

SEMESTER- I

LITERARY TYPES

PAPER CODE : ENG-DC-MJ-101

Lecture Hours: 10; Classes taken by: Prof. Shyamali Mandal

Lecture	Content	Suggested Activities
Lecture 1 An introduction on the Basics of English Language and Literary Types Topic : Ballad	Definition of Ballad, Historical Aspect, Types of Ballad	Discussion among students on the historical background of English Language and Literary Types, historical aspect of Ballad
Lecture 2 Topic : Biography and Autobiography, Comedy	Definition, Specialized form of Autobiography, Historical development, types of Autobiography, The function of Autobiography Definition of Comedy, Function, Types of Comedy, Characteristics of Comedy,	Group Discussion on history of Biography and Autobiography and its various aspect, development, function, types, characteristics etc
Lecture 3 Topic: Dramatic Monologue, Elegy	Definition, History of Dramatic Monologue, Types, Examples, Definition of Elegy, History and Structure	Group analysis of history of Dramatic Monologue and Elegy , structure , class test

	of Elegy, Examples	
Lecture 4 Topic: Epic, Essay	Definition of Epic, General Characteristics, Uses of Epic, Bases of Epic, Development of Epic , Definition of Essay, Structure, Types of Essay	Discussion among the students on Epic and Essay, and characteristics, development, structure, types
Lecture 5 Topic: Farce and Melodrama Lyric	Definition of Farce, History of Farce, Elements of Farce, Setting, Function of Farce Definition of Melodrama ,History of Melodrama, Example	Group Discussion among the students on Farce and Melodrama, Their elements, setting, historical development
Lecture 6 Topic: Mock Epic , Novel	Definition of Mock Epic, Style and Purpose of Mock Epic Definition of Novel, Types of Novel with example	Group analysis of Mock Epic and Novel and its purpose, style, types, Class test
Lecture 7 Topic: Ode, Pastoral, Poetic Drama	Definition of Ode, Characteristics of Ode, Types and example Definition of Pastoral, Types of Pastoral with example Definition of Poetic Drama, Characteristics	Discussion among the students on Ode , Pastoral ,Drama, their characteristics , types,
Lecture 8 Topic: Romance, Satire	Definition of Romance, Types, Importance of Romance,	Discussion on the specific topic and class test

	Definition of Romance, Function, Difference between Comedy and Satire, Example	
Lecture 9 Topic: Short Story , Sonnet	Definition of Short Story , Elements of Short Story Definition of Sonnet, Types of Sonnet with explanation	Group Discussion on the Short Story and Sonnet and its types with detailed explanation
Lecture 10 Topic: Tragedy, Tragicomedy	Definition of Tragedy , History of Tragedy, Development , examples Definition of Tragicomedy ,Types, Characteristics, Development and example	Discussion on the specific topic and class test

Recommended Books

1. *A Glossary of Literary Terms* by M. H. Abrams & Geoffrey Harpham , 11th ed
New Delhi: Cengage Learning, 2012
2. *A Glossary of Contemporary Literary Theory* by Jeremy Hawthorn, 4th ed.
London: Hodder Education, 2000