

TRIPURA BOARD OF SECONDARY EDUCATION

SYLLABUS

(effective from 2015)

SUBJECT : ENGLISH

(Class – XII)

ENGLISH
COURSE STRUCTURE
CLASS XII

One Paper

Time : 3 Hours

Marks : 90+10=100 Marks

Unit	Title	Marks
I.	Prose	17
II.	Poetry	12
III.	Supplementary Reader	06
IV.	Writing	25
V.	Grammar	10
VI.	Comprehension	20
VII.	Project	10
	Total	100

Unit-I : Prose

- i. Dream and Message(From ignited Minds) - Abdul Kalam
- ii. A Trip Up the Brahmaputra - Lila Majumder
- iii. After Twenty years - O Henry
- iv. Midsummer Night's Dream(Act V, Sc. -I) - William Shakespeare

Unit-II : Poetry

- i. Crossing the Bar - Tennyson
- ii. The Lake isle of Innisfree - W.B. Yeats
- iii. Macavity, The Mystery Cat - T.S. Eliot
- iv. An Elementary School Classroom In a Slum - Stephen Spender

Unit-III : Supplementary Reader

Letter from a Father to His Daughter - Jawaharlal Nehru

Letter No.	Name of the Letter
11.	What is Civilization ?
18.	The Early Civilizations
20.	Egypt and Crete
21.	China and India
23.	Language, Writing and Numerals

Unit-IV : Writing

- i. Notice (word Limit: 50-60 words)
- ii. Official Letter(Offices, Organization, Editor)(Word Limit 150-200 words)
- iii. Descriptive Narrative (place you have visited, events) or Newspaper Report Writing

(Word Limit: 150 – 200 words)

Unit-V : Grammar

- i. Editing
- ii. Dialogue completion
- iii. Transformation (Interchange of Simple, complex and Compound)
(Topics: **Subject-verb-concord, Verb Forms, Preposition, Conjunction, Modals and Determiners**)

Unit-VI : Comprehension

- i. One passage for comprehension (maximum 400 - 500 words)

Unit-VII : Project

One project in 800 to 1000 words

- i) Survey of the state of any one Elementary School in your locality. Survey must cater to the information on number of students – boys and girls, their economic conditions, what are the facilities available for the teachers and learners ; What are the facilities needed for them
etc.(attach photos of the survey)
- ii) Temples of Tripura
- iii) Tourism in Tripura
- iv) Enlist and describe the major characteristics of the Shakespearean Comedy. Initiate the project with brief introduction of William Shakespeare and his works
- v) Quote at least three(03) poems written on river(s) and prepare a report drawing out their similarities and dissimilarities

UNIT WISE QUESTION TYPES WITH MARKS DISTRIBUTION

Unit	Title	MCQ / Objective 1 mark	VSA 2 marks	SA-I 3 marks	SA-II 5 marks	LA – I 6 marks	LA – II 10 marks	Total marks
I	Prose (Including Drama)	3+2=5 Prose +Drama All MCQ	-	2	-	1	-	17
II	Poetry	3(MCQ)	-	1	-	1	-	12
III	Supplementary Reader	-	-	-	-	1	-	06
IV	Writing	-	-	-	1	-	2	25
V	Grammar	10(OBJ)	-	-	-	-	-	10
VI	Comprehension	4(MCQ) 5(OBJ) 5(Rearrange, time seq.)	3	-	-	-	-	20
VIII	Project : Written - 08 Viva - 02							10
Total Number of Questions		32	03	03	01	03	02	
Total marks								100

N.B.: - 1) Internal choice: There is no overall choice in the paper. However, there is one (01) internal choice in Unit-III of 6 marks weightage, and in Unit IV two(02) internal choice of 10 marks weightage.

2) Questions should be set covering each unit.