

**SYLLABUS FOR GENERAL ENGLISH (MINOR) FOR THE FOUR-YEAR  
UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMME (FYUP) IMPLEMENTED IN AUGUST 2022 IN  
ACCORDANCE WITH NEP (2020)**

**Semester: III**

**Course Code: GEN322N**

**Course Type: Minor**

**Course Title: General English-III**

**Credits: 4+2**

**Course Objectives:**

- To enable students engage with a variety of literary genres.
- To enable students to appreciate the diverse dimensions of human experience.
- To help students in language learning through literary texts.
- To develop effective listening, efficient reading, powerful speaking and writing skills.

**Unit I: Travelogue**

- Pico Iyer "Why We Travel"

**Unit II: Diary**

- Anne Frank *The Diary of a Young Girl* (Extract)

**Unit III: Poetry**

- Seamus Heaney "Digging"
- Margaret Atwood "This Is a Photograph of Me"

**Unit IV: Autobiography**

- Om Prakash Valmiki *Joothan: A Dalit's Life* (Extract) (Tr. by Arun Prabha Mukherjee)

**Tutorials:** Assignments to be based on Unit I & II.

**Course Outcome:**

- The students will have a good understanding of various literary genres.
- The students' exposure to a diverse range of human experience will expand their sympathies and promote a wider cultural understanding.
- The students will have gathered adequate knowledge of language structures and conventions.
- The student will have achieved command over various language skills.

**Textbook Prescribed:** *English-2*, Cambridge University Press, New Delhi