

Board of Secondary Education, Rajasthan, Ajmer

Revised Syllabus for Exam 2022

Sub : English Literature

Sub Code : 20

Time : 3.15 Hours

Marks : 100

| Areas of Learning | Marks |
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| Reading (An unseen passage and a poem) | 20 |
| Writing | 20 |
| Textbook : WOVEN WORDS | 30 |
| Drama : JULIUS CAESAR | 10 |
| Fiction : THE GUIDE | 10 |
| Literary Terms : Elegy, Epic, Sonnet, Ode, Lyric, Ballad, Satire, Fiction, Melodrama, Monologue | 05 |
| Figures of Speech : Simile, Metaphor, Alliteration, Onomatopoeia, Personification, Paradox, Oxymoron, Euphemism, Epithet, Antithesis | 05 |

- 1. Reading (an unseen passage and a poem) 20**
 - (a) A passage for comprehension with some exercise and vocabulary of about 300 words. 12
 - (b) An extract from a poem of about 14-15 lines questions will be such as word formation and inferring word meaning and explanation or summary of it. 08
- 2. Writing 20**
 - (a) An essay out of three on argumentative/discursive/reflective/or descriptive topic (150 words) 07
(Students should be taught all kinds of essays. Any one can be asked)
 - (b) A composition such as an article, a report, a speech (100 words) 07
(Students should be taught all kinds of compositions. Any one can be asked)
 - (c) Formal Letters/applications and Informal letters.
(Formal letters : to the editor giving suggestions, opinions on an issue of social or public interest. Informal letters; personal

letters. 06
(Students should be taught all kinds of letters. Any one
can be asked)

3. Text for detailed study : Woven Words 30

Prose

- (a) A passage for comprehension of about 150 words from the text-
book with short answer type questions testing deeper inter-pretation
and drawing inferences. $1 \times 6 = 06$
- (b) Two textual questions out of three (in about 80 words) $2 \times 4 = 08$
- (c) Two short answer type textual questions out of three (60 words) $2 \times 3 = 06$

Poetry

- (a) One extract from the prescribed poems for comprehension and
literary interpretation. 04
- (b) Two out of three questions on the prescribed poems for appreciation
to be answered in 60-80 words. 06

Book : Woven Words

- **Short Stories :**

- 1-The Lament
- 2-A Pair of Mustachios
- 3-The Adventure of the Three Garrideles
- 4-The Third and Final Continent
- 5-Glory At Twilight
- 6-The Luncheon

- **Poetry :**

- 1-The Peacock
- 2-The World is Too Much with Us
- 3-Mother Tongue
- 4-For Elkana
- 5-Felling of The Banyan Tree
- 6-Ode To A Nightingale
- 7-Ajamil and The Tigers

- **Essays :**

- 1-My Watch
- 2-My Three Passions
- 3-Patterns of Creativity
- 4-Tribal Verse
- 5-What is a Good Book ?
- 6-The Story

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| 4. Drama : Julius Caesar | 10 |
| One out of two questions to be answered in about 150 words to test the evaluation of characters, events and episodes. | |
| 5. Fiction : The Guide | 10 |
| (a) One textual question to be answered in about 75 words for interpersonal relationship. | 06 |
| (b) Two out of three textual short answer type questions to be answered in about 40 words on content, events and episodes. | 04 |
| 6. Literary Terms | 05 |
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| 7. Figures of Speech | 05 |
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Deleted Chapter/Unit Details for Exam 2022

Book : Woven Words

- **Short Stories :**

- 1-The Rocking-Horse Winner
- 2-Pappachi's Moth

- **Poetry :**

- 1-Let me Not to the Marriage of True Minds
- 2-Coming
- 3-Telephone Conversation
- 4-Hawk Roosting
- 5-Refugee Blues

- **Essay :**

- 1-Bridges

Prescribed Books :

- 1. Textbook : Woven Words**—NCERT Book Published under Copyright.
- 2. Drama : Julius Caesar**—Board of Secondary Education, Rajasthan, Ajmer
- 3. Fiction : The Guide**—R.K. Narayan—Board of Secondary Education, Rajasthan, Ajmer