

Continuous Internal Assessment 2025-2026

2nd and 4th semester Honours and General

Department of English

This is for information of all concerned that all projects as mentioned below for 2nd and 4th sem honours and general will have to be submitted by 22/07/2025 by 3pm in the staff room to the teachers of the department. An Internal Exam for the Honours and general students will be conducted on 22nd and 23rd July for 2nd and 4th sem respectively comprising of 20 marks. This is mandatory for all students to attend, failing which they will be marked absent.

Continuous Assessment questions:

Semester	Questions	Marks	CO	BL
Sem II Major	1. Explain how Grimm's Law and Verner's Law have contributed in the development of the English Language. or 2. Analyse how Consonant Shift and Stress Shift have influenced the growth of the English Language.	20	CO2	L4
Sem II Minor	1. Explain the theme of Time and Love as has been reflected in the sonnets of William Shakespeare. Or Justify how An Acre of Grass by W. B Yeats brings out the theme of old age.	20	CO2	L4
Sem IV Major DSC4	Explain how prosody and its key elements are used in English poetry. Or Explain with reference to any ten major figures of speech, how they are used in British Poetry.	20	CO1 CO1	L4 L4
Sem IV Major DSC5	Explain how the main character in Oliver Goldsmith's <i>She Stoops to Conquer</i> contributes to the central theme of the play. Or Elucidate the features of the Sub plot and explain how it is linked to the main plot in <i>She Stoops to Conquer</i> . Or Justify <i>She Stoops to Conquer</i> as a Anti-sentimental Comedy.	20	CO2/C O2/C O2	L4/L4 /L4
Sem IV Major DSC6	Explain the distinction De Quincey makes between <i>The literature of knowledge and the literature of power</i> , and discuss how each type influences the reader differently. OR Elucidate the Gothic features in <i>The Castle of Otranto</i> . Or Elucidate the features of Romanticism as found in the	20	CO2/C O2/C O2	L4/L4 /L4

	Castle of Otranto.			
Sem IV Major DSC7	<p>Explain the major themes and literary developments that emerged in Indian Writing in English after Independence. How did socio-political changes influence literary expression during this period?</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Explain the historical significance of the play Tughlaq.</p> <p>Or</p> <p>Analyse the main characters of the play Tughlaq keeping in background the historical significance.</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Explain how Girish Karnad's Tughlaq is a successful example of a play that hardly deviates from History.</p>	20	CO2/C O2/C O2/C O2	L4/L4 /L4/L 4
Sem IV minor	Explicate the features of a novel choosing any one novel of your own choice. The novel in your syllabus can be taken as your choice.	20	CO1	L4

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