

DON BOSCO ARTS & SCIENCE COLLEGE
ANGADIKADAVU

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COURSE PLAN

BA ENGLISH

(2019 – 22)

SEMESTER - II

ACADEMIC YEAR - (2019-20)

II Semester BA English (2019 - 22)

SL. No.	Name of Subjects with Code	Name of the Teacher	Duty Hours per week
1.	2A03 ENG Readings on Life and Nature	Anu P. Thomas	5
2.	2A04 ENG Readings on Gender	Amala Antony	4
3.	2A08 MAL Kavitha Mathrukakal	Silvy Tharal	4
4.	2A08 HIN Rachana Thatha Prayog	Rabina V.	
5.	2B02 ENG Academic Writing, Methodology and Research Project	Ansa George	6
6.	2C02 JNL Print Media Practices	Fr. Dr. Francis Karackat	6
	Name of Class Incharge	Ansa George	

TIME TABLE

Day	09.50 Am - 10.45 Am	10.45 Am - 11.40 Am	11.55 Am -12.50 Pm	01.40 Pm - 02.35 Pm	02.35 Pm - 03.30 Pm
1	2A08 MAL Kavitha Mathrukakal/2A08 HIN Rachana Thatha Prayog	JNL Print Media Practices	Academic Writing, Methodology and Research Project	Readings on Gender	Readings on Life and Nature
2	Readings on Gender	JNL Print Media Practices	Academic Writing, Methodology and Research Project	Readings on Life and Nature	MAL Kavitha Mathrukakal/2A08 HIN Rachana Thatha Prayog
3	Readings on Life and Nature	JNL Print Media Practices	Academic Writing, Methodology and Research Project	MAL Kavitha Mathrukakal/2A08 HIN Rachana Thatha Prayog	JNL Print Media Practices
4	Readings on Life and Nature	JNL Print Media Practices	MAL Kavitha Mathrukakal/2A08 HIN Rachana Thatha Prayog	Readings on Gender	Academic Writing, Methodology and Research Project
5	Academic Writing, Methodology and Research Project	JNL Print Media Practices	Academic Writing, Methodology and Research Project	Readings on Life and Nature	Readings on Gender

Subject Code:	2A03 ENG
Subject Name:	Readings on Life and Nature
No. of Credits:	4
No. of Contact Hours:	90
Hours per Week:	5
Name of the Teacher:	Anu P. Thomas

Objective: -

1. Understand the basic themes and issues related to ecology through articles, poems, stories, life writings, and historical narratives.
2. Assume ecologically friendly attitudes in events related to everyday life.
3. Identify the specific ecological problems related to Kerala.
4. Identify the major ecological movements around the world and within the country.
5. Ability to express specific opinions when confronted with ecology/development binary.
6. Identify the major or minor ecological issues happening around the students' native place.

Module – I:

1. Environmental Studies: Definition, Scope and Importance
2. Concept of an Ecosystem
3. The Fish – Elizabeth Bishop
4. Trophic Cascade – Camille T. Dungy
5. The Rightful inheritors of the Earth – Vaikom Muhammad Basheer

Module – II:

1. Biodiversity
2. Disaster Management: Floods, Earthquakes, Cyclones, Landslides
3. Real Estate – Sebastian
4. The Truth about the Floods – Nissim Ezekiel
5. Matsyagandhi – M Sajitha

Module – III:

1. Role of an Individual in Prevention of Pollution
2. Environmental Values
3. The End of Living – The Beginning of Survival: Chief of Seattle
4. Going Local – Helena Norberg-Hodge

Assignment Topics

1. Document the list of products we use in our daily life that could have originated from a forest ecosystem.

2. Identify the different fish that the local fishermen have caught. Find out from them if the fish catch has decreased, remained the same, or has increased during the last decade or two.
3. Prepare a report on a flood affected area with details on how it happened, the people's reactions, and the steps to be taken to prevent it in the future.
4. Highlight the environmental health hazards caused by e-waste.
5. Prepare a report on how globalization and liberalization affected coconut/rubber/cardamom farmers in Kerala. Make a field study for any one of the farming sector and document it.
6. Impact of globalization on the local economies.
7. Sustainable development is the only way forward.
8. Identify a river nearby and provide a historical profile of and the changes in its environmental status over the years by talking to the local people.
9. Are the natural resources overused due to the number of people that depend on it, or the greed of a few, or both?
10. List out the products you use in your daily life from a grassland ecosystem.
11. Document the environmental assets in your neighbourhood.
12. "Linking of Indian Rivers" – Your comment on it.
13. Corporate Hijack of Agriculture – Prepare a report.
14. Plastic Pollution in your surroundings.
15. Air pollution in your village/town/city.

People in Environment

Ralph Emerson
 Henry Thoreau
 John Muir
 Edward Abbey
 Annie Dillard
 Leslie Marmon Silko
 Aldo Leopold
 Rachel Carson
 E O Wilson
 Salim Ali
 Madhav Gadgil
 M C Mehta
 Anil Agarwal
 Medha Patkar
 Sunderlal Bahuguna
 Kallen Pokkudan
 Sugathakumari
 Vandana Shiva
 Sunita Narain
 Greta Thunberg

Major environmental movements in India

Chipko Movement
 Jungle Bachao Andholan
 Narmada Bachao Andholan

Silent Valley Movement

Prescribed Textbook

***Nature Matters: Readings on Life and Nature*, Board of Editors. MainSpring Publishers, 2019.**

Environmental Literature for Further Reference

1. Pilgrim at Tender Creek – Annie Dillard, 1975.
2. Walden – Henry David Thoreau, 1854
3. Under the Sea Wind – Rachel Carson, 1941.
4. Silent Spring – Rachel Carson, 1962.
5. Small is Beautiful – E F Schumacher
6. Earth Policy Reader – Lester R Brown
7. Eco Economy – Lester R Brown
8. No Logo – Naomi Klein
9. Desert Solitaire – Edward Abbey, 1968
10. Biophilia – E O Wilson
11. The Biodiversity of India – Erach Barucha
12. Down to Earth – Centre for Science and Environment
13. Water in Crisis – H P Gleick
14. Global Biodiversity Assessment – Heywood & Waston, 1995
15. The Call of the Wild – Jack London, 1903
16. I am not a Plastic Bag – Rahel Hope, 2012
17. The Great Derangement – Amitav Ghosh
18. The End of Food – Paul Roberts, 2008
19. The End of Oil – Paul Roberts
20. The World Without Us – Alan Weisman, 2008
21. The One-Straw Revolution – Fukuoka, 2009
22. The End of Nature – Bill McKibben, 1989
23. The Good Earth – Pearl S Buck, 2005
24. Carbon – Daniel Boyd, 2014.
25. Peak – Roland Smith, 2007
26. The Tomorrow Code – Brian Falkner, 2008.
27. The Water Wars – Cameron Stracher, 2011
28. Fast Food Nation – Eric Schlosser, 2001
29. Last Child in the Woods – Richard Louv, 2005

Web Resources on Environment

www.earth-policy.org

www.corecentre.co.in – fact sheet on air pollution

www.dialcomfort.com – online guide to air pollution

www.sciencemuseum.org.uk

www.tedtalk.com

TEACHING SCHEDULE

No of Weeks	Dates	Session	Topic
1	18-11-2019 To 23-11-2019	1	Introduction to the syllabus
		19 Nov	Union Inauguration
		2	Environmental Studies: Definition, Scope and Importance
		3	Environmental Studies: Definition, Scope and Importance
		4	Environmental Studies: Definition, Scope and Importance
		5	Group Discussion
		23 Nov	Sports Day
2	25-11-2019 To 29-11-2019		Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
3	01-12-2019 To 05-12-2019		Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
4	09-12-2019 To 13-12-2019	6	The Rightful inheritors of the Earth – Vaikom Muhammad Basheer
		7	The Rightful inheritors of the Earth – Vaikom Muhammad Basheer
		8	The Rightful inheritors of the Earth – Vaikom Muhammad Basheer
		9	Concept of an Ecosystem
		10	Concept of an Ecosystem
		11	Class Test
		12 Dec	Arts Day
		13 Dec	Arts Day
5	16-12-2019	12	The Fish – Elizabeth Bishop

No of Weeks	Dates	Session	Topic
	To 20-12-2019	13	The Fish – Elizabeth Bishop
		14	The Fish – Elizabeth Bishop
		15	Trophic Cascade – Camille T. Dungy
		16	Trophic Cascade – Camille T. Dungy
		20 Dec	Christmas Celebration
6	23-12-2019 To 28-12-2019		Christmas – Holiday
			Christmas – Holiday
			Christmas – Holiday
			Christmas – Holiday
			Christmas – Holiday
			Christmas – Holiday
			Christmas – Holiday
7	30-12-2019 To 03-01-2020	17	Seminar
		18	Seminar
		19	Seminar
		20	Seminar
		21	Seminar
		02 Jan	Mannam Jayanthi – Holiday
		22	Biodiversity
8	06-01-2020 To 10-01-2020	23	Biodiversity
		24	Biodiversity
		25	Class Test
		26	Disaster Management: Floods, Earthquakes, Cyclones, Landslides
		27	Disaster Management: Floods, Earthquakes, Cyclones, Landslides
		28	Disaster Management: Floods, Earthquakes, Cyclones, Landslides
		29	Disaster Management: Floods, Earthquakes, Cyclones, Landslides
		30	Group Discussion
		9	13-01-2020 To 17-01-2020
32	Real Estate – Sebastian		
33	The Truth about the Floods – Nissim Ezekiel		
34	The Truth about the Floods – Nissim Ezekiel		
35	The Truth about the Floods – Nissim Ezekiel		
36	Matsyagandhi – M Sajitha		
37	Matsyagandhi – M Sajitha		

No of Weeks	Dates	Session	Topic
		38	Matsyagandhi – M Sajitha
		39	Matsyagandhi – M Sajitha
10	20-01-2020 To 24-01-2020	20 Jan	First Internal II Semester UG
			First Internal II Semester UG
		22 Jan	First Internal II Semester UG
		40	Role of an Individual in Prevention of Pollution
		41	Role of an Individual in Prevention of Pollution
		42	Seminar
		43	Seminar
		44	Seminar
11	27-01-2020 To 31-01-2020	45	Seminar
		46	Environmental Values
		47	Environmental Values
		48	Environmental Values
		49	Class Test
		50	The End of Living – The Beginning of Survival: Chief of Seattle
		51	The End of Living – The Beginning of Survival: Chief of Seattle
12	03-02-2020 To 07-02-2020	52	The End of Living – The Beginning of Survival: Chief of Seattle
		53	The End of Living – The Beginning of Survival: Chief of Seattle
		54	Assignment
		55	Going Local – Helena Norberg-Hodge
		56	Going Local – Helena Norberg-Hodge
		57	Going Local – Helena Norberg-Hodge
13	10-02-2020 To 14-02-2020	58	Class Test
		59	Ralph Emerson Henry Thoreau John Muir
		60	People in Environment Ralph Emerson Henry Thoreau John Muir
		61	Edward Abbey Annie Dillard Leslie Marmon Silko
		62	Edward Abbey Annie Dillard Leslie Marmon Silko

No of Weeks	Dates	Session	Topic
		63	Aldo Leopald Rachel Carson E O Wilson
14	17-02-2020 To 22-02-2020	64	Aldo Leopald Rachel Carson E O Wilson
		65	Salim Ali Madhav Gadgil M C Mehta
		66	Salim Ali Madhav Gadgil M C Mehta
		21 Feb	Mahasivaratri – Holiday
		67	Group Discussion
15	24-02-2020 To 28-02-2020	24 Feb	College Day
		68	Anil Agarwal Medha Patkar Sunderlal Bahuguna
		69	Anil Agarwal Medha Patkar Sunderlal Bahuguna
		70	Kallen Pokkudan Sugathakumari Vandana Shiva
		71	Kallen Pokkudan Sugathakumari Vandana Shiva
		72	Sunita Narain Greta Thunberg
16	02-03-2020 To 07-03-2020	73	Sunita Narain Greta Thunberg
		74	Assignment
		75	Assignment
		76	Assignment
		77	Major environmental movements in India Chipko Movement
17	09-03-2020 To 13-03-2020	78	Chipko Movement
		79	Jungle Bachao Andholan
		80	Jungle Bachao Andholan
		81	Narmada Bachao Andholan
		82	Narmada Bachao Andholan
		83	Silent Valley Movement

No of Weeks	Dates	Session	Topic
		84	Silent Valley Movement
18	16-03-2020 To 20-03-2020	85	Question Paper Discussion
		86	Question Paper Discussion
		87	Question Paper Discussion
		88	Revision
		89	Revision
		90	Revision
19	23-03-2020 To 27-03-2020	23 Mar	Second Internal II Semester UG
			Second Internal II Semester UG
			Second Internal II Semester UG
			Second Internal II Semester UG
			Second Internal II Semester UG
			Second Internal II Semester UG
20	30-03-2020 To 03-04-2020		Study Leave
			Study Leave
			Study Leave
			Study Leave
			Study Leave
			Study Leave
21	06-04-2020	06 April	University Exam II Semester UG Begin

Subject Code:	2A04 ENG
Subject Name:	Readings on Gender
No. of Credits:	3
No. of Contact Hours:	72
Hours per Week:	4
Name of the Teacher:	Amala Antony

Objective:

To understand the basic gender issues faced by Kerala through articles, poems, stories, life writings and historical narratives.

Module I:

1. An Introduction - Kamala Das
2. Kitchen Rags - Vijila
3. Daskshayani Velayudhan - A Biographical Sketch – Meera Velayudhan
4. Learning to be a Mother - Shashi Deshpande
5. Is this Desirable? - Lalithambika Antharjanam

Module II:

1. Still I Rise - Maya Angelou
2. I Am Not That Woman - Kishwar Naheed
3. Structural Violence and the Trans Struggle for Dignity – Gee Imaan Semmalar
4. Gender Justice and the Media - Ammu Joseph
5. Clothing Matters: Visiting the Melmundusamaram in Keralam - Sheeba K M

Prescribed Textbook; Plural perspectives:

Readings on Gender by Rakhi Raghavan

TEACHING SCHEDULE

No of Weeks	Dates	Session	Topic
1	18-11-2019 To 23-11-2019	1	An Introduction - Kamala Das
		19 Nov	Union Inauguration
		2	An Introduction - Kamala Das
		3	An Introduction - Kamala Das
		4	An Introduction - Kamala Das
		5	An Introduction - Kamala Das
		23 Nov	Sports Day
2	25-11-2019 To 29-11-2019		Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
3	01-12-2019 To 05-12-2019		Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
4	09-12-2019 To 13-12-2019	6	An Introduction - Kamala Das
		7	Assignment
		8	Class Test
		9	Kitchen Rags-
		10	Kitchen Rags
		11	Kitchen Rags
		12 Dec	Arts Day
		13 Dec	Arts Day
5	16-12-2019 To	12	Kitchen Rags
		13	Assignment
		14	Revision

No of Weeks	Dates	Session	Topic
	20-12-2019	15	Class Test
		20 Dec	Christmas Celebration
6	23-12-2019 To 28-12-2019		Christmas – Holiday
			Christmas – Holiday
			Christmas – Holiday
			Christmas – Holiday
			Christmas – Holiday
			Christmas – Holiday
			Christmas – Holiday
7	30-12-2019 To 03-01-2020	16	Daskshayani Velayudhan - A Biographical Sketch
		17	Daskshayani Velayudhan - A Biographical Sketch
		18	Daskshayani Velayudhan - A Biographical Sketch
		19	Daskshayani Velayudhan - A Biographical Sketch
		02 Jan	Mannam Jayanthi – Holiday
		20	Daskshayani Velayudhan - A Biographical Sketch
8	06-01-2020 To 10-01-2020	21	Assignment
		22	Class Test
		23	Learning to be a Mother
		24	Learning to be a Mother
		25	Learning to be a Mother
		26	Learning to be a Mother
9	13-01-2020 To 17-01-2020	27	Assignment
		28	Class Test
		29	Is this Desirable?
		30	Is this Desirable?
		31	Is this Desirable?
		32	Is this Desirable?
10	20-01-2020 To 24-01-2020	20 Jan	First Internal II Semester UG
			First Internal II Semester UG
		22 Jan	First Internal II Semester UG
		33	Is this Desirable?
		34	Is this Desirable?
		35	Assignment
11	27-01-2020 To 31-01-2020	36	Class Test
		37	I Am Not That Woman
		38	I Am Not That Woman
		39	I Am Not That Woman
		40	I Am Not That Woman

No of Weeks	Dates	Session	Topic
12	03-02-2020 To 07-02-2020	41	I Am Not That Woman
		42	Assignment
		43	Seminar
		44	Class Test
		45	Structural Violence and the Trans Struggle for Dignity
13	10-02-2020 To 14-02-2020	46	Structural Violence and the Trans Struggle for Dignity
		47	Structural Violence and the Trans Struggle for Dignity
		48	Structural Violence and the Trans Struggle for Dignity
		49	Structural Violence and the Trans Struggle for Dignity
14	17-02-2020 To 22-02-2020	50	Seminar
		51	Class Test
		52	Gender Justice and the Media
		21 Feb	Gender Justice and the Media
		53	Mahasivaratri – Holiday
15	24-02-2020 To 28-02-2020	24 Feb	Gender Justice and the Media
		54	College Day
		55	Gender Justice and the Media
		56	Gender Justice and the Media
		57	Gender Justice and the Media
16	02-03-2020 To 07-03-2020	58	Assignment
		59	Seminar
		60	Class Test
		61	Clothing Matters: Visiting the Melmundusamaram in Kerala
		62	Clothing Matters: Visiting the Melmundusamaram in Kerala
17	09-03-2020 To 13-03-2020	63	Clothing Matters: Visiting the Melmundusamaram in Kerala
		64	Clothing Matters: Visiting the Melmundusamaram in Kerala
		65	Clothing Matters: Visiting the Melmundusamaram in Kerala
		66	Clothing Matters: Visiting the Melmundusamaram in Kerala
		67	Clothing Matters: Visiting the Melmundusamaram in Kerala
18	16-03-2020 To	68	Assignment
		69	Class Test
		70	Revision

No of Weeks	Dates	Session	Topic
	20-03-2020	71	Revision
		72	Revision
19	23-03-2020 To 27-03-2020	23 Mar	
			Second Internal II Semester UG
			Second Internal II Semester UG
			Second Internal II Semester UG
			Second Internal II Semester UG
			Second Internal II Semester UG
20	30-03-2020 To 03-04-2020		Second Internal II Semester UG
			Study Leave
			Study Leave
			Study Leave
			Study Leave
21	06-04-2020	06 April	Study Leave
			University Exam II Semester UG Begin

Subject Code:	2B02 ENG
Subject Name:	Academic Writing, Methodology and Research Project
No. of Credits:	5
No. of Contact Hours:	108
Hours per Week:	6
Name of the Teacher:	Ansa George

Objective: -

1. Understand and apply the nuances of academic writing.
2. Understand the various methodological as well as epistemological aspects of Literary studies.
3. Familiarise with the approaches to literature.
4. Choose a tentative topic for the research project to be submitted in semester six.

Content Specifications

Academic Documentation, MLA Style sheet, Citations and Acknowledgements, Format of an Academic Paper, Choosing a Topic, Paratextual Formalities, Ontological and Epistemological Aspects of Research, Methodology, Approaches to Literature, Schools of Theory, Logical Fallacies, Scientific Method.

Course Outcomes

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Contents

Module – I (2 hours/week)

What are the Humanities

1. Introducing the Humanities
2. Difference Between Natural, Social and Human Sciences
3. Humanities and Sciences: Is There a Big Divide?
4. Study of Taste, Values and Belief Systems
5. Facts and Interpretation
6. History as Fiction
7. The Question of Ideology

Module – II (2 hours/week)

II Fundamentals of Language

1. Language, Culture and Subjectivity
2. The Social Construction of Reality
3. Agency in Language
4. Language in Relation to Region, Class, Caste, Race and Gender
5. Language and History
6. Language and Colonialism
7. Text Oriented Approaches
8. New Criticism

Module – III (1 hour/week)

III Narration and Representation

1. Introducing Narration
2. Reality and Representation
3. Narrative Modes of Thinking
4. Textuality and Reading
5. Narration in Literature, Philosophy and History

Module – IV (1 hour/week)

Academic Writing

IV What is “Academic” Writing?

1. Introduction: The Academic Writing Task
2. Decoding College Writing Assignments
3. The Format of the Academic Essay

V Writing a Research Paper in Literary Studies

1. First Steps
2. Writing Your Paper
3. Plagiarism

TEACHING SCHEDULE

No of Weeks	Dates	Session	Topic
1	18-11-2019 To 23-11-2019	1	Introduction
		19 Nov	Union Inauguration
		2	Introduction
		3	Introducing the Humanities
		4	Introducing the Humanities
		5	Introducing the Humanities
		23 Nov	Sports Day
2	25-11-2019 To 29-11-2019		Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
3	01-12-2019 To 05-12-2019		Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
4	09-12-2019 To 13-12-2019	6	Difference Between Natural, Social and Human Sciences
		7	Difference Between Natural, Social and Human Sciences
		8	Difference Between Natural, Social and Human Sciences
		9	Difference Between Natural, Social and Human Sciences
		10	Difference Between Natural, Social and Human Sciences
		11	Class test
		12 Dec	Arts Day
		13 Dec	Arts Day
5	16-12-2019 To	12	Humanities and Sciences: Is There a Big Divide?
		13	Humanities and Sciences: Is There a Big Divide?

No of Weeks	Dates	Session	Topic
	20-12-2019	14	Humanities and Sciences: Is There a Big Divide?
		15	Study of Taste, Values and Belief Systems
		16	Study of Taste, Values and Belief Systems
		20 Dec	Christmas Celebration
6	23-12-2019 To 28-12-2019		Christmas – Holiday
			Christmas – Holiday
			Christmas – Holiday
			Christmas – Holiday
			Christmas – Holiday
			Christmas – Holiday
			Christmas – Holiday
7	30-12-2019 To 03-01-2020	17	Facts and Interpretation
		18	History as Fiction
		19	The Question of Ideology
		20	Seminar
		21	Seminar
		02 Jan	Mannam Jayanthi – Holiday
		22	Language, Culture and Subjectivity
8	06-01-2020 To 10-01-2020	23	Language, Culture and Subjectivity
		24	Language, Culture and Subjectivity
		25	The Social Construction of Reality
		26	The Social Construction of Reality
		27	Class test
		28	Agency in Language
		29	Agency in Language
		30	Language in Relation to Region, Class, Caste, Race and Gender
		31	Language in Relation to Region, Class, Caste, Race and Gender
		32	Language in Relation to Region, Class, Caste, Race and Gender
		33	Language in Relation to Region, Class, Caste, Race and Gender
9	13-01-2020 To 17-01-2020	34	Language and History
		35	Language and History
		36	Language and History
		37	Language and History
		38	Language and Colonialism

No of Weeks	Dates	Session	Topic
		39	Language and Colonialism
		40	Text Oriented Approaches
		41	Text Oriented Approaches
		42	New Criticism
		43	Revision
10	20-01-2020 To 24-01-2020	20 Jan	First Internal II Semester UG
			First Internal II Semester UG
		22 Jan	First Internal II Semester UG
		44	Seminar
		45	Seminar
		46	Introducing Narration
		47	Introducing Narration
		48	Introducing Narration
		49	Introducing Narration
		50	Reality and Representation
		51	Reality and Representation
11	27-01-2020 To 31-01-2020	52	Reality and Representation
		53	Reality and Representation
		54	Reality and Representation
		55	Debate
		56	Discussion
		57	Narrative Modes of Thinking
		58	Narrative Modes of Thinking
		59	Narrative Modes of Thinking
		60	Narrative Modes of Thinking
12	03-02-2020 To 07-02-2020	61	Narrative Modes of Thinking
		62	Class Test
		63	Textuality and Reading
		64	Textuality and Reading
		65	Textuality and Reading
		66	Textuality and Reading
		67	Textuality and Reading
		68	Seminar
		69	Seminar
13	10-02-2020 To	70	Narration in Literature, Philosophy and History
		71	Narration in Literature, Philosophy and History
		72	Narration in Literature, Philosophy and History

No of Weeks	Dates	Session	Topic
	14-02-2020	73	Narration in Literature, Philosophy and History
		74	Narration in Literature, Philosophy and History
		75	Introduction: The Academic Writing Task
		76	Introduction: The Academic Writing Task
		77	Introduction: The Academic Writing Task
14	17-02-2020 To 22-02-2020	78	Introduction: The Academic Writing Task
		79	Introduction: The Academic Writing Task
		80	Introduction: The Academic Writing Task
		81	Seminar
		82	Debate
		21 Feb	Mahasivaratri – Holiday
		83	Class Test
15	24-02-2020 To 28-02-2020	24 Feb	College Day
		84	Decoding College Writing Assignments
		85	Decoding College Writing Assignments
		86	Decoding College Writing Assignments
		87	Decoding College Writing Assignments
		88	Decoding College Writing Assignments
		89	The Format of the Academic Essay
16	02-03-2020 To 07-03-2020	90	The Format of the Academic Essay
		91	The Format of the Academic Essay
		92	The Format of the Academic Essay
		93	The Format of the Academic Essay
		94	First Steps
		95	First Steps
17	09-03-2020 To 13-03-2020	96	First Steps
		97	First Steps
		98	Writing Your Paper
		99	Writing Your Paper
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18	16-03-2020 To 20-03-2020	102	Plagiarism
		103	Plagiarism
		104	Plagiarism
		105	Plagiarism
		106	Revision

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		107	Revision
		108	Revision
19	23-03-2020 To 27-03-2020	23 Mar	Second Internal II Semester UG
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20	30-03-2020 To 03-04-2020		Study Leave
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Subject Name:	Print Media Practices
No. of Credits:	4
No. of Contact Hours:	108
Hours per Week:	6
Name of the Teacher:	Fr. Dr. Francis Karackat

Objective: -

- 1:** Introduction to the world of news and Journalism and understanding of basic concepts
- 2:** Learning the art of reporting and editing through theoretical and practical Engagement
- 3:** Objective understanding of the way in which world affairs are presented and to inculcate creative thinking in content making
- 4:** Building avenues to think laterally about print media journalism in the digital age.

Module – I:

What is News? Definitions of News – 5W’s and 1 H- News Values- Hard News and Soft News- Classification of News: Regional, National, International - What’s Journalism? Principles of journalism, role of a journalist.

Module – II:

News Reporting: Idea generation, Gathering background information- Building contacts- News Sources (Legislature, Executive, Judiciary, Sources of respective beats- Social Media- News Agencies- Citizenry)- News gathering. Principles of writing.

Module – III:

Specialised forms of reporting: Features- Profiles- Interviews- Indepth analysis- Investigative Reporting- Curtain raisers- Running stories- Citizen Reporting. Editorial- Columns- Op Ed pages. Qualities of a reporter, functional role of a reporter. Freelance. Work flow of news bureau.

Module – IV:

Writing News: Various types of leads- News story structure (Inverted pyramid style,

Hour glass style, Nut graph style)- Difference in approaches for writing hard news and features- writing news releases. Headlines: Various types of headlines- Infographics- Blurbs- News photographs: captions and cutlines.

Module – V:

News Editing: Copy tasting- Principles of editing- Objectivity and fairness- Legal propriety- Style adherence- Agency copies- Packaging related news items- Functional role of a sub editor- Work flow of news desk.

Module – VI:

Translation: Basic principles and practice. Print Media in the digital age.

Prescribed Textbook

1. Carole Rich: Writing and Reporting News
2. Fred Fedler et al: Reporting for Media

Books for Reference

1. Wyneford Hicks et al: Writing for Journalist
2. Chris Forest: Reporting for Journalist
3. Angela Phillips: Good writing for Journalists
4. Seema Mustafa:
5. Bruce Itule and Douglas Anderson: News Writing and Reporting for Today's Media
6. Vir Bala Aggarwal: Essentials of Practical Journalism

TEACHING SCHEDULE

No of Weeks	Dates	Session	Topic
1	18-11-2019 To 23-11-2019	1	Introduction to Newspaper Journalism
		19 Nov	Union Inauguration
		2	Thrills of Journalism Profession I
		3	Thrills of Journalism Profession II
		4	Thrills of Journalism Profession III
		5	Challenges of Journalism Profession I
		23 Nov	Sports Day
2	25-11-2019 To 29-11-2019		Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
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3	01-12-2019 To 05-12-2019		Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
			Semester Break
4	09-12-2019 To 13-12-2019	6	Challenges of Journalism Profession II
		7	Fourth Estate and Democracy
		8	Constraints in Journalism Profession I
		9	Constraints in Journalism Profession II
		10	News Values I
		11	News Values II
		12 Dec	Arts Day
		13 Dec	Arts Day
5	16-12-2019 To 20-12-2019	12	News Values III
		13	News Sources I
		14	News Sources II
		15	International News Agencies

No of Weeks	Dates	Session	Topic
		16	Indian News Agencies
		20 Dec	Christmas Celebration
6	23-12-2019 To 28-12-2019		Christmas – Holiday
			Christmas – Holiday
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			Christmas – Holiday
			Christmas – Holiday
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7	30-12-2019 To 03-01-2020	17	Inverted Pyramid Journalism I
		18	Inverted Pyramid Journalism II
		19	Inverted Pyramid Journalism III
		20	Class Test I
		21	Hourglass Journalism I
		02 Jan	Mannam Jayanthi – Holiday
		22	Hourglass Journalism II
8	06-01-2020 To 10-01-2020	23	Hourglass Journalism III
		24	Focus Journalism I
		25	Focus Journalism II
		26	Focus Journalism III
		27	Narrative Journalism I
		28	Narrative Journalism II
		29	Narrative Journalism III
		30	Hard News versus Soft News I
		31	Hard News versus Soft News II
		32	Interviewing I
		33	Interviewing II
		9	13-01-2020 To 17-01-2020
35	Interviewing IV		
36	Journalism Glossary I		
37	Journalism Glossary II		
38	Journalism Glossary III		
39	Journalism Glossary IV		
40	Class Test II		
41	News Room Operation		
42	News Bureau		
43	News Desk		
10	20-01-2020	20 Jan	First Internal II Semester UG

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	To 24-01-2020		First Internal II Semester UG
		22 Jan	First Internal II Semester UG
		44	Investigative Journalism I
		45	Investigative Journalism II
		46	Investigative Journalism III
		47	Investigative Journalism IV
		48	Crafting Headlines I
		49	Crafting Headlines II
		50	Crafting Headlines III
		51	Crafting Headlines IV
11	27-01-2020 To 31-01-2020	52	Art of Feature Writing I
		53	Art of Feature Writing II
		54	Photojournalism
		55	Captions, Catchwords & Cutlines
		56	Middles
		57	Editorials
		58	Opinion Pieces
		59	Columns
		60	Op-ed Page
12	03-02-2020 To 07-02-2020	61	Ombudsman & Readers' Editor
		62	Role and Responsibilities of Subeditor I
		63	Role and Responsibilities of Subeditor II
		64	Role and Responsibilities of Subeditor III
		65	Class Test III
		66	Citizen and Civic Journalism
		67	Assignments: Crafting Headlines I
		68	Assignments: Crafting Headlines II
		69	Assignments: Analysis of Inverted Pyramid Stories I
13	10-02-2020 To 14-02-2020	70	Assignments: Analysis of Inverted Pyramid Stories II
		71	Assignments: Analysis of Hourglass Stories I
		72	Assignments: Analysis of Hourglass Stories II
		73	Assignments: Analysis of Focus Stories I
		74	Assignments: Analysis of Focus Stories I
		75	Assignments: Interviewing I
		76	Assignments: Interviewing II
		77	Previous University Question Paper Revision I
14	17-02-2020	78	
		79	Previous University Question Paper Revision II

No of Weeks	Dates	Session	Topic
	To 22-02-2020	80	Previous University Question Paper Revision III
		81	Mainstream Newspaper Analysis I
		82	Mainstream Newspaper Analysis II
		21 Feb	Mahasivaratri – Holiday
		83	Mainstream Newspaper Analysis III
15	24-02-2020 To 28-02-2020	24 Feb	College Day
		84	Handouts and News Release
		85	News Conference Recipe
		86	Post-Truth Journalism I
		87	Post-Truth Journalism II
		88	Newspaper Reporting Assignment: Practical I
		89	Newspaper Reporting Assignment: Practical II
16	02-03-2020 To 07-03-2020	90	Newspaper Reporting Assignment: Practical III
		91	Revision
		92	Revision
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