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DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

An Annual Meeting of the Members of the Board of Studies in English 2021-22

## Proceedings of the Meeting.

An Annual Meeting of the Members of the Board of Studies in English was held by the Department of English on Saturday, 6<sup>th</sup> November, 2021 in the Department of English at 2pm. The following members were present:

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The board of studies met at the Department of English on **Saturday, 6<sup>th</sup> November 2021 at 2:00pm**. The University Nominee Dr. Chitra Panikkar attended the session through online mode, for which a Zoom link was shared by Smt. Bharati Narayan Adkoli Madam.

At the outset, Prof. Bharati N. Adkoli, Head, Department of English and the Chairperson of the Board of Studies extended a very warm welcome to the members present and the proceedings of the meeting followed with a discussion of the agenda as given under.

Prof. Bharati N. Adkoli began with a mention of the previous years' Board of Studies Annual Meeting that was held on 27<sup>th</sup> August 2020, where in the Board of Studies permitted to retain the same.

1. General English Text Book (study material) for III and IV semester s B.A/B.SC/B.C.A/B.COM for the academic year 2021-2022.
2. Prescribed Optional English Text Books for III, IV, V (paper V and Paper VI) and VI semesters (Paper VII and Paper VIII semester B.A. for the Academic year 2021-2022).

Technical English – for III and IV semesters B.C.A/B.C.A. Data Science, IoT, Bio-Medical Electronics Programs.

3. The Short-Term course/Add-on Course on English for Competitive Examinations' for all streams for two academic years 2021-2022.
4. Prescribed Communicative English Syllabus for V semester b.com and VI semester B.A/B.SC/B.C.A courses in the academic year 2021-2022.

A discussion on the prescribed NEP 2020 Syllabus for all the streams of the **First and Second semesters of B.A/B.SC/B.C.A/B.COM** ensued and all the members of the B.O.S raised various doubts and their questions were duly noted. Prof. Bharathi elaborated to the B.O.S Members the objectives of the NEP 2020 syllabus wherein a student has to pursue.

1. Discipline Specific Course (D.sc); In case of optional English 2 Papers, i.e., OE-Paper-1 and OE-Paper-2 with 3 credits each.
2. Open Elective (O.E)- one Paper.
3. Generic English as part of Ability Enhancement Program-L2; Here the student can choose between English, Hindi, and Sanskrit.
4. Additional English as part of Ability Enhancement Program -L, for II, III and IV semesters. (only for non-Kannadigas)
5. Functional English will be replaced by Literature Paper under purview of Open Elective- Titled "Exploring Literature."

In the consensus with the Board of studies in English- 2021, it was resolved to adapt Bangalore University prescribed syllabus with moderate changes in the syllabus as under:-

1. Optional English- First Sem-Paper I – Unit -1
  - a. Out of 2 prescribed Essays, one essay to be retained.
  - b. Out of a total 5 poems 2 poems to be retained.
  - c. One -Act-Play-Monkeys Paw to be retained.
  - d. Retained Two short fiction.
  - e. As for the other Units no changes.
2. Generic English :- One Unit to be eliminated.
3. Optional English:- Paper II- First Sem, Paper II – 3 poems to be retained ; the rest remains in to.
4. Paper III- No changes.
5. Out of the prescribed 7 Units, one Unit to be eliminated from the course Book prescribed for I and II semester B.A/B.SC/B.C.A/B.COM.
  - Evaluation pattern for the above mentioned NEP syllabus will be as per NEP guidelines.

Prof. Bharati Narayan Adkoli duly noted the suggestions and recommendations and as a conclusion, she expressed her sincere gratitude to the esteemed members of the B.O.S along with Dr. Chitra Panikkar, University nominee for having attended the meeting and for her valuable recommendations. Dr. Chintha Vijayalakshmi proposed the Vote of Thanks.

Prof. Bharati N. Adkoli