

# UNIVERSITY OF MADRAS

FOUNDATION COURSE: ENGLISH

SYLLABUS WITH EFFECT FROM 2023-2024

**SECOND YEAR - SEMESTER IV**

**PAPER II –GENERAL ENGLISH**

Subject Code	Category	L	T	P	S	Credits	Inst. Hours	Marks		
								CIA	External	Total
200L4ZU	Part II	Y	Y	-	-	3	6	25	75	100
<b>Learning Objectives</b>										
<b>LO1</b>	To help learners imbibe goal-setting attitude.									
<b>LO2</b>	To enable them to understand the value of integrity.									
<b>LO3</b>	To help them deal with emotions.									
<b>LO4</b>	To teach the learners to frame sentences using tenses.									
<b>LO5</b>	To enhance reporting skills.									
Unit No.	Unit Title & Text							No. of Periods for the Unit		
<b>I</b>	<b>GOAL SETTING (UNICEF)</b> <b>Life Story</b> 1.1 From Chinese Cinderella – Adeline Yen Mah 1.2 Why I Write - George Orwell  <b>Short Essay</b> 1.3 On Personal Mastery – Robin Sharma 1.4 On the Love of Life – William Hazlitt							20		
<b>II</b>	<b>INTEGRITY</b> <b>Short Story</b> 2.1 The Taxi Driver – K.S. Duggal 2.2 Kabuliwala - Rabindranath Tagore 2.3 A Retrieved Reformation – O Henry  <b>Extract from a play</b>  2.4 The Quality of Mercy (Trial Scene from the Merchant of Venice - Shakespeare)							20		
<b>III</b>	<b>COPING WITH EMOTIONS</b> <b>Poem</b> 3.1 Pride – Dahlia Ravikovitch 3.2 Phenomenal Woman – Maya Angelou <b>Reader’s Theatre</b> 3.3 The Giant’s Wife A Tall Tale of Ireland – William Carleton 3.4 The Princess and the God : A Tale of Ancient India							20		

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<b>IV</b>	<b>Language Competency Sentences</b> 4.1 Simple Sentences 4.2 Compound Sentences 4.3 Complex Sentences  <b>Direct and Indirect Speech</b>	15
<b>V</b>	<b>Report Writing</b> 5.1 Narrative Report 5.2 Newspaper Report  <b>Drafting Speeches</b> 5.3 Welcome Address 5.4 Vote of Thanks	15

### Course Outcomes

Course Outcomes	On completion of this course, students will	
<b>CO1</b>	Determine their goals	PO1,PO7
<b>CO2</b>	Identify the value of integrity.	PO1,PO2,PO10
<b>CO3</b>	Deal with emotions.	PO4,PO6,PO9
<b>CO4</b>	Frame grammatically correct sentences	PO4,PO5,PO6
<b>CO5</b>	Write cohesive reports.	PO3,PO8

### Text Books (Latest Editions)

<b>1</b>	Oxford Practice Grammar , John Eastwood, Oxford University Press
<b>2</b>	Cambridge Grammar of English , Ronald Carter and Michael McCarthy
<b>3.</b>	George Orwell Essays, Penguin Classics

### Web Resources

1	<a href="http://www.gradesaver.com/George-orwell-essays/study/summary">http://www.gradesaver.com/George-orwell-essays/study/summary</a>
2	O' Henry. A Retrieved Reformation. <a href="https://americanenglish.state.gov/files/ae/resource_files/a-retrieved-reformation.pdf">https://americanenglish.state.gov/files/ae/resource_files/a-retrieved-reformation.pdf</a>
3	Maya Angelou. Phenomenal Woman. <a href="https://www.poetryfoundation.org/poems/48985/phenomenal-woman">https://www.poetryfoundation.org/poems/48985/phenomenal-woman</a>
4	The Quality of Mercy, <a href="https://poemanalysis.com">https://poemanalysis.com</a>
5	<a href="https://www.oxfordscholarlyeditions.com/display/10.1093/actrade/9780199235742.book.1/actrade-9780199235742-div1-106-William-Hazlitt">https://www.oxfordscholarlyeditions.com/display/10.1093/actrade/9780199235742.book.1/actrade-9780199235742-div1-106-William-Hazlitt</a>

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## Mapping with Programme Outcomes:

	PO1	PO2	PO3	PO4	PO5	PO6	PO7	PO8	PO9	PO10
CO1	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	3	2
CO2	2	3	3	3	2	3	3	2	2	2
CO3	3	3	3	2	3	3	3	2	3	2
CO4	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	2	2
CO5	3	2	3	3	3	3	3	2	2	3

3 – Strong, 2 – Medium , 1 – Low

## Mapping with Programme Specific Outcomes:

CO /PO	PSO1	PSO2	PSO3	PSO4
CO1	3	3	3	3
CO2	3	3	3	3
CO3	3	3	3	3
CO4	3	3	3	3
CO5	3	3	3	3
Weightage	15	15	15	15
Weighted percentage of Course Contribution to Pos	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0