

B.A. (2019 Pattern) (Semester - I)

Subject : English Paper Code: 115-I

Title of the Paper: Optional English – I

Prose Pieces:

1. A Lesson My Father Taught Me - A.P.J. Abdul Kalam
2. Toasted English - R. K. Narayan

Short Stories:

1. The Romance of a Busy Broker - O. Henry
2. The Open Window - Saki

Poetry:

1. Sonnet 29: 'When in disgrace with Fortune and men's eyes' - William Shakespeare
2. The World is too much with Us - William Wordsworth
3. The Listeners - Walter de la Mare
4. No Men are Foreign - James Kirkup

Language Studies:

Introduction to the Sounds of English: Part - I

(Discrepancy between English Spelling and Pronunciation, Phonetic Symbols and Transcription, The Concept of Phoneme and Minimal Pairs.)