

BOARD OF SECONDARY EDUCATION RAJASTHAN
Revised Syllabus for Exam 2022

ENGLISH LITERATURE

SUB.CODE -20

Class 12

The Examination Scheme for the subject is as follows :

Paper	Time (Hrs.)	Marks for the Paper	Sessional	Total Marks
One	3.15	80	20	100

Paper One

Time : 3.15 Hours

80 Marks

Area of Learning	Marks
Reading	16
Writing	16
Literary Terms	06
Text Book : Kaleidoscope	32
Fiction : A Tiger for Malgudi	10

1. Reading **16**

(an unseen passage and poem)

- (a) One literary or discursive passage of about 400-500 words followed by short questions 08
- (b) A poem of about 15 lines followed by short questions to test interpretation and literary appreciation 08

2. Writing **16**

- (a) An Essay on argumentative/discursive/reflective or descriptive topic (150-200 words) 08
(Students should be taught all kinds of essays. Any one can be asked)
- (b) A Composition such as an article, report, speech (150-200 words) 08
(Students should be taught all kinds of compositions. Any one can be asked)

3. Literary Terms **06**

Metaphysical Poetry, Impressionism, Stream of Consciousness, Interior Monologue, Anglo-Indian

Literature, Indo-Anglian Literature (Two out of four terms are to be attempted)

2×3=6

4. Text book for Detailed Study—Kaleidoscope **32**

Prose :

- (a) A passage for comprehension from the textbook with three short answer type questions testing comprehension, interpretation and drawing inferences in prose. 2×3=6
- (b) One out of two textual questions to be answered in 100 words testing global comprehension, etc. 06

- (c) One out of two textual questions to be answered in about 60 words testing comprehension, characterisation, interpretation, etc. 04

Poetry :

- (a) One out of two extracts from the prescribed poems with three short answer questions for comprehension, interpretation and drawing inferences in poem. 3×2=6
- (b) One out of two textual questions to be answered in 100 words testing global comprehension, etc. 06
- (c) One out of two textual questions to be answered in about 60 words testing comprehension, characterisation, interpretation, etc. 04

5. Fiction 10

- (a) One out of two textual questions to be answered in about 60 words seeking comments, interpretation, etc. 04
- (b) One out of two textual questions in about 100 words to test evaluation and appreciation of characters, events, episodes and interpersonal relationships. 06

Chapters included in the syllabus for the examination 2022 from the text book

Book : Kaleidosecape : (short stories)

I sell my dreams

Eveline

Tomorrow

Poetry :

A lecture upon the shadow

Poems by millon

poems by beake

Kubla khan

Trels

The wild swans of coole

Non- Fiction:

Freedom

The mark on the wall

The argumentative india

On science fiction

Chapters Deleted in the syllabus for the examination 2022 from the text book

Book : Kaleidosecape :

Short stories :

A wedding in brownsville

One centimetre

poetry:

Time and time again

Blood

Non- Fiction:

Film making

Why the novel matters

Books Prescribed :

1. **Kaleidoscope**—NCERT's Book Published under copyright
2. **A Tiger for Malgudi**—Published by Rajasthan Textbook Board, Jaipur