UNIVERSITY OF MADRAS

FOUNDATION COURSE: FRENCH

SYLLABUS WITH EFFECT FROM 2023-2024

UG & 5 Year PG Integrated – SEMESTER – III

Foundation Course: Translation, Comprehension and Grammar - I

Course Outcomes	1. Identify and appreciate the construction and the structure of different tenses and sentences 2. Translate simple texts 3. Draft and summarize literary texts 4. Apply the grammatical rules to express one's ideas using different tenses 5. Analyze literary texts with respect to their structure and composition		
Course	Foundation Course in French	**Course Code**	**200L3K**
Title of the Course:	Translation, Comprehension and Grammar – I		
Credits:	3		
Pre-requisites, if any:	-		
Course Objectives	Understand the structure and use of the different grammatical tenses		K2
	Translate texts and examine them		K2 and K4
	Draft summaries of literary texts		K2 and K6
	Identify the requirement and employ the different grammatical tenses		K3
	Analyze and critically assess the literary texts		K4 and K5
UNITS			
I	*Nos études* *Les feuilles mortes* Le passé composé		
II	*Demain dès l'aube* *Une visite inattendue* L'imparfait		
III	*La tortue et le chien* Le subjonctif Le conditionnel		
IV	*Le vrai Père* Les pronoms relatifs La comparaison		
V	*L'hiver* *La danse* L'expression du temps		
Prescribed Text	K. Madanagobalane & N.C. Mirakamal, *Le français par les textes*, Chennai, Samhita Publications – Goyal Publisher & Distributors Pvt Ltd, 2017		

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Mapping with Programme Outcomes:

	PO1	PO2	PO3	PO4	PO5	PO6	PO7	PO8	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5
CO 1	S	M	M	M	M	M	L	S	S	S	S	S	M
CO 2	M	M	S	S	S	S	M	S	M	M	S	M	S
CO 3	S	M	S	M	M	M	M	S	S	S	M	S	M
CO 4	S	S	M	M	S	M	L	S	S	S	S	S	M
CO 5	M	M	S	S	S	M	M	S	S	S	M	S	M

S-Strong M-Medium L-Low

SEMESTER III

Title of the Paper : Translation, Comprehension and Grammar-I

Prescribed textbook: K.Madanagobalane &N.C.Mirakamal, *Le français par les textes*, Chennai, Samhita Publications-Goyal Publisher & Distributors Pvt Ltd, 2017

The following texts from the prescribed textbook:

- *Nos études*
- *Les feuilles mortes*
- *Demain dès l'aube*
- *Une visite inattendue*
- *La tortue et le chien*
- *Le vrai Père*
- *L'hiver*
- *La danse*

The following grammar components are chosen from the prescribed textbook:

- Le passé composé
- L'imparfait
- Le subjonctif

- Le conditionnel
- Les pronoms relatifs
- La comparaison
- L'expression du temps

Paper setters to strictly adhere to the syllabus and ask questions only from the pages included in the syllabus. Questions should cover the entire syllabus.

QUESTION PAPER PATTERN

Time : 3 Hours Maximum Marks : 75

Section A (10 x 2 = 20 Marks)

Answer any TEN questions

15 short answer questions to be asked from the prescribed texts (name of the text might be included within brackets in the question)

Section B (5 x 5 = 25 Marks)

Answer any FIVE questions

8 Grammar exercises to be given from the prescribed textbook

Section C (3 x 10 = 30 Marks)

Answer any THREE

3 must be answered out of 5 topics (1 translation of a prescribed text, 1 translation of unknown text, 1 comprehension of unknown text, 2 summaries of the prescribed texts)

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