

Government College Bahadurgarh

Department of English

English Major

Semester 1

Month-wise Lesson Plan (July – November)

July

Unit 1: Introduction to Poetry and Literary Terms

Lyric, Sonnet, Blank Verse, Ballad, Epic
Allegory, Elegy, Hymn, Parody, Satire, Ode, Dramatic Monologue
Figures of Speech, Tone, Sound, Language, Diction
Myth, Symbols, Imagery

August

Unit 2: Geoffrey Chaucer

Introduction
Prologue to the Canterbury Tales (Lines 1–100)
Discussion on Middle English background and Chaucer's style

September

Unit 3 (Part I): Edmund Spenser, Amoretti

Sonnet IV: "New yeare forth looking out of Ianus gate"
Sonnet VII: "Fayre eyes, the myrroure of my mazed hart"
Sonnet XIX: "The merry Cuckow, messenger of Spring"

October

Unit 3 (Part II): William Shakespeare, Sonnets

Sonnet 18: "Shall I compare thee to a summer's day?"
Sonnet 116: "Let me not to the marriage of true minds"
Sonnet 130: "My mistress' eyes are nothing like the sun"

November

Unit 4: John Donne (Metaphysical Poetry)

"The Good Morrow"
"The Sun Rising"
"Batter My Heart"

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Semester 3

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July

Unit 1: E.M. Forster – Aspects of the Novel

Introduction to the novel as a literary form

Forster's key ideas: Story, People, Plot, Fantasy, Prophecy, Pattern, and Rhythm

August

Unit 2: Aphra Behn – Oroonoko: or, the Royal Slave

Background: Restoration and Colonial context

Reading and discussion of the text

Themes: Slavery, race, gender, politics of power

September

Unit 3 (Part I): Daniel Defoe – Robinson Crusoe

Historical context and Defoe's narrative style

Reading and analysis (early chapters)

Themes: Survival, individualism, colonialism

October

Unit 3 (Part II): Daniel Defoe – Robinson Crusoe

Continuation and conclusion of text study

Critical perspectives on imperialism and religion

Unit 4 (Beginning): Henry Fielding – Joseph Andrews

Introduction and narrative style

November

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Reading and analysis of the text

Themes: Morality, satire, realism, and social critique

Revision and Examination Preparation

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Unit 1: Basics of Communication

- * Introduction and Scope of Communication
- * Effective Communication
- * Verbal and Non-Verbal Communication
- * Process of Communication
- * Barriers of Communication

August

Unit 2 (Part I): Grammar and Sentence Structures

- * Subject–Verb Agreement
- * Simple, Complex, Compound, and Compound–Complex Sentences

September

Unit 2 (Part II): Vocabulary and Usage

- * Phrasal Verbs, Idioms and Phrases, One-word Substitution
- * Homophones, Homonyms, and Homographs

October

Unit 3: Writing and Communication Skills

- * Comprehension Skills
- * Précis Writing, Report Writing, Essay Writing
- * Preparing Bio-data/Resume/CV
- * Interview, Presentation Skills, and Group Discussion

November

Unit 4: Soft Skills and Personality Development

- * Time Management and Stress Management
 - * Leadership Skills
 - * Problem Solving
 - * Personality Development and Emotional Quotient
- Revision and Examination Preparation

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Unit 1: Aristotle – Classical Theory of Tragedy

- * The Concept of Hero
- * The Epic
- * Six Elements of Tragedy

August

Unit 2 (Part I): Natyashastra – Classical Indian Performance Theory

Chapter I: Origin of Drama (Nāṭya)
Comparative discussion: Greek vs. Indian perspectives

September

Unit 2 (Part II): Natyashastra

Chapter VI: Sentiments (Rasa)
Applications of Rasa theory in Indian aesthetics

October

Unit 3: William Shakespeare – Julius Caesar

- * Historical background and dramatic structure
- * Reading, analysis, and discussion of major scenes
- * Themes: Power, betrayal, fate vs. free will

November

Unit 4: Vishakhadatta – Mudrarakshasa

- * Historical and cultural background
 - * Study of plot, characters, and political intrigue
 - * Themes: Statecraft, loyalty, and ethics
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Unit 1 (Prose)

- * Education Provides a Solid Foundation – A.P.J. Abdul Kalam
- * Toasted English – R.K. Narayan

August

Unit 1 (Prose continued)

- * In Sahyadri Hills, A Lesson in Humility – Sudha Murty
- * My Greatest Olympic Prize – Jesse Owens

September

Unit 2 (Poetry)

- * The Quality of Mercy – William Shakespeare
- * Woman Work – Maya Angelou
- * Say Not the Struggle Nought Availeth – Arthur Hugh Clough
- * Success is Counted Sweetest – Emily Dickinson

October

Unit 3 (Grammar)

- * Articles
- * Prepositions
- * Types of Sentences
- * Transformation and Synthesis of Sentences

November

Unit 4 (Grammar & Vocabulary)

- * Phrasal Verbs
- * Concord
- * Determiners
- * Commonly Confused Words
- * Revision and Examination Preparation

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July

Unit 1 (Prose)

Speeches at the World's Parliament of Religions – Swami Vivekananda
The Function of Education – Jiddu Krishnamurti

August

Unit 1 (Prose continued)

The Gold Frame – R.K. Laxman
How I Became a Public Speaker – G.B. Shaw

September

Unit 2 (Poetry)

The World is Too Much with Us – William Wordsworth
On His Blindness* – John Milton

October

Unit 2 (Poetry continued)

Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening – Robert Frost
Ode on Solitude – Alexander Pope

November

Unit 3 (Grammar)

Subject–Verb Agreement
Voice
Narration
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July

Unit 1 (Phonetics and Stress)

- * Syllable and Stress: role of stress, primary and secondary stress
- * Marking primary stress on commonly used words
- * Transcription of commonly used multisyllabic words
- * Intonation: concepts and uses (rising, falling, rising–falling, falling–rising tones)

August

Unit 2 (Grammar – Part I)

- * Clauses: Noun, Adjective, Adverbial, Conditional
- * Verbs: Finite / Non-Finite, Infinitive, Gerund, Participles

September

Unit 2 (Grammar – Part II)

- * Modals
- * Tense

October

Unit 3 (Writing Skills)

- * Introduction to Writing Skills and Mechanics of Writing
- * Barriers to Effective Writing and Steps to Overcome Them

November

Unit 4 (Applied Writing)

- * Paragraph Writing: Descriptive, Argumentative, Expository
- * Dialogue Writing
- * Letter Writing
- * Email Writing
- * Blog Writing

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