

**UNIVERSITY OF MADRAS**  
**M.A. DEGREE PROGRAMME IN ENGLISH**  
 SYLLABUS WITH EFFECT FROM 2023-2024

**CORE III - FICTION**

Course Code	Course Name	Category	L	T	P	O	Credits	Inst. Hours	Marks		
									CIA	External	Total
402C1C	<b>FICTION</b>	Core	Y	Y	-	-	4	6	25	75	100
<b>Learning Objectives</b>											
LO1	To familiarize the students with the origin and development of British fiction from beginnings to 20th c										
LO2	To introduce the students to major writers of British fiction.										
LO3	To enable the students to comprehend the social background based on the prescribed novels.										
LO4	To facilitate the learners to identify and differentiate various forms of novels.										
LO5	To examine the themes presented in British fiction and to develop the ability to critically analyze the novels prescribed.										
<b>Details</b>											
<p><b>UNIT I</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Definition, types, narrative modes</li> <li>● Daniel Defoe -<i>Robinson Crusoe</i></li> </ul> <p><b>UNIT II - Jonathan Swift - <i>Gulliver's Travels</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Walter Scott -<i>Kenilworth</i></li> </ul> <p><b>UNIT III</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Jane Austen - <i>Emma</i></li> <li>● Emily Bronte – <i>Wuthering Heights</i></li> </ul> <p><b>UNIT IV</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Charles Dickens - <i>Hard Times</i></li> <li>● George Eliot - <i>The Mill on the Floss</i></li> <li>● Thomas Hardy - <i>The Mayor of Casterbridge</i></li> </ul> <p><b>UNIT V</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● D. H. Lawrence -<i>The Rainbow</i></li> <li>● Virginia Woolf- <i>Mrs.Dalloway</i></li> <li>● Julian Barnes - <i>A History of the World in 10½ Chapters</i></li> </ul>											

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<b>Course Outcomes</b>		
<b>Course Outcomes</b>	On completion of this course, students will;	
<b>CO1</b>	Acquaint the knowledge about the development of Novel as a literary form.	PO1, PO10
<b>CO2</b>	Identify the characteristics of different types of novels	PO2, PO3
<b>CO3</b>	Categorize the novels of different periods and Interpret the works of eminent writers.	PO4, PO5
<b>CO4</b>	Awareness on social, historical, literary and cultural elements of the changes in American Literature	PO4, PO5, PO6
<b>CO5</b>	Critically examine the works of the writers prescribed	PO7, PO8,PO10
<b>Text Books (Latest Editions)</b>		
1.	Wayne C. Booth, 1961, The Rhetoric of Fiction, Chicago University Press, London.	
2.	F.R. Leavis, 1973, The Great Tradition, Chatto&Windus, London.	
<b>References Books (Latest editions, and the style as given below must be strictly adhered to)</b>		
1.	Ian Watt, 1974, Rise of the English Novel, Chatto&Windus, London.	
2.	Frederick R Karl, 1977, Reader's Guide to the Development of the English Novel till the 18 <sup>th</sup> Century, The Camelot Press Ltd. Southampton.	
3.	Arnold Kettle, 1967, An Introduction to English Novel Vol. II, Universal Book Stall, New Delhi.	
4.	Raymond Williams, 1973, The English Novel: From Dickens to Lawrence, Chatto&Windus, London.	
5.	Ian Milligan, 1983, The Novel in English: An Introduction, Macmillan, Hong Kong.	

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<b>Web Resources</b>	
1.	<a href="http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/English_literature">http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/English_literature</a>
2.	<a href="http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/novel">http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/novel</a>
3.	<a href="https://www.britannica.com/art/picaresque-novel">https://www.britannica.com/art/picaresque-novel</a>
4.	<a href="https://www.britannica.com/art/novel-of-manners">https://www.britannica.com/art/novel-of-manners</a>
5.	<a href="https://www.britannica.com/topic/Jane-Eyre-novel-by-Bronte">https://www.britannica.com/topic/Jane-Eyre-novel-by-Bronte</a>

**Mapping with Programme Outcomes:**

	<b>PO1</b>	<b>PO2</b>	<b>PO3</b>	<b>PO4</b>	<b>PO5</b>	<b>PO6</b>	<b>PO7</b>	<b>PO8</b>	<b>PO9</b>	<b>PO10</b>
<b>CO1</b>	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	M	S	M
<b>CO2</b>	M	S	S	S	M	S	S	M	M	M
<b>CO3</b>	S	S	S	M	S	S	S	M	S	M
<b>CO4</b>	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	M	M	M
<b>CO5</b>	S	M	S	S	S	S	S	M	M	S

**Mapping with Specific Outcomes:**

<b>CO /PO</b>	<b>PSO 1</b>	<b>PSO 2</b>	<b>PSO 3</b>	<b>PSO 4</b>	<b>PSO 5</b>
<b>CO1</b>	3	3	3	3	3
<b>CO2</b>	3	3	3	3	3
<b>CO3</b>	3	3	3	3	3
<b>CO4</b>	3	3	3	3	3
<b>CO5</b>	3	3	3	3	3
<b>Weightage</b>	15	15	15	15	15
<b>Weighted percentage of Course Contribution to Pos</b>	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0