

**SEMESTER – I**  
**B. A. ( Hons.) Social Science**  
**Major ( Languages- English )**

**Time: 3 Hours**

**Max. Marks: 100**

**Theory 80**

**Internal Assessment 20**

**Texts Prescribed: Texts Prescribed:**

1. *Popular Short Stories* (Oxford University Press)
2. *Selected College Poems* ed Ambika Sen Gupta ( Orient Longman )
3. *The Student's Companion* Wilfred D. Best ( Harper Collins)

**Course Contents :**

- 1) Stories 1,3,6,10,16 from the book *Popular Short Stories*
- 2) The study of the following poems from the book *Selected College Poems*
  - 1) *All the World's a Stage* : William Shakespeare
  - 2) *Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard*: Thomas Gray
  - 3) *La Belle Dame Sans Merci* : John Keats
  - 4) *Ulysses* : Lord Alfred Tennyson
  - 5) *Say Not The Struggle Naught Availeth* : Arthur Hugh Clough
  - 6) *Nightingale* : Robert Bridges
  - 7) *The Unknown Citizen* : W.H.Auden
  - 8) *Night of the Scorpion*: Nissim Ezekiel
- 3) The following chapters are prescribed from *The Student Companion*
  - 1) Section 1 Words Denoting Numbers  
Words Pertaining To Government
  - 2) Section 9 Synonyms

**Instructions for the Paper Setter and Distribution of Marks:**

The question paper will consist of three sections and distribution of marks will be as under:

Section A: 20 Marks

Section B: 30 Marks

Section C: 30 Marks

**Section–A**

I. Twenty Five (25) Questions on the prescribed parts of “*The Student's Companion*” will be set. The students will be required to attempt twenty (20) sentences  
(20x1 = 20 marks)

**Section–B**

II. Five questions on the textual and thematic aspects of the prescribed essays will be set and the students will be required to attempt any Three from the book “*Popular Short Stories*”  
(5x3 = 15 marks)

III. Five questions on the textual and thematic aspects of the prescribed poems will be set and the students will be required to attempt any Three of these questions from the book *Selected College Poems*  
(5x3 = 15 Marks)

**Section–C**

IV. ONE essay type question, with internal choice, on theme, characterization, plot, tone, and style etc. of the prescribed essay, from *Popular Short Stories* in about 300-400 words. (10x1 = 10 Marks)

V. ONE essay type question, with internal choice, on central idea, theme, tone, and style etc. of a poem prescribed in the syllabus from the book *Selected College Poems* in about 300-400 words.  
(10x1 = 10 Marks)

VI. Comprehension of Unseen passage will be set. The student will answer five questions of 2 marks each  
(5x2 =10 Marks )

**2016-17**  
**SEMESTER – II**  
**B.A. ( Hons.) Social Science**  
**Major ( Languages- English )**

**Time: 3 Hours**

**Max. Marks :100**  
**Theory : 80**  
**Internal assessment: 20**

**Texts Prescribed:**

1. *Popular Short Stories* .(OUP)
2. *Selected College Poems* ed Ambika Sen Gupta ( Orient Longman )
3. *The Student's Companion* Wilfred D. Best ( Harper Collins)

**Course Contents :**

- i. Stories 2,7,8,9,12 from the book *Popular Short Stories*
- ii. The study of the following poems from the book *Selected College Poems*
  - a) *Tintern Abbey*: William Wordsworth
  - b) *The Prisoner of Chillon* : Lord Byron
  - c) *My Last Duchess*: Robert Duchess
  - d) *A Prayer for My Daughter* : William Butler Yeats
  - e) *The Road not Taken*: Robert Frost
  - f) *Journey of the Magi* : T.S.Eliot
- iii. The following parts are prescribed *The Student's Companion*
  - a) Section 1           Words Denoting Places
  - b)                       Words Pertaining To Marriage
  - c) Section 9           Antonyms

**Instructions for the Paper Setter and Distribution of Marks:**

The question paper will consist of three sections and distribution of marks will be as under:

Section A: 20 Marks

Section B: 30 Marks

Section C: 30 Marks

**Section–A**

1. Twenty Five ( **25** ) Questions on the prescribed parts of *The Students' Companion* will be set for the students to attempt any twenty. (20x1 = 20 marks)

**Section–B**

1. Five questions on the textual and thematic aspects of the prescribed stories will be set and the students will attempt any Three of these questions from the book *Popular Short Stories*. (3x5 = 15 marks)
2. Five questions on the textual and thematic aspects of the prescribed poems will be set and the students will attempt any Three of these questions from the book *Selected College Poems* (3x5 = 15 marks)

**Section–C**

- I. ONE essay type question, with internal choice, on theme, characterization, plot, tone, an style etc. of the prescribed story, from *Popular Short Stories* in about 300-400 words. (1x10 = 10Marks)
- II. ONE essay type question, with internal choice, on central idea, theme, tone, and style etc. of a poem prescribed in the syllabus from the book *Selected College Poems* in about 300-400 words. (1x10 = 10 Marks)
- III. Write a paragraph, in about 300-400 words on any one of the topic given. (1x10 = 10 Marks)

**2016-17**  
**SEMESTER – III**  
**B.A. ( Hons.) Social Science**  
**Major ( Languages- English )**

**Time: 3 Hours**

**Max. Marks :100**  
**Theory : 80**  
**Internal assessment: 20**

**Prescribed Books:**

1. *Fresh Showers* GNDU Amritsar
2. *New Directions* (Part 1-3)
3. *The Student's Companion* Wilfred D. Best ( Harper Collins)

**Course Contents:**

1. Poems 1,2,3,4,6,8,9, from the book *Fresh Showers*
2. *New Directions*-Part 1,2,3
3. The following parts are prescribed *The Student's Companion*
  - a) Section 1 Words Denoting Professions or trade
  - b) Words Pertaining To Death
  - c) Section 9 Prefixes

**Instructions for the Paper Setter and Distribution of Marks:**

The question paper will consist of three sections and distribution of marks will be as under:

**Section A: 20 Marks**

**Section B: 30 Marks**

**Section C: 30 Marks**

**Section–A**

1. Twenty Five ( **25** ) Questions on the prescribed parts of *The Student's Companion* will be set for the students to attempt any twenty. (20x1 = 20 marks)

**Section–B**

1. Five questions on the textual and thematic aspects of the prescribed essays will be set and the students will attempt any Three of these questions from the book *New Directions* (3x5 = 15 marks)
2. Five questions on the textual and thematic aspects of the prescribed poems will be set and the students will attempt any Three of these questions from the book *Fresh Showers* (3x5 = 15 marks)

**Section–C**

- I. ONE essay type question, with internal choice, on theme, characterization, plot, tone, and style etc. of the prescribed essay, from *New Directions* in about 300-400 words. (1x10 = 10Marks)
- II. ONE essay type question, with internal choice, on central idea, theme, tone, and style etc. of a poem prescribed in the syllabus from the book *Fresh Showers* in about 300-400 words. (1x10 = 10 Marks)
- III. Write an Essay in about 300-400 words on any one ( out of the given three) topics (1x10 = 10 Marks)

**2016-17**  
**SEMESTER – IV**  
**B.A. ( Hons.) Social Science**  
**Major ( Languages- English )**

**Time: 3 Hours**

**Max. Marks :100**  
**Theory : 80**  
**Internal assessment: 20**

**Prescribed Books:**

1. *Fresh Showers* GNDU Amritsar
2. *New Directions* (Part 4-5)
3. *The Student's Companion* Wilfred D. Best ( Harper Collins)

**Course Contents:**

1. Poems 10,11,12,17,18,19,20 from the book *Fresh Showers*
2. *New Directions*-Part 4,5
3. The following parts are prescribed *The Student's Companion*
  - a) Section 1 Words Pertaining to Church
  - b) Names by which persons with certain characteristics are known.
  - c) Section 9 Suffixes

**Instructions for the Paper Setter and Distribution of Marks:**

The question paper will consist of three sections and distribution of marks will be as under:

**Section A: 20 Marks**

**Section B: 30 Marks**

**Section C: 30 Marks**

**Section–A**

1. Twenty Five ( **25** ) Questions on the prescribed parts of *The Students's Companion* will be set for the students to attempt any twenty. (20x1 = 20 marks)

**Section–B**

1. Five questions on the textual and thematic aspects of the prescribed essays will be set and the students will attempt any Three of these questions from the book *New Directions* (3x5 = 15 marks)
2. Five questions on the textual and thematic aspects of the prescribed poems will be set and the students will attempt any Three of these questions from the book *Fresh Showers*(3x5 = 15 marks)

**Section–C**

- I. ONE essay type question, with internal choice, on theme, characterization, plot and style etc. of the prescribed essay, from *New Directions* in about 300-400 words. (1x10 = 10Marks)
- II. ONE essay type question, with internal choice, on central idea, theme, tone, and style etc. of a poem prescribed in the syllabus from the book *Fresh Showers* in about 300-400 words. (1x10 = 10 Marks)
- III. Write a précis with a title of the given passage. (1x10 = 10 Marks)



**2016-17**  
**SEMESTER – I**  
**COMMUNICATIVE ENGLISH**  
**B.Sc. ( Hons. ) Punjabi**

**TIME : 3 Hrs**

**Max. Marks: 100**  
**Theory: 80**  
**Internal Assessment: 20**

**Course Contents:**

**1. Reading and Comprehension Skills:**

Students will be required to read and comprehend the essays in Unit 1 and 2 of the book *Making Connections: A Strategic Approach to Academic Reading* by Kenneth J. Pakenham, Second Edition. They will be required to answer the questions given after each essay.

**2. Writing Skills**

Students will be required to learn Paragraph Writing, Letter Writing as in the book *The Written Word* by Vandana R. Singh, Oxford University Press, New Delhi.

**Suggested paper pattern:-**

1. Practical Question on Paragraph Writing with internal choice as prescribed in *The Written Word* (16 marks)
2. Short answer type questions from Unit 3 and 4 of *Making Connections : A Strategic Approach To Academic Reading* (24 marks)
3. Essay type question with internal choice from Unit 3 and 4 of *Making Connections: A strategic Approach to Academic Reading* ( 16 marks)
4. Practical question on note making, summarizing and abstracting from *The Written Word* ( 12 marks)
5. Theoretical question(s) based on the two chapters from the book *The Written Word* ( 12 marks)

