

YVUCET – 2018: SYLLABUS

Test -108: English

Section-A (Marks-40)

POETRY

Title of the Poem

1. Dover Beach
2. Insensibility
3. Poem36
4. Home Coming

Name of the Poet

Matthew Arnold
Wilfred Owen
Rabindranath Tagore
Parthasarathy

PROSE

1. Spoken English and Broken English
2. Conjuror's Revenge
3. Prospects of Democracy
4. I Have a Dream

G. B. Shaw
Stephen Leacock
Dr. B. R. Ambedkar
Martin Luther King

FURTHER READING

Short Stories

1. How Far is the River
2. Little Girls are Wiser than Men

Ruskin Bond
Leo Tolstoy

One-Act Plays

1. Sacrifice (The Last Act only)
2. Merchant of Venice (The Casket Scene only)

Rabindranath Tagore
William Shakespeare

Language Study

1. Comprehension Passage
2. Verb Forms (Tenses)
3. Synonyms, Antonyms,
4. Correction of sentences
5. Idioms
6. One-Word Substitutes

Section-B (Marks -30)

POETRY

Title of the Poem

1. Solitary Reaper
2. The Road Not Taken

Name of the Poet

William Wordsworth
Robert Frost

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| 3. Refugee Mother and Child | Chinua Achebe |
| 4. I Will Embrace Only the Sun | Tripuraneni Srinivas |

PROSE

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| 1. Film-Making | Satyajit Ray |
| 2. Not Just Oranges | Isai Tobolsky |
| 3. On Shaking Hands | A. G. Gardiner |
| 4. India's Contribution to world Unity | Arnold Toynbee |

NON DETAIL

Short Stories

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| 1. Gajar Halwa | Gita Hariharan |
| 2. My Brother, My Brother | Norah Burke |

One-Act Plays

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| 1. The Never-Never Nest | Cedric Mount |
| 2. Refund | Fritz Karinthe |

Written Communication and Composition

1. Concord between subject and verb
2. Figures of Speech
3. Tenses
4. Kinds of sentences
5. Transformation of Sentences
6. Basic Literary Terms

SECTION – C (Marks- 30)

DRAMA

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| 1. Othello | William Shakespeare |
| 2. Saint Joan | George Bernard Shaw |

NOVEL

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| 1. Pride and Prejudice | Jane Austen |
| 2. That Long Silence | Shashi Deshpande |

TEST – 108 – ENGLISH
MODEL QUESTION PAPER

1. Dover Beach is in
(a) Italy (b) France (c) Greece (d) England

2. Who was invited to see the beauty of Dover Beach in the poem by Matthew Arnold?
(a) The poet's sister (b) The poet's mother
(c) The poet's wife (d) The poet's friend

3. Wilfred Owen's poetry expresses
(a) a soldier's courage to kill the enemy in battle
(b) a soldier's indignation, private fears and agony in a battlefield
(c) a soldier's timidity in encountering the enemy
(d) a soldier's thoughts about his family

4. Name the country (other than India) which has adopted Tagore's composition as the National Anthem
(a) Nepal (b) China (c) Bangladesh (d) Srilanka

5. In 'Song 36' from Gitanjali the poet prays for
(a) Food (b) Money (c) Strength (d) Power

6. Rabindranath Tagore wrote both in
(a) Hindi and English (b) Bengali and English
(c) English and Latin (d) Urdu and English

7. The poem 'Homecoming' is extracted from
(a) Smooth Passage (b) Rough Passage
(c) Illumined Passage (d) Deserted Passage