SYLLABI AND SCHEME OF EXAMINATION FOR MINOR COURSES FOR UNDER GRADUATE PROGRAMS (SINGLE MAJOR / MULTIDISCIPLINARY PROGRAMS)

(Based on Curriculum and Credit Framework for UG Programs under NEP)



WITH EFFECT FROM THE SESSION 2024-25

MAHARSHI DAYANAND UNIVERSITY ROHTAK (HARYANA)

SYLLABI AND SCHEME OF EXAMINATION FOR MINOR COURSES FOR UNDER GRADUATE SINGLE MAJOR/MULTIDISCIPLINARY PROGRAMS/ SINGLE MAJOR PROGRAM AFTER 2nd SEMESTER OF MULTIDISCIPLINARY PROGRAM

Minor Courses (MIC)/ Minor (Vocational) Course MIC(VOC)		F PROGRAM				Credit tribu	tion	Total Credits	W	orklo		Total Workload			ırks		
	SINGLE MAJOR PROGRAM	MULTI DISCIPLINARY PROGRAM / SINGLE MAJOR PROGRAM AFTER 2nd SEMESTER OF MULTI DISCIPLINARY PROGRAM	Nomenclature of Course	Course Code	L	T	Р		L	T	Р		The	eory	Pra	ctical	Total Marks
	SEMESTER	SEMESTER											Internal	External	Internal	External	
MIC 1 @ 4 credits	1	1	English Prose and Poetry – I	24ENG401MI01	4	0	0	4	4	0	0	4	30	70	00	00	100
MIC 2 @ 4 credits	2	3	English Prose and Poetry – II	24ENG402MI01	4	0	0	4	4	0	0	4	30	70	00	00	100
MIC 3 @ 4 credits	3	5	One Act Play (English)	25ENG403MI01	4	0	0	4	4	0	0	4	30	70	00	00	100
MIC 4 (VOC) @ 4 credits	4	4	Fundamentals of Analytical Reading and Writings	25ENG404MV01	4	0	0	4	4	0	0	4	30	70	00	00	100
MIC 5 (VOC) @ 4 credits	5	5	Fundamentals of Content Writing	26ENG405MV01	4	0	0	4	4	0	0	4	30	70	00	00	100

MIC 6 (VOC)	6	6	Introduction to	26ENG406MV01	4	0	0	4	4	0	0	4	30	70	00	00	100
@ 4 credits			Indian Theatre														
			and														
			Performance														
MIC 7 (VOC)	7	7	Leadership	24ENG201MV01	4	0	0	4	4	0	0	4	30	70	00	00	100
@ 4 credits			and														
_			Personality														
			Development														
MIC 8 (VOC)	8	8	English	24ENG202MV01	4	0	0	4	4	0	0	4	30	70	00	00	100
(a) 4 credits			Language														
~			Teaching														
			Skills														

L: Lecture; T: Tutorial; P: Practical

Note:

- 1. The Syllabi and Scheme of EXAMINATION (SOE) for Minor (Vocational) Courses for UG Semester 7 and Semester 8 will be same as applicable for Vocational Course in Post Graduate semester 1 and semester 2 respectively.
- 2. Course coding of Minor courses for Single Major Programs will be applicable for Multidisciplinary Programs/ Multidisciplinary Programs after 2nd semester irrespective of their offering in any semester.
- 3. The student who select any Minor Course (MIC) of any discipline in first semester should study the Minor courses (MIC) in the same discipline in the subsequent semesters. However, while exercising the option for choosing Minor Vocational Course MIC (VOC), the student may opt the discipline either related to the discipline of Minor Course or the discipline of Major Course or any other discipline as per his/her choice.

Syllabi for Minor Courses for UG Program

Semester - I

Session: 2024-25

Name of Program		Program Code	
Name of the Course	English Prose and	Course Code	24ENG401MI01
	Poetry-I		
Hours per Week	04	Credits	04 (L- 4-T- 0-P- 0)
Maximum Marks	70+30=100	Time of	3 Hours
		Examination	

Note:

Question No 1 Students shall be required to attempt any four out of the given six selecting at least one from each unit.

Questions 2 and 3 shall be essay type Questions from Unit I and II with internal Choice. Questions 4 and 5 shall be do as directed (any 10 out of given 16) from Unit 3 and 4 each.

Course Learning Outcomes (CLO):

CLO 1 Appreciate various aspects of Prose and Poetry

CLO 2. Grasp and recognize the interlinkages of language and literature

CLO 3. Comprehend different forms and techniques of short fiction

Unit 1:

Prose

- 1. Education Provides a Solid Foundation by APJ Abdul Kalam
- 2. Toasted English by R.K. Narayan
- 3. In Sahyadri Hills, A Lesson in Humility by Sudha Murty
- 4. My Greatest Olympic Prize / Jesse Owens

Unit 2:

- 1. The Quality of Mercy / William Shakespeare
- 2. Woman Work/ Maya Angelou
- 3. Say Not the Struggle Not Availeth/ Arthur Huge Clough
- 4. Success is Counted Sweetest / Emily Dickinson

Unit 3: Grammar

Articles

Preposition

Types of Sentences

Transformation and Synthesis of Sentences

Unit 4:

- 1. Phrasal Verbs
- 2. Concord
- 3. Determiners
- 4. Commonly Confused Words

References:

High School English Grammar and Composition. Wren and Martin

A Remedial English Grammar for Foreign Students. F.T. Wood

A Novel Beginning. Board of Editors. Urmila Dabir et al. Orient Blackswan

Initiations: Minor Literary Forms and Basics of Phonology. Board of Editors. Ashok Chaskar

et al. Orient Blackswan

Inspirations. Board of Editors. B.B Choubey et al. Orient Blackswan

Pathmaker: A Textbook for College Students. Board of Editors. Dr. Shriram Gahane et al. Orient Blackswan.

Rhymes and Sketches. Board of Editors. D.V.Naik et al. Orient Blackswan.

New Horizons. Board of Editors. Prof. Rajinder et al. Orient Blackswan.

Igniting Minds. Board of Editors. Inderjeet K Orke et al. Orient Blackswan.

Exploring New Horizons. Board of Editors. Orient Blackswan.

Literary Experiences. Board of Editors. Orient Blackswan.

Exploring New Horizons. Board of Editors. Orient Blackswan.

Semester - II

Session: 2024-25

Name of Program		Program Code	
Name of the Course	English Prose and Poetry-II	Course Code	24ENG402MI01
Hours per Week	04	Credits	04 (L- 4-T- 0-P- 0)
Maximum Marks	70+30=100	Time of Examination	3 Hours

Note:

Question No 1 Students shall be required to attempt any four out of the given six selecting at least one from each unit.

Questions 2, 3 and 5 shall be essay type Questions from Unit 1, 2 and 4 with internal Choice. Questions 4 shall be do as directed (any 14 out of given 20) from Unit 3.

Course Learning Outcomes (CLO):

CLO 1 Appreciate various aspects of Prose and Poetry

CLO 2. Ability to appreciate polemics

CLO 3. Comprehend different forms and techniques of short fiction

Unit 1:

Prose

- 1. Speeches at the World's Parliament of Religions/ Swami Vivekanand
- 2. The Function of Education/ JidduKrishnamurty
- 3. The Gold Frame / R. K. Laxman
- 4. How I became a Public Speaker/ *G.B.Shaw*

Unit 2:

Poetry

- 1. The World is Too Much with Us / William Wordsworth
- 2. On His Blindness/ John Milton
- 3. Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening/ Robert Frost
- 4. Ode on Solitude/ Alexander Pope

Unit 3: Grammar

Subject-Verb Agreement Voice Narration

Unit 4:

- 1. Social and Official Correspondence
- 2. Enquiries, Complaints and Replies
- 3. Letter Writing, Standard Business Letter, Email Drafting and Etiquettes
- 4. Social Appeals in the Form of Letters and Pamphlets

References:

High School English Grammar and Composition. Wren and Martin

A Remedial English Grammar for Foreign Students. F.T. Wood

A Novel Beginning. Board of Editors. Urmila Dabir et al. Orient Blackswan

Emanating Voices. Board of Editors. Ajiet Ravikant Jachak et al. Orient Blackswan.

Unheard Melodies. Board of Editors. Dr Kishan. V. Mehare et al. Orient Blackswan.

Pathmaker: A Textbook for College Students. Board of Editors. Dr. Shriram Gahane et al. Orient Blackswan.

New Horizons. Board of Editors. Prof. Rajinder et al. Orient Blackswan.

Igniting Minds. Board of Editors. Inderjeet K Orke et al. Orient Blackswan.

Magnificence. Board of Editors. Orient Blackswan

From Elizabethan Age to the Restoration. Board of Editors. Orient Blackswan.

Exploring New Horizons. Board of Editors. Orient Blackswan.

Semester - III

Session: 2025-26

Name of Program		Program Code						
Name of the Course	One Act Play	Course Code	25ENG403MI01					
	(English)							
Hours per Week	04	Credits	04 (L- 4-T- 0-P- 0)					
Maximum Marks	70+30=100	Time of	3 Hours					
		Examination						
Note:								
each out of the given s	ix selecting at least of shall be essay type	o attempt any four Short one from each unit. questions with internal						
 Course Learning Outcomes (CLO): CLO 1 The students shall be able to understand drama as a medium of interpersonal and cultural communication CLO 2. The students shall be able to demonstrate abilities to appreciate and critically evaluate English Drama CLO 3. The students shall be able to explore and appreciate various innovations in dramatic Techniques. 								
Unit 1:								
Anton Chekov : The P								
From Lovely Woods (C	Drient Blackswan)							
Unit 2:								
O' Henry : <i>While the A</i>								
From Lovely Woods (C	Drient Blackswan)							
Unit 3:								
J.M. Synge ; <i>Riders to the Sea</i>								
From Lovely Woods (C)rient Blackswan)							
Unit 4:								
Stanley Houghten :								
The Dear Departed								
From Lovely Woods (C	Drient Blackswan)							
References:)							
	Banham E. Martin. The Cambridge Guide to the Theatre							
Gaskell, Ronald. Drama and Reality: The European Theatre since lbsen								
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Semester - IV

Session: 2025-26

Name of Program		Program Code						
Name of the	Fundamentals of	Course Code	25ENG404MV01					
Course	Analytical Reading							
	and Writings							
Hours per Week	04	Credits	04 (L- 4-T- 0-P- 0)					
Maximum Marks	70+30=100	Time of	3 Hours					
		Examination						
Note:								
			rt notes (100-150) words					
	six selecting at least o							
	d 5 shall be essay type	questions with interna	l choice.					
All questions carry e								
Course Learning O								
			rical or persuasive writing					
			riting that is followed the					
	that they are able to ic							
	*	e (in the course reader) as a					
*		o connect and synthesized	ze multiple texts around an					
issue or an ide								
			rthiness, argumentative					
			peals to be able to create and					
	wn arguments through	effective rhetorical stra	ategies.					
Unit 1:	1 3 3 7							
Rhetorical Reading	and writing							
• Purpose								
• Subject								
Audience								
• Context								
Unit 2:								
Reading Process								
• Foregrounding								
Annotating								
Vocabulary Build	ding							
 Note-taking 								
Outlining								
Summarizing								
Unit 3:								
Writing Process								
• Free Writing								
• Paraphrase								
• Summary								
Outlining								
 Drafting 	Drafting							

• Drafting

Unit 4:

Short Story

- 1. Ismat Chughtai: "The Veil"
- 2. Rabindranath Tagore: "The Postmaster"
- 3. Saki (H.H.Munro): "The Open Window"

The Poems

- i) Robert Frost: "The Road Not Taken"
- ii) Kamla Das: "My Grandmother's House"
- iii) Dylan Thomas: "Do not Go Gentle into the Night"

References:

The Aims of Argument. Crusius, Timothy and Carolyn Channell. Mayfield Publishing.1995.

Critical Thinking: An Introduction to Analytical Reading and Reasoning. Larry Wright.

Writing Analytically with Readings (2nd Edition) David Rosenwasser and Jill Stephen.

Fundamentals of Analytic Reading: A Guide for Teachers Created by Samantha Hedges and Joshua Kieffer

Analytical Reading Unleashed: Delve into deeper Comprehension by Blooms OUP

The Word on College Reading and Writing by Carol Burnell, Jaime Wood, Monique Babin, Susan Pesznecker, and Nicole Rosevear (chapter "Annonate and Take Notes")

Reading Rhetorically, 4th Edition. By John C. Bean, Virginia A. Chappel and Alice M. Gilliam. Pearson/ Longman. 2007

A Handbook for Analytical Writing: Keys to Strategic Thinking by William . E. Winner

Write What Matters by Liza Long. 2020

About Writing: A Guide by Robin Jeffrey. 2017.

Skimming and Scanning. Writing Advice. Freedman, L. (2012). Retrieved from <u>http://advice.writing.utoronto.ca/researching/skim-and-scan/</u>

The Bedford handbook (7th ed.). Hacker, Diana. (2006). New York: St. Martin's. Retrieved from <u>https://department.monm.edu/english/mew/signal_phrases.htm</u>

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		Session:		I				
Name of Pro		E	Program Code	2(ENIC 405M3/01				
Name of the	eCourse	Fundamentals of Content Writing	Course Code	26ENG405MV01				
Hours per V	Veek	04	Credits	04 (L- 4-T- 0-P- 0)				
Maximum N	Marks	70+30=100	Time of Examination	3 Hours				
each out of t Questions 2 All questions	he given s , 3, 4 and 3 s carry equ		from each unit.					
CLO 1 CLO 2 CLO 3 CLO 4	 application to written content will be developed CLO 2 Proficiency in various writing styles and formats such as articles, website content, social media posts, blog posts etc. will be developed CLO 3 Students will be able to build a portfolio of diverse writing samples that will showcase their skills and attract potential clients or employers 							
Unit 1: Basics of Co		iting pt of Content Writing an	d its relevance					
		unctions of Content Wri						
3. F	Print and W	Veb Content Writing						
4. 5	Scope and	Types of Content Writin	g					
5. F	Principles a	and processes of content	writing					
Unit 2:								
Types of Co		iting s of Content Writing–ge	tting the brief, ideating,	researching,				
S	structuring, formatting							
2. H	2. Editing and Proof-Reading, market research							
3.	Advertisin	g, Newspapers						
4. V	Writing blo	ogs, case studies						
5. (Corporate (Communications Writ	ing for business to busin	ness (B2B), business				
t	o consume	er (B2C), press releases,	newsletters					

Unit 3:

A. Visual Content

- 1. Infographics-Importance and relevance
- 2. Images, Screenshots
- 3. Videos, Memes

B. Interactive Content

- 1. Quizzes
- 2. Polls

Unit 4: Tools of the Trade A. Social Media

Understanding the basics of social media

Understanding social media content writing

B. Plagiarism laws in Content Writing

What is plagiarism, rules on plagiarism

How to write plagiarism-free copies

References:

Content Writing Step-by-step. Robinson Joseph. Amazon digital services LLC--KDP print US, 2020.

Creative Writing: A Beginner's Manual by Delhi University (Author) -Paperback 1

Writing for the Web: Creating Compelling Web Content Using Words, Pictures, and Sound. Feldar, Lynda. New Riders, CA, USA.

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Six-Figure Blogging Blueprint by Raza Imam

McGraw-Hill's Proofreading Handbook by Laura Anderson

Quick Guide to Proofreading | *What, Why and How to Proofread* by Shona McCombers. 2019. Revised in 2023

Business Communication by Hori Sankar Mukerjee, OUP. 2016.

The Advertising Handbook by Sean Brierley, Jonathan Hardy, Iain Macrury and Helen Powell. Routledge. 2018.

The Power of Visual Storytelling by Ekaterina Walter and Jessica Gioglio

Infographics: The Power of Visual Storytelling. By Jason Lankow, Josh Ritchie and Ross Crooks. Wiley Publishers. 2012

Visual Content Marketing: Leveraging Infographics, Video and Interactive Media to Attract and Engage Customers. By Stephen Gamble. 2016

2 Types of Visual Content and How They Can Enhance Your Marketing Efforts by Amy Sorter

The Power of Visuals in Blogging: How to Use Images, Videos, and Infographics to Enhance Your Content by AI Contentfy team

Understanding Social Media. by Sam Hinton and Larissa Hjorth. 2013.

The Social Media Bible by Lon Safko

The Art of Social Media: power tips for power users by Guy Kawasaki and Peg Fitzpatrick. 2014.

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Syllabi for Under Graduate Programme in Single Major in English Semester - VI

Session: 2026-27

Name of Program		Program Code						
Name of the Course	Introduction to Indian	Course Code	26ENG406MV01					
function the course	Theatre And Performance		2011101000011001					
Hours per Week	04	Credits	04 (L- 4-T- 0-P- 0)					
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Maximum Marks	70+30=100	Time of	3 Hours					
		Examination						
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	ix selecting at least one from		Nino					
All questions carry equ	5 shall be essay type question	is with internal cho	Jice.					
Course Learning Out								
	be able to identify various dra	amatic traditions ir	n India					
	nto the history and evolution							
	o analyse plays in a critical a		-					
Unit 1:	5 1 5		1					
	by Manomohan Ghosh)	C						
Unit 2:	•							
,	Trends in Indian Theatre sind	ce Independence m	ovement.					
	Forms / Types of Indian The	atre.						
Unit 3:								
Mohan Rakesh	Halfway House (Aadhe Adhu	ure; translated from	n Hindi by Bindu					
Batra)								
Unit 4:								
Manjula Padmanabhan	Harvest							
References:								
	· A Critical Study by S Krist	nna Bhatta						
6	Indian English Drama: A Critical Study by S. Krishna Bhatta Modern Indian Drama: An Anthology edited by G.P. Deshpande							
	e: A Reader by Nandi Bhatia	-						
	New Directions in Indian Drama edited by Sudhakar Pandey and Freya Barua							
	Perspectives on Indian Drama in English edited by M.K. Naik and S. Mokashi Punekar							
The Theory of Drama	e ·							
The Use of Drama by]								
• •	nce: Drama, Theory, and U	rban Performance	in India since 1947 by					
Aparna Dharwa								
Theory of Drama: Con	<i>uparative Study of Aristotle a</i>	<i>and Bharata</i> by R.M	N. Rai					

Syllabi for Minor Courses for UG Program

Semester - VII

Session: 2027-28

Name of Program		Program Code	
Name of the Course	Leadership and	Course Code	24ENG201MV01
	Personality Development		
Hours per Week	04	Credits	04 (L- 4-T- 0-P- 0)
Maximum Marks	70+30=100	Time of	3 Hours
		Examination	

Note:

Question No 1 Students shall be required to attempt any four Short notes (100-150) words each out of the **given six** selecting at least one from each unit.

Questions 2, 3, 4 and 5 shall be essay type questions with internal choice.

All questions carry equal marks.

Course Learning Outcomes (CLO):

CLO 1. competence to identify and differentiate between various leadership styles

CLO 2. understanding of prominent leadership theories and their relevance to personality development

CLO 3. Students will learn effective communication strategies for leadership success, including active

listening, empathy, persuasion, and conflict resolution techniques

Unit 1:

Leadership: Definition and meaning, Importance, Leadership and Management, Essential qualities of an effective leader

Unit 2:

Theories of Leadership: Trait theory, Behavioral theories, Contingency theory

Unit 3:

Types of Leaders, Leadership styles: Traditional, Transactional, Transformational, Inspirational; Emerging issues in leadership: Emotional Intelligence and leadership, Gender and Leadership.

Unit 4:

Personality: Concept and Definition, Determinants of personality, Personality traits, Personality characteristics in organizations: Self evaluation, Self-efficacy, Self-esteem,

References:

- 1. Organisational Behaviour, M. Parikh and R. Gupta, Tata McGraw Hill Education Private Limited.
- 2. Organizational Behaviour, D. Nelson, J.C. Quick and P. Khandelwal, Cengage Publications.

Semester – VIII							
	Session	2027-28					
Name of Program		Program Code					
Name of the Course	English Language	Course Code	24ENG202MV01				
	Teaching Skills						
Hours per Week	04	Credits	04 (L- 4-T- 0-P- 0)				
Maximum Marks	70+30=100	Time of Examination	3 Hours				
Note:		I					
Question No 1 Student	s shall be required to at	empt any four Short n	otes (100-150) words				
	ix selecting at least one						
Questions 2, 3, 4 and 5	5 shall be essay type que	estions with internal ch	noice.				
All questions carry equ	al marks.						
Course Learning Out							
	e central principles of Te						
	ills of Teaching English						
	ifferent classroom mana	igement techniques					
CLO 4. Teach English							
CLO 5. Make use of Technology for Teaching English							
Unit 1:							
-	ching English as a Second						
	ls and Levels of Teaching	English					
Unit 2:							
	n of Grammar Teaching						
2. Teaching Writing	g Skills						
Unit 3:	· Litanatura (Duana Daatur	Eistign & Dugma)					
	Literature (Prose, Poetry	, Fiction & Drama)					
2. Lesson Planning							
3. Teaching English	n for Employment						
Unit 4:	ann ant Tashnismas						
1. Classroom Mana							
	2. Assessment & Evaluation						
3. ICT-Based English Language Teaching							
 References: Raymond Murphy. Essential English Grammar, Cambridge University Press, 2015. Penny Ur. A Course in English Language Teaching, Cambridge University Press, 1999. M.L. Tickoo. Teaching and Learning English: A Sourcebook for Teachers and Teacher- Trainers. Orient Blackswan Private Limited, 2013. N. Krishna Swamy & Lalitha Krishna Swamy. Teaching English: Approaches Methods and Techniques. Macmillan India Limited, 2005. 							

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