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ORDINANCE : B.A./B.SC./B.COM.(HONOURS) EXAMINATION

1. The Bachelor of Arts(Hons.), the Bachelor of Science (Hons.) and the Bachelor of Commerce (Hons.) Examinations shall be in three parts. Part-I Examination shall be held at the end of the first year Part-II Examination at the end of the second year and Part-III Examination at the end of the third year.

The Examinations in Part-I,II & III shall be held once a year, ordinarily in the month of April/May, on such dates as may be fixed by the Vice-Chancellor.

A supplementary Examination for those who are to re-appear in one or more subsidiary or/and qualifying subject in Part-III shall be held ordinarily in the month of September/October of the same year on a date to be fixed by the Vice-Chancellor.

- 2.(a) No one shall be eligible to join the first year (Part-I) class of B.A./B.Sc./B.Com. (Hons.) Course unless he/she has passed (a) Senior Secondary Certificate (10+2) Examination of Haryana Board of School Education, Bhiwani or (b) B.A./B.Sc./B.Com./B.Sc. (Home Science) Part-I Examination, as the case may be under old scheme of this University; or (c) any other Examination recognised by this University as equivalent to (a) or (b) above, obtaining:
 - i) For admission to B.A. (Hons.) 50% marks in aggregate or 50% marks in the subject of Hons. course.
 - ii) For B.Sc. (Hons.) 60% marks in aggregate and 65% marks in the subjects of Hons. Course.
 - iii) For B.Com. (Hons.)55% marks in aggregate or 55% marks in the subject of Hons. Course.

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b) No one shall be eligible to join the 2nd year (Part-II), class of the B.A./B.Sc./B.Com. (Hons.) course unless he has passed First year (Part-I) Exam.of the B.A./B.Sc./B.Com. (Hons.) under new scheme of this University.

- c) No one shall be eligible to join the third year (Part-III), class of the B.A./B.Sc./B.Com. (Hons.) Course of this University, unless he had passed 2nd year (Part-II) Exam. (Hons.) under new scheme of this University.
- d) A regular candidate of a Department/College admitted to the privileges of this University in the subject of B.A./B.Sc./B.Com./(Hons.) can attend the course of subsidiary and qualifying subjects in other College/Deptt. in case there is no arrangement to teach these subjects in the College/Deptt. where he has taken admission for his main subjects of Hons. Course. The Principal/Head of the College/Deptt. where a student is attending subsidiary and qualifying subjects shall certify that the said student has completed the prescribed number of lectures etc.
- 3. The Examination in Part-I/Part-II/Part-III shall be open to person.
 - A. Who has passed not less than one academic year previously the requisite Examination as laid down in Clause-2 above.
 - B. i) who has been on the rolls of a University Teaching Deptt./College admitted to the privileges of this University throughout the academic year preceding the Examination.
 - ii) Whose name is submitted to the Registrar/Controller of Examinations by the Head of the Department/Principal of College he has last attended provided that the Head of the Department/Principal of the College certified that the candidate has:
 - a) attended not less than 75% of the full courses delivered to his class in each subject offered by him and 75% of the periods assigned to practical work in each Science subject.
 - (Lectures and Practical work shall be counted upto 21 days before the commencement of the Examination).
 - b) satisfactorily performed the work of his class; and

- c) Obtained not less than 25% marks in the aggregate of all the subject(s) paper(s) of the result of half yearly house examination held in November/December with 100 marks in each subject.
- 4. a) A student who is unable to appear in the Annual Examination due to shortage of attendance and has complied with the requirements of Clause-3 (b) (ii) (c) may be exempted from this requirement when he appears in the Examination in the following year or thereafter, after making up the deficiency in lectures.
 - b) A student who has completed the required percentage of Lectures and practicals may be permitted to appear in the Examination in the same year or the following year as an ex-student even if as a regular student he did not comply with the requirements of Clause-3 (b) (ii) (c).
 - i) For promotion from B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.(Hons). Part-I to Part-II a candidate shall be required to clear 50% of theory papers atleast one theory papers of the main subject and from part-II to Part-III he shall have to clear atleast 50% of the theory paper of the main subject of Part-I and Part-II taken together. While calculating 50% papers fraction may be ignored. For Example, if the number of papers is 5 the candidate will be required to clear atleast two papers. A student will be considered to have cleared Honours Paper(s) if he obtains atleast 40% marks in that/those paper(s).

Provided that a student joining Honours in the 2nd year may be allowed to clear the first year. Honours paper either in second year or in second and third year together.

ii) For promotion from Part-II to Part-III, a student shall be required to clear all the subsidiary/qualifying subjects of Part-I of the Honours Course even if such a subject is studied in 2nd year in terms of Clause-2 (b) (ii).

5. a) A student after passing B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.(Hons.)
Part-I Examination may be permitted to change over to the B.A./B.Sc./B.Com. Part-II Course within one month of the stsrt of admission to this course provided that the Principal of the College/Head of Department where he is studying, is statisfied that the student will be able to carry on with the new course.

Provided a student after passing B.Sc./B.Com. (Hons.) Part-I Examination shall have to a appear in the subject of English of B.A. Part-I alongwith B.A. Part-II Examination, unless he has already qualified in this subject.

- b) A student who joins.B.A. Part-II class may be allowed to change one or more of his elective subjects within one month of his joining B.A. Part-II Class.
- c) A candidate apearing in B.A. Part-II Privately may offer elective subjects other than taken by him for B.A. (Hons.) Part-I Examination.
- 6. The amount of admission fee shall be as under :-

Name of Examination	Regular students	Ex-students
1. B.A.(Hons.) I,II &III	100/-	110/-
2. B.Sc.(Hons.) I,II &III	120/-	130/-
3. B.Com.(Hons.) I,II &III	100/-	110/-

Plus Rs.10/- per practical subject for B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.(Pass & Hons.)

7. A candidate shall submit his admission application to the Registrar/Controller of Examinations on the prescribed form with the required certificates signed by the Head of the University Teaching Department/Principal of the college, the candidate has last attended, both in the case of students of University Teaching Departments/College admitted to the privileges of the University and ex-student.

- 8. i) The medium of instruction shall be:-
 - (a) Hindi in case of Hindi
 - (b) English in case of English, Physics, Chemistry and Maths:
 - (c) English/Hindi or Sanskrit in case of Sanskrit
 - (d) English/Hindi in case of other sbjects.
 - ii) The question papers will be set:
 - (a) in Hindi in case of Hindi
 - (b) in English in case of English, Physics, Chemistry and Maths:
 - (c) in English and Hindi in case of Sanskrit.
 - (d) English/Hindi in case of other subjects.
 - iii) The candidates shall write their answers:
 - (a) in Hindi in case of Hindi.
 - (b) in Hindi or English or Sanskrit in case of Sanskrit.
 - (c) in English in case of English, Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics, and
 - (d) in English or Hindi in case of other subjects.
- 9. The minimum number of marks required to pass shall be as under:
 - i) Main subject (Honours) 40% marks in the aggregate and 35% in each papers (written and practical separately).
 - ii) Qualifying and subsidiary subjects: 35% marks in each for qualifying and subsidiary subjects (written and practical separately)
- 10.i) A candidate who fails in one or more qualifying/subsidiary subjects(s) may be admitted to the supplementary exam, held in the same year and/or at the next annual Examination in the subjects(s) and if he passes in it he shall be deemed to have passed the examination.

A candidate who fails in one or more paper(s) of main subjects of Hons. Part-I/Part-II may be allowed on the recommendation of the Principal of the college/Head of the Deptt. concerned to appear/re-appear in the Examination in the papers(s) as an ex-student, without attending a fresh course of instructions within the period permissible to him to clear the papers of Hons. Part-III under clause-12.

- ii) A candidate who fails in an Examination or having been eligible fails to appear in an Examination, shall take the Examination as an ex-student according to the syllabus prescribed by the University for regular students appearing for the Examination provided that the syllabus for the candidates who are to re-appear in the Supplementary Examination to be held in September shall be the same as was in force for the regular student in the last Annual Examination.
- 11. A candidate who has completed the prescribed course of instruction in a recognised College/University Department for B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.(Hons.) Part-III Examination but does not appear in it or having appeared fails, may be allowed on the recommendation of the Principal of the College/Head of the University Deptt. concerned, two consecutive chances as an ex-student to appear/re-appear in the subject(s)/paper(s), as the case may be without attending a fresh course of instruction. While re-appearing in the Examination, the candidate shall be exempted from re-appearing in paper(s) and or practical(s) in which he has obtained at least 40 marks.

Provided that the candidate who does not pass the B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.(Hons.) Examination with the two consecutive chances as an ex-student, may be awarded B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.(Pass) Degree without division, if he obtains at least 35% marks in each qualifying/subsidiary subject, theory and practical separately and in each paper of the main(Honours) subject, theory and practical separately. Provided further that if he does not satisfy the conditions for the award of pass Degree without division as mentioned

above, he shall be declared to have failed in the Examination and shall be required to appear in the Examination denove, after attending the College/Department as a regular student.

12. The successful candidates of B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.(Hons.) Examination who obtain 60% marks or more in the aggregate of the main subject shall be placed in the first Division, those who obtain less than 60% marks but not less than 50% marks in the Second Division and those who obtain less than 50% marks in the Third Division. For the purpose of determining division at the end of Honours Part-III Examination the marks obtained by the candidate in the Hons. subject only at the Honours Part-I, Part-II and III Examination shall be taken in to account.

However the marks obtained in qualifying subjects and subsidiary subjects will be shown in the result card.

13. Six weeks after the termination of the Examination or as soon as thereafter as is possible, the Registrar/Controller of Examinations shall publish a list of the candidates who have passed the examination. Each successful candidate of B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.(Hons.) Examination shall received a Degree stating the division he obtains.

14. A candidate:

- i) Who has passed B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.(Hons.) Examination of this University or;
- ii) Who resides within the territorial jurisdiction of the University and has passed an Examination declared equivalent to the B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.(Hons.) Examination of this University may appear in a subsequent B.A./B.Sc./B.Com. subsidiary Examination in one or more subjects prescribed for the Examination except the subject in which he has passed the Examination.

A candidate appearing under this Clause shall sit for Part-I and Part-II Examination simultaneously and shall pay admission fee of as prescribed for to the whole examination and additional fee of Rs. 10/- per Science subject Provided that if

the candidate is appearing in a Science subject, he shall study in a College admitted to the previleges of this University for both Part-I and Part-II classes for atleast one academic year preceding the Examination.

The minimum percentage of marks required to pass in each subject shall be as given in Clause-9 above.

15. The candidates who have passed the B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.(Hons.) Examination in the second or third division be allowed to re-appear in one or more subject(s) (Theory papers only) of main subjects of the Part-I,II and Part-III Examination for improvement of division.

The candidates may also be allowed to improve their score of marks upto 45% in the same manner. However for improvement of division from III to II and to I as well as improvement of score of marks upto 45% only one chance shall be allowed.

Only two consecutive chances will be allowed for improvement. A candidate re-appearing in one or more subject(s)/paper(s) for the purpose of passing/improvement of division shall pay fee as for the whole examination.

The higher score in the paper(s)/subject(s) in which he re-appears for improvement will be taken into account towards the final result and the marks already obtained by the candidate in the paper(s)/subject(s) in which he has not opted to improve his result shall be carried forwarded. In case the candidate does not improve the division his result shall be declared as, Previous Result Stands.

16. Notwithstanding the integrated nature of this course which spread over than one academic year, the Ordinance in force at the time a student join the course shall hold good only for the Examination held during or at the end of the academic year and nothing in this Ordinance shall be deemed to debar the University, from amending the Ordinance and the amended Ordinance, if any shall apply to all students, whether old or new.

SCHEME OF EXAMINATION FOR B.A. (HONOURS) 1999—2000

		ls	t Year	lind	Year	Illrd	Year
S	ubjects	Main	Subsidiary/ Qualifying	Main	Subsi- diary	Main	Subsi- diary
1.	English	2	1+1	3	1	3	1
2.	Hindi	2	1+1	3	1	3	1
3.	Sanskrit	2	1 + 1	3	1	3	1
4.	History	2	1+1	3	1	3	1
5.	Pol. Sc.	2	1+1	3	1	3	1
6.	Economics	2	1+1	3	1	1	1
7.	Psycholog	y 3+1	1+1	3+1*	1	3+1*	1
8.	Geography	, 2	1+1	2 + 1*	1	2+1*	1
9.	Sociology	2	1 + 1	2	1	4	1
10.	Defence Studies	3	1 1	3+1*	1	3+1*	1
11.	Public Administration	2 a-	1+1	3	1	3	1
12.	Ancient Indian History, Culture & Archaeolo	2 gy	1+1	3	1	3	1

Qualifying Subjects

- 1. English
- 2. Hindi
- 3. Sanskrit
- 4. Panjabi
- 5. Urdu

^{*}These are the practical papers of the main subjects.

Subsidiary Subjects

Any one allied subject from the following:-

English
 Urdu
 Hindi
 French

15. Public Administration16. Sociology

3. Sanskrit

10. Economics

17. Geography

4. Music

11. Pol. Sc.

18. Defence Studies

5. Dance6. Punjabi

12. History13. Philosophy

19. Mathematics20. Home-Science

7. Fine Arts

14. Psychology

Note:

- 1. The same language cannot be offered as main subject as well as subsidiary and/or qualifying subjects.
- 2. The syllabus of subsidiary subjects except English is the same as prescribed for the elective subjects of B.A. Pass course. In case of English the syllabus will be of compulsory English subject of B.A. Pass course.
- 3. The syllabus of Qualifying subjects will be the same as prescribed for compulsory/elective Hindi, Punjabi, Sanskrit and Urdu of B.A.-I and Compulsory English of B.A.-I Pass Course.

SYLLABUS OF B.A. (HONOURS) IN ENGLISH FOR THE SESSION 1999-2000

OUTLINES OF TEST

Part-I Examination Ma	x. Mark	s Time
Paper-I Literary Forms and History		
of English Literature	100	3 Hrs.
Paper-II Poetry-I (From Shakespeare to Pope)	100	3 Hrs.
Part-II Examination		
Paper-III English Prose (From Bacon to Huxley) 10 0	3 Hrs.
Paper-IV Poetry II (Romantics to Moderns)	100	3 Hrs.
Paper-V Grammar and Contemporary English		
Usage	100	3 Hrs.
Part-III Examination		
Paper-VI Novel	100	3 Hrs.
Paper-VII Drama	100	3 Hrs.
Paper-VIII Criticism	100	3 Hrs.

DETAILED COURSES OF READING

Part-I Examination

Paper-I Literary Forms and History of English Literature

Max. Marks: 100

Time: 3 Hours

20 marks

Part-A History of English Literature from 16th to 19th Century. 80 marks

Part-B Literary forms and terms

Tragedy, Comedy, Satire, Irony, Epic, Ode,

Lyric, Ballad, Plot, Character, Simile,

Metapher, Paradox, Symbol, etc.

Note: (a) Students will be required to study the characteristics of different ages and various movements.

- (b) No detailed or critical full-length questions will be asked on individual authors or works, brief questions, however, may be asked on the historical significance of distinguished works.
- (c) Candidates will be required to answer five questions in all-four on History of Literature and one on Literary forms.

Books Prescribed

1.	W.H. Hudson	An Outline History of English Literature
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2. M.H. Abrams A Glossary of Literary Terms.

3. W.H. Hudson An Introduction to the Study of English Literature.

Suggested Readings

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1. E.L. Legouis A Short History of English Literature.

2. W.H. Hudson An Outline History of English Literature.

3. B. Ifor Evans A Short History of English Literature.

4. Rees English Literature.

5. M.H. Abrams A Glossary of Literary Terms.

Paper-II Poetry I (From Shakespeare to Pope) Max. Marks: 100
Time: 3 Hrs.

1. Shakespeare and Sonnets XVIII, LXV, LXXIII, CVI, CVII.

Spenser The Faerie Queene: Book I, Canto V,

Stanzas I to 17: Sonnets: 'One day I

wrote her name upon the Strand'. 'Mark

When She Smiles'

'Most glorious Lord of Life'

'The Good Morrow,' The Sun Rising,

'Valediction', 'Sweetest Love'.

3. Marvell 'To His Coy Mistress' The Garden'.

4. Milton Paradise Lost, Book I, 'On His Blindness'.

'On his Twentythird Birthday'.

5. Dryden Macflecknoe, 'Alexander's Feast'.

6: Pope An Epistle to Dr Arbuthno; from Essay on Criticism:

'Its Hard to say, if greater want of skill

Hills peep over hills and Alps on Alps ari e' From Essay on Man: Ep. II:

(a) 'Know then thyself and be a fool'.

(b) Whatever the passion, knowledge

and life's poor play is over.

Books Suggested

1. OUP

Fifteen Poets

2. Penguin Books The Penguin Book of English Poetry.

Note: Candidates will be required to answer five questions in all-one compulsory question of four items asking for explanation with reference to the context and four others.

The question paper will be so designed as to test the candidates, knowledge of the original texts.

Part II Examination

Paper-III English Prose (From Bacon to Huxley)

Max. Marks: 100

Time: 3 Hrs.

Note: The course is designed to acquaint the students with the development of English prose with particular emphasis on the growth of the essay.

Questions will be set on all the eight units. Students will be required to answer five questions. All question will carry equal marks.

There will be no question asking for explanation with reference to the Context. Instead, the candidates will be required to answer one compulsory question of four items so as to ensure that the candidates study the prescribed texts.

- 1. Francis Bacon
- i) of Studies (ii) of Ambition
- iii) of Travel.
- 2. Joseph Addison
- i) A Vision of Justice
- ii) The Exercise of the Fan
- iii) A Citizen's Diary
- 3. Charles Lamb
- i) Imperfect Sympathies
- ii) Poor Relations.
- iii) The Superannuated Man-
- iv) In Praise of Chimney-Sweepers.
- 4. William Hazlitt
- i) On Going a Journey.
- ii) On the Ignorance of the Learned
- iii) On Familiar Style.

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- 5. R.L. Stevenson
- i) Walking Tours,
- ii) An Apology for Idlers.
- iii) A Plea for Gas Lamps.
- 6. G.K. Chesterton
- i) A Defence of Nonsense
- ii) A Piece of Chalk
- iii) A Defence of Penny Dreadfuls
- 7. J.B. Priestley
- i) On Doing Nothing
- ii) My First Article
- iii) Seeing the Actors
- iv) Money for Nothing.
- Aldous Huxley
- i) Tragedy and the Whole Truth
- ii) Selected Snobberies.

Books Recommended

A Book of English Essays edited by Williams W.E. (Pellican) Paper-IV Poetry II (From Romantics to Moderns)

M.M. 100 Time: 3 Hours

Unit-I Wordsworth

'The Solitary Reaper' 'Tintern Abbey'. 'Daffodiles' 'Three Years she grew in sun and shower'.

Coleridge

'Frost at Midnight, 'Kubla Khan,

'Dejection: An Ode'.

Unit-II Shalley,

Keats

'Ode to a Nightingale', Ode on a Grecian

Urn'. Ode to Autumn.'

Unit-III Tennyson

'Ulysses', 'Lotos Eaters'.

Adonais

Browning

'My last Duchess'. The Last Ride

Together'. Porphyras Lover'.

Unit-IV W.B. Yeats

'Among the School Children', 'A Prayer for My Daughter'. : The Lake

Isle of Innisfree:

T.S. Eliot

'Hollow Men'.

Stephen Spender 'An Elementary School Classroom in a

Slum: 'A Man made World; 2 'To my

Daughter'.

Note: Candidates will be required to answer five questions in all one compulsory question of four item asking for explanation with reference to the context and four others.

The question paper will be so designed to test the candidate's knowledge of the original texts.

Paper-V Grammar and Contemporary English Usage

M. Marks: 100 Time: 3 Hrs.

- 1. Essay (about 450 words on a topic of Literary and Creative nature) 15 marks
- 2. Precis (Preferably of a newspaper editorial or some similar contemporary writing). 15 marks
- 3. Translation from Hindi to English,

10 marks

- 4. Grammar:
 - i) Introductory notions of Parts of Speech
 - ii) Verbs: (a) Main and auxiliaries
 - (b) Linking (or equative) intransitive & transitive
 - (c) Finite and non-finite.
 - (d) Sequences of Tenses.
 - iii) Word Order: Position and order of objects
 Substitute subjects 'Its' and 'there'
 Inversion of verb and subject after
 certain adverbs.
 Order of words in indirect questions.
 - iv) Noun Patterns.
 - v) Adjective Patterns,
 - vi) Adjective equivalents (a) Nouns,
 - (b Participles,
 - (c) Gerunds.
 - vii) Adverbs, adverbial particles and Adverb Phrases
 - (a) their Positions.
 - (b) Kinds: of Time, Place Manner. Frequency, Duration and Direction.

- viii) Prepositions: of time, place, direction: for and since, under, under-neath, below, beneath, over and above, between and among; describing people and their clothes; At; by; In; On; Out; of.
 - ix) Phrasal Verbs with be, do, make, come, bring, keep and let
 - x) Mood and modality
 - xi) Conjunctions-Co-ordinating and subordinating: 35 marks.
- B i) Types of sentences; simple, complex and compound with particular reference to Noun, Relative, Conditional and Co-ordinate clauses.
 - ii) Voice
 - iii) Narration
 - iv) Various concepts (Instructions, requests, invitations, suggestions, prohibition permission, probability, likelihood, possibility intention, obligation and necessity, promises, threats, wish, hope purpose and result, supposition) and ways in which they are expressed: 25 marks

Note: In questions on Grammar the students may for example, be asked:

- i) To form sentences of their own using the given material
- ii) To complete the given incomplete sentences;
- iii) To fill in the blanks.
- iv) To re-write the sentences with the desired changes;
- v) To make corrections in the given strings and/or
- vi) To pick up the correct answer out of four/five atternatives provided (Multiple-choice questions).

All/any of these questions may be based on isolated sentences or short paragraphs.

Books Prescribed:

- 1. Hornby, AS. Guide to Patterns and Usage in English (ELBS).
- 2. Graver, B.D. Advanced English Practice.
- 3. Corder, S. Pit. An Intermediate English Practice Book (Orient Longman).

Recommended Readings:

- 1. Vallins, G.H. Good English: How to write it (ELBS).
- 2. -do- Batter English.

3. Hudson W.H. An Introduction to the Study of English Literature.

4. Scaibsbye, Knud A Modern English Grammar (OUP).

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

A Handbook of English Grammar (ELBS).

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Paper-VI Nevel

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Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 100

1.	Jane Austen	Pride and Prejudice
2.	Charles Dickens	Oliver Twist
3.	Thomas Hardy	Mayor of Casterbridge
4.	Ernest Hemingway	Old Man and the Sea
5.	Aldous Huxley	Brave New World
6.	Bernard Malamud	The Assistant

Books Suggested

Forster, E.M. Aspects of the Novel.
 Kettle, Arnold 19th Century Novel, 1972.

3. -do- An Introduction to the English Novel 2 Vols. (Relevant Pages)

4. Daiches, David A critical History of English Liverature 4 Vols. (Relevant Pages)

5. Watt, Ian The Rise of the Novel.6. -do- The Victorian Novel.

7. Field, Leslie, A. and Bernard Malamud and the Critics, Joyce, W. 1970.

No'e: Questions will be set on all the six units. Students will be required to answer only five questions in all. All questions will carry equal marks.

There will be no question asking for explanation with reference to the context. Instead, the candidates will be required to answer one compulsory question on four items of significance. The purpose of this question is to ensure that the candidates study all the prescribed texts.

Paper-VII Drama Max. Marks: 100

Time: 3 Hours
Shakespeare Merchant of Venice

Othello

Webster Duchess of Malfi
Sheridan The School for Scandal

G.B. Shaw St. Joan

Tennessee Williams The Glass Managerie.

Books Suggested:

1. Nicoll, Allardyce The British Drama

2. Bradley, A.C. Shakespearean Tragedy.

3. Nelson, Benjamin Tennessee Williams: The Man and

His Work.

4. Falk, Signi The Reballious Puritan.

5. Pradbrook, M.C. Themes and Conventions of Elizabethan

Drama.

6. Halliday, E.E. A Shakespeare Companion.

7. Wain, John.(Ed.) A Casebook: Othallo.

8. Wilders, John (Ed.) A Casebook: Merchant of Venice.

9. Wilson, Collin. Bernard Shaw, Re-assessment.

10. Purdon, C.B. A Guide to the Plays of Bernard Shaw, 1963.

Note:-1. Candidates will be required to answer five questions in all, one compulsory and four others.

All the questions will carry equal marks.

2. To ensure textual study of the plays, there will be one compulsory question requiring the candidates to write critical notes/explanations on four items from the prescribed texts.

Paper-VIII Criticism

M.M.: 100

A. Theory of Criticism

Time: 3 hrs.

1. William Wordsworth Preface to the Lyrical Balleds.

2. S.T. Coleridge Sections on Fancy and Imagination

from Biographia Literaria.

3. Matthew Arnold Function of Criticism at the Present Time.

4. T.S. Eliot Function of Criticism.

B. Critical Evaluation of a prose piece/short poem/stanza in about 300 words.

Books Suggested:

1. W.H. Hudson An Indroduction to the Study of Literature.

2. James Reeves The Critical Sense.

3. I.A. Richards Practical Criticism.

Note: 1. The candidates will be required to answer five questions in all, four on part-A and one on part-B.

2. There will be no question asking for reference to the context.