## Syllabus for Ph.D/ URS Entrance Exam

## **Subject: - English**

#### Section - A

Unit- I Drama (10)

Unit- Il Poetry (10)

Unit- III Fiction (10)

Unit- IV Non-Fictional Prose (10)

# Note: - Questions will be based on British, American, African and Indian literature

Unit –V Regionalliterature from India (BhashaSahitya) (15)

### Section - B

Unit- VI Language: Basic concepts, theories and pedagogy. English in Use. - (10)

- (a) Formal
- (b) Informal

Unit- VIILiterary theory and criticism (emphasis on Cultural Studies): Indian, Western (20)

Unit - VIIIResearch Methods and Materials in English (15)

Basic concepts in research, research paper, literary article, hypothesis, synopsis, abstract, dissertation, thesis, planning the argument of the research paper, textual and critical references, primary and secondary sources, Qualitative and quantitative research, Materials and tools of research, Documentation: Bibliography and Webliography conventions, Language of Research: Euphemisms, Terms, Jargon, basics of discourse analysis, Proofreading, Editing of Research paper, basics of computer awareness, research culture and skills, Plagiarism.