

ENGLISH Syllabus-Semester-II

Learning Outcomes

English Praxis Course-II A Course in Reading & Writing Skills

By the end of the course the learner will be able to:

- Use reading skills effectively
- Comprehend different texts
- Interpret different types of texts
- Analyse what is being read
- Build up a repository of active vocabulary
- Use good writing strategies
- Write well for any purpose
- Improve writing skills independently for future needs

I. UNIT

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| Prose | : 1. How to Avoid Foolish Opinions: | Bertrand Russell |
| Skills | : 2. Vocabulary : Conversion of Words | |
| | : 3. Collocations | |

II. UNIT

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| Prose | : 1. The Doll's House | : Katherine Mansfield |
| Poetry | : 2. Ode to the West Wind | : P B Shelley Abrar |
| Non-Detailed Text | : 3. Florence Nightingale | : Mohsin |
| Skills | : 4. Skimming and Scanning | |

III. UNIT

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| Prose | : 1. The Night Train at Deoli | : Ruskin Bond |
| Poetry | : 2. Upagupta | : Rabindranath Tagore |
| Skills | : 3. Reading Comprehension | |
| | : 4. Note Making/Taking | |

IV. UNIT

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| Poetry | : 1. Coromandel Fishers | : Sarojini Naidu |
| Skills | : 2. Expansion of Ideas | |
| | : 3. Notices, Agendas and Minutes | |

V. UNIT

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| Non-Detailed Text Skills | : 1. An Astrologer's Day | : R K Narayan |
| | : 2. Curriculum Vitae and Resume | |
| | : 3. Letters | |

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