2003.
- 3. Unnikrishnan, Deepak. *Temporary People*. New York: Restless Books, 2017.
- 4. Phillips, Caryl. 'Somewhere in England', *Crossing the River*. London: Random House, 1993.
- 5. Gilroy, Paul. 'The Black Atlantic as a Counterculture of Modernity', *The Black Atlantic: Modernity and Double Consciousness*. London: Verso, 1993.
- 6. Jayaram, N. (ed.). *The Indian Diaspora: Dynamics of Migration*. Vol.4, Sage: New Delhi, 2004.

#### **DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE 6 (DSE-6): Graphic Narratives**

#### No. of hours- 60(Theory- 45 hrs.+Tutorials-15 hrs.)

#### Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre- requisite
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		of the course
DSE-6 Graphic	1	2	1	n	Passed	NIL
Narratives	7		•		Class XII	IVIL

#### **Learning Objectives**

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To introduce students to the field of graphic narratives.
- To sample a variety of graphic narratives from different locations and in varied styles.

#### **Learning outcomes**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- By studying this course, students will be provided an understanding of the specific languages of graphic narratives.
- Students will be able to comprehend the relationship between text and visuality.

#### **SYLLABUS OF DSE-6:**

#### **UNIT - I (15 hours)**

1. Miller, Frank. Batman: The Dark Knight Returns. Delhi: Random House, 2016.

#### **Supplementary Reading for Visually Impaired Students:**

1. Feiffer, Jules. 'Introduction' and 'Afterword', *The Great Comic Book Heroes*. Bonanza Books, 1965.

http://www.tcj.com/the-great-comic-book-heroes-intro-afterword-by-jules-feiffer/

#### UNIT – II (15 hours)

2. Natarajan, Srividya and Aparajita Ninan. *A Gardener in the Wasteland*. Delhi: Navayana,

2016.

3. Kadam, Dilip and S. S. Rege. *Babasaheb Ambedkar: He Dared to Fight*. Vol. 611, Mumbai: Amar Chitra Katha, 1979.

#### **Supplementary Reading for Visually Impaired Students**

2. Nayar, Pramod K. 'Drawing on Other Histories.', *The Indian Graphic Novel: Nation, History and Critique*. Routledge, 2016. pp 109-154

#### UNIT - III (15 hours)

- 4. Patil, Amruta. Kari. Delhi: Harper Collins, 2008.
- 5. Satrapi, Marjane. Persepolis: The Story of a Childhood. London: Pantheon 2004.

#### **Supplementary Reading for Visually Impaired Students**

4. Robinson, Lillian S. 'Chronicles: Generations of Super Girls,' *Wonder Women: Feminisms and Superheroes*. Routledge, 2004. pp 65-94

#### Practical component (if any) - NIL

#### Essential/recommended readings- as listed in the units

- 1. Chute, Hilary. 'Comics as Literature?: Reading Graphic Narrative,' *PMLA* 123 (2), pp 452-465
- 2. McCloud, Scott. *Understanding Comics: The Invisible Art*. USA: HarperCollins, 1993. pp 60-137
- 3. Mickwitz, Nina. *Documentary Comics: Graphic Truth-Telling in a Skeptical Age*. UK: Palgrave Macmillan, 2016. pp 1-28

### **COMMON POOL OF GENERIC ELECTIVES (GE) COURSES**

**NOTE:** The Generic Electives for the EVEN SEMESTERS will also run for Semester IV students.

# **GENERIC ELECTIVES LANGUAGE COURSES** for Semester III and IV (to be offered in flip mode)

Note: GE Language courses for Semester III, will also run in Semester IV, as these courses are offered in the flip mode.

#### Their titles are:

(GE Language 5) English Language Through Literature-II

(GE Language 6) Digital Communication-II

(GE Language 7) English Fluency-II

(GE Language 8) Developing English Language Skills-II