

THE NATIONAL COLLEGE

(AUTONOMOUS)

JAYANAGAR, BANGALORE.

DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

SYLLABUS – SEMESTER IV

Generic English – BA

IV Semester – Generic English Faculty of Arts	50/56 hours	Marks
Unit 1: Receptive Skills: Reading Skills and Listening Skills	23 hours	40 Marks
1. Reading Skills – Novella <u>Of Mice and Men</u> by John Steinbeck	18 hours	30 Marks
2. Listening Skills – Listening and Decoding	05 hours	10 Marks
Poems: a. “Wandering Singers” by Sarojini Naidu b. “Still I Rise” by Maya Angelou	03 hours	
Listen to understand TED talks: a. TED Talk 1 – Your health is governed by your Environment by Dr.B.M Hegde b. TED Talk 2 –Terrace Gardening by Guttikonda Madhavi	02 hours	
Unit 2: Productive Skills: Speaking and Writing Skills	23 hours	20 marks

3. Speaking Skills: Types: a. Pechakucha Presentation b. Group Discussion	04 hours	05 marks
1. Writing Skills: Technical Writing Types of Writing: a. Copy writing b. Business Writing c. Travel Writing d. Article Writing	08 hours	05 marks
2.E – Correspondence and Content writing skills E- mail: Casual and Professional a. Apology Letter b. Appreciation Letter c. Congratulation Letter	05 hours	05 marks
3. Social Media Content Writing Skills Types of Commercial Writing: a. Blog Writing b. Writing on Instagram & Facebook c. Writing on Quora	06 hours	05 marks

Generic English (L2)

IVSEMESTER	50/56hrs		60marks
UNIT – 1			
RECEPTIVE SKILLS: READING SKILLS AND LISTENING SKILLS		23Hrs	
Chapter 1: READING SKILLS	NOVELLA - <u>Karvalo</u> by Poornachandra Tejaswi	18 hrs	30marks
Chapter 2: LISTENING SKILLS	LISTENING AND DECODING	5 hrs	10 marks
	POEMS 1. “Ode on a Grecian Urn” by John Keats 2. “Ecology” by A.K.Ramanujan	3 hrs	
	TED TALK 1 <i>Vandana Shiva (Environment)</i> TED TALK 2 <i>Dr. Devi Shetty (Health)</i>	2 hrs	
UNIT 2			
PRODUCTIVE SKILLS: SPEAKING AND WRITING SKILLS		23hrs	
Chapter – 3 SPEAKING SKILLS	(Any 2) <i>Pechakucha</i> Presentation Public Speaking	4 hrs	5 marks
WRITING SKILLS	TECHNICAL WRITING (Any 4)		5 marks
	Copy writing Business Writing Travel Writing Article Writing	8 hrs	

E-correspondence and Content Writing Skills			
	E-mail Casual and Professional 1.Appreciation Letters 2.Congratulation Letters 3.Promotion letter	5 hrs	5 marks
	Social Media Content Writing Skills 1.Blog writing 2.Podcast writing 3.Writing on Twitter &Instagram	6 hrs	5 marks

GENERIC ENGLISH – B.Sc /BCA- SEMESTER-IV-SYLLABUS

IV Semester – Generic English L2 Faculty of Science	50/56 hours	Marks
Unit 1: Receptive Skills: Reading Skills and Listening Skills	23 hours	40 marks
1. Reading Skills – Novella <u>Mother of 1084</u> – Mahasweta Devi	18 hours	30 marks
2. Listening Skills – Listening and Decoding	5 hours	10 marks
Poems: a. “Home Coming Son” – Tsegaye Gabre - Medhin b. “Measurements” – Navakanta Barua	3 hours	
Listen to understand TED talks: a. TED Talk 1 – Change is Life by Dr.B.M Hegde b. TED Talk 2 – How a 13 year old changed ‘Impossible to I’m Possible’ by Sparsh Shah	2 hours	
Unit 2: Productive Skills: Speaking and Writing Skills	23 hours	20 marks
3. Speaking Skills: Types: a. Pechakucha Presentation b. Public Speaking	4 hours	5 marks
1. Writing Skills: Technical Writing Types of Writing: a. Scientific Writing b. Business Writing c. Travel Writing d. Article Writing	8 hours	5 marks

<p>2. E – Correspondence and Content writing skills</p> <p>E- mail: Casual and Professional</p> <p>a. Congratulation Letter b. Appreciation Letter</p>	<p>5 hours</p>	<p>5 marks</p>
<p>c. Promotion Letter d. Termination Letter</p>		
<p>3. Social Media Content Writing Skills</p> <p>Types of Commercial Writing:</p> <p>a. Blog Writing b. Podcast Writing c. Writing on Quora</p>	<p>6 hours</p>	<p>5 marks</p>