

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

Semester: IV

Course Code: GEN422N

Course Type: Minor

Course Title: General English-IV

Credits: 3+1

Course Objectives:

- To introduce students a variety of literary genres
- To create awareness about important contemporary issues
- To learn traditional and creative approaches to language Skills
- To gain language proficiency in specific contexts

Unit I: One-act Play

- J. B. Priestley *Mother's Day*

Unit II: Memoir

- Helen Keller *The Story of My Life* (Extract)

Unit III: Prose

- Martin Luther King, Jr "I Have a Dream"
- Amartya Sen "How to Judge Globalisation"
- James Thurber "The Dog that Bit People"

Tutorials: Assignments to be based on Unit II.

Course Outcome:

- Students will be familiar with genres like one-act play, memoir etc.
- Students will have gained awareness about issues like disability, globalization and Black Rights movement.
- Students will be equipped with various language skills like speaking and writing.
- Students will have gained proficiency in the use of English Language in multiple contexts.

Textbook prescribed: *English-3*, Cambridge University Press, New Delhi