# Department of Germanic & Romance Studies BA (Hons.) French

## **Semester VII**

DSC - 19	Study of a Genre – Shorter Narrative Forms
	Advanced Study of the Language
	Study of a Genre: Theatre
	Introduction to Literary Translation
	Introduction to the Methodology of Teaching a Foreign Language
	Introduction to Linguistics
Pool of DSEs	Cultural History of France and Francophone Countries -1
	Language of the Media
	Study of an Author
	Understanding Contemporary Europe
	History of 19th Century Literature
	Research Methodology and Academic Writing

## **Semester VIII**

DSC - 20	Themes and Strategies in French Literature
	Rhetoric and Composition
	Study of a Genre: Poetry
	Study of a Genre: Novel
	Literary Translation: Theory and Practice
	Methodology of Teaching a Foreign Language: Theory and Practice
Pool of DSEs	Cultural History of France and Francophone Countries -2
1 col of BSEs	Language of the Arts
	Critical Issues in French Studies
	History of 20th Century Literature
	Introduction to Comparative Literature

## DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSE—19 (DSC-19) Study of the Genre: Shorter Narrative Forms

## Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course	Credits	Credit d	istribution	of the course	Eligibility	Pre-requisite
title &		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
Code				Practice		(if any)
Study of	4	3	1	0	Passed	Attained a
the Genre:					Class XII	language level
Shorter						in French
Narrative						equivalent to
Forms						B1

#### **DSC-19**

#### **Study of the Genre: Shorter Narrative Forms**

#### **Learning Objectives:**

- Study of various shorter narrative forms such as legends, chronicles, novellas, fable, fabliaux, fairy tales, conte, conte fantastique, microstories, flash narratives etc.
- To introduce the students to the historical evolution of these genres.
- To equip students with basic tools for narratological analysis

## **Learning Outcomes:**

The Learning Outcomes of this course are as follows:

- Students can identify formal and thematic characteristics of various shorter narrative forms.
- Students can analyse the works of leading writers of these forms and their specificities.
- Students develop an understanding of the evolution of these genres across various centuries up to the contemporary period

#### **Syllabus:**

UNIT I	11 Hours
An introduction to Narratological Theories	
Characteristics of Shorter Narrative forms of the Medieval period: legends,	
chronicles, fabliaux, lais etc.	
Suggested authors: Marie de France, Rutebeuf	
UNIT II	11 Hours
Study and analysis of shorter narrative texts from the Renaissance period	
Suggested authors: Courtebarbe, Marguerite de Navarre etc.	
Study and analysis of shorter narrative texts from the XVII Century	
Suggested authors: Jean de La Fontaine, Charles Perrault, Mme de La	
Fayette, Mme d'Aulnoy etc.	
UNIT III	11 Hours
Study and analysis of shorter narrative forms from the XVIII Century	
Suggested authors: Voltaire, Diderot, Marmontel, Cazotte etc.	
Study and analysis of shorter narrative texts from the XIX Century	
Suggested authors: Guy de Maupassant, Gustave Flaubert, Charles Nodier,	
Alphonse Daudet, Théophile Gautier, E.T.A. Hoffmann, Emile Zola	
UNIT IV	12 Hours
Study and analysis of shorter narrative texts from the XX-XXI Centuries	
Suggested authors: Marcel Aymé, Marguerite Yourcenar, Georges-Olivier	
Suggested authors. Marcel Ayme, Marguette Fourcenar, Georges-Onvier	
Châteaureynaud, Daniel Boulanger, Romain Gary, Anna Gavalda, Monique	

## Practical component (if any) – NIL

#### References

Angus Martin, Anthologie du conte en France 1750/1799, 10/18, n°1456, Paris, 1981.

Allan H Pasco, *Nouvelles Françaises du Dix-neuvième siècle : Anthologie*, Rockwood Press, Charlottesville, 2006..

Andre Jolles, Formes Simples, Seuil, 1972.

Dominique Combe, Les genres littéraires, Hachette Supérieur, Paris, 1992.

Jean-Pierre Aubrit, Le conte et la nouvelle, Armand Colin, Paris, 1997

Philippe Andrès, La Nouvelle, Col. Thèmes et études, Ellipses, Paris, 1998.

Paul Zumthor, *Introduction à la poesie orale*, Editions du seuil, 1983.

Pierre-Georges Castex (Ed.), Anthologie du Conte fantastique français, Librairie José

Corti, Paris, 1962.

Pierre Jourda (Ed.), *Conteurs français du XVIe siècle, Col.* « Bibliothèque de la Pléiade », Gallimard, Paris, 1965.

René Godenne, La Nouvelle Française, PUF, Paris, 1974.

René Pickard, (Ed.), *Nouvelles du XVIIe siècle*, Col. « Bibliothèque de la Pléiade », Gallimard, Paris, 1997

Ruth Finnegan, *Oral Poetry, Its nature, significance and social context*, Cambridge University Press, 1977.

Vladimir Propp, Morphologie du conte, Gallimard, 1970.

Tzvetan Todorov, Introduction à la littérature fantastique, Seuil, coll. Points, 1970.

Additional material may be provided by the Department.

**Evaluation:** The Internal assessment consists of marks secured in class tests, assignments/presentations and attendance.

The Continuous assessment will comprise of tutorials and attendance. Some of the activities that may be done as component of tutorials are as follows:

- Assignments/Presentations
- Literature review
- Book review
- Project activity (group)
- Research cum presentation
- Creative Writing/Term Paper writing
- Group discussion

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## **DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVES (DSE)**

## The following Discipline Specific Electives (DSEs) of 4 credits will be offered in Semesters VII

	Course Title						
DSE 5	Advanced Study of the Language						
	Study of a Genre: Theatre						
	Introduction to Literary Translation						
	Introduction to the Methodology of Teaching a Foreign Language						
	Introduction to Linguistics						
	Cultural History of France and Francophone Countries - 1						
	Language of the Media						
	Study of an Author						
	Understanding Contemporary Europe						
	History of 19th Century Literature						
	Research Methodology and Academic Writing						

Course title &	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility	Pre-requisite
Code		Lecture   Tutorial   Practical/		criteria	of the course	
				Practice		
Advanced Study	4	3	1	0	Passed	Attained a

of the Language	Class XII	language level
		in French
		equivalent to
		<b>B</b> 1

## **Advanced Study of the Language**

## **Learning Objectives:**

- Enable learners to partially attain B2 Level of reading, writing, listening and speaking skills in the concerned language.
- Impart required skill to understand and compose specialised audio-visual material and articles within and outside his/her field.

- Develop the capacity to give a clear, systematically developed presentation, highlighting significant points, and relevant supporting detail.
- Develops the capacity to present in a spontaneous manner without referring to a prepared text and demonstrate an adequate degree of fluency and ease of expression
- Develop the required skill to understand specialised articles, reports, documentaries, and films within and outside his/her field with the help of a dictionary.
- Develop required skills to prepare specialised written documents/reports/term papers for academic and professional needs

academic and professional needs					
Syllabus:					
UNIT I	12 Hours				
Reading: Reading, analysing and synthesizing information, ideas and opinions					
from highly specialised sources within his/her field/understanding specialised					
articles outside his/her field, provided he/she can use a dictionary/understanding					
lengthy, complex instructions in his/her field, including details on conditions and					
warnings, provided he/she can reread difficult sections/scanning longer texts in					
order to locate desired information, and gather information from different parts of					
a text, or from different texts in order to fulfil a specific task.					
Writing: Writing term papers on various topics/project reports/preparing news					
reports/ blog writing /writing applications /wall magazines /editorials/ brochures/					
newsletters etc.					
UNIT II	12 Hours				
Listening: Understanding recordings in standard dialect likely to be encountered in					
social, professional or academic life and identifying speaker's viewpoints and					
attitudes as well as the informational content.					
Speaking: More spontaneous oral communication skills both formal and informal					
through the discussion of a wide range of wide range of general, academic,					
vocational or leisure topics/contemporary socio-political issues, marking clearly					
the relationships between ideas. related to the Francophone World/ Production of					
audio-video clips/ Making detailed oral presentations/ Drama and songs					
UNIT III	11 Hours				
Lexical, Morphosyntactic and Phonological Competences:					
• Developing a good range of vocabulary for expressing one's views on					
matters connected to professional, academic, social and cultural domains.					
• Appropriate control of tenses and temporal notions, moods, voices,					
complex syntactical structures and logical connectors to produce clearly					
structured speech, texts in a coherent and cohesive manner.					
Developing clear, natural, pronunciation and intonation in French					

UNIT IV	10 Hours
• Co-cultural Competence: Developing the capacity to him- or herse	
confidently, clearly and politely in a formal or informal registe appropriate to the situation and person(s) concerned.	•
<ul> <li>Advanced knowledge of history, society, culture, gastronomy, geography political, economic and educational systems of France and Francophon</li> </ul>	

Learning/Teaching Material: Any of the textbooks given below may be prescribed:

Claire Charnet, Jacqueline Robin-Nipi, Activités - rédiger un résumé, un compte rendu, une synthèse, Hachette, Paris, 2017.

Georgeta Cislaru, Chantal Claudel, Monica Vlad, *L'écrit universitaire en pratique*, De Boeck Université, Bruxelles, 2017.

Jean-Michel Adam, La Linguistique textuelle, Armand Colin, Paris, 2015.

Louis-Marie Morfaux, Roger Prévost, Résumé et Synthèse de textes : Méthode et Exercices corrigés, Armand Colin, Paris, 2004.

Catherine Dollez, Michel Guillou, Cécile Herry, Sylvie Pons, Lucile Chapiro, *Alter ego 5 Livre de l'élève*, Hachette, Paris, 2010.

Annie Berthet, Cédric Louvel, *Alter Ego 5 - Cahier de perfectionnement*, Hachette, Paris, 2009. Dorothée Dupleix, Sébastien Durietz, Pauline Martin, Caroline Mraz Delphine Ripaud, Marie-Noëlle Cocton, *Saison 4 : Livre de l'élève*, Didier, Paris, 2015

Saison niveau 4, cahier d'activités, Anneline Dintilhac, Didier, Paris, 2015

A Bredelet, B Megre, W.M. Rodrigues: "Odysée B1, Méthode de français", CLÉ International, France, 2022

Nathalie Hirschsprung, Tony Tricot, Mathias van der Meulen, Emmanuelle Garcia,

« Cosmopolite B2, Méthode de français » Hachette, 2018, Dossiers 5-8.

Sophie Bruzy Todd, Delphine Jégou, Cedric Vial : « La Classe B2, Méthode de français », CLÉ International, 2018.

Marie Noelle Cocton (Coordination pédagogique), Camille Dereeper, Julien

Kohlmann, Delphine Ripaud, : « L'Atelier B2, Méthode de français », Les Éditions DIDIER, France, 2020.

Pascal Biras, Anna Chevrier, Stephanie Witta, Raphaëlle Fouillet (précis de

grammaire), Christain Ollivier (stratégies de lecture et d'écoute), Agustin Garmendia (Conseil pédagogique et révision) : « Défi –4 Méthode de français », Éditions Maison des Langues, 2019.

Marion Dufour, Julie Mainguet, Eugenie Mainguet, Sergei Opatski, Marion Perrard Ghislaine Tabareau « Edito-B2 Méthode de français ( 2 e édition) », Editions DIDIER FLE, 2018.

Amelie Brito, Emilie Bucher: "Odysée B2, Cahier d'activités", CLÉ International, France, 2022.

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- Assignments/Presentations
- Literature review
- Book review
- Project activity (group)
- Research cum presentation
- Creative Writing/Term Paper writing

- Group discussion
- Problem-solving exercises

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Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course		Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course	
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Study of a Genre: Theatre	4	3	1	0	Passed Class XII	Attained a language level in French equivalent to B1

## Study of a Genre: Theatre

#### **Learning Objectives:**

- Study of theatre as a genre and its specificities
- Study of the genre's evolution in French and Francophone Literature through a selection of representative authors from the Middle Ages till the present day.
- Imparting literary techniques and strategies to analyse theatre as a genre.

## **Learning Outcomes:**

- The student will develop an understanding of the specificities of the genre.
- The student will become familiar with the historical evolution of the genre.
- The student will read and be familiar with critical issues related to major plays of French and Francophone literature.

Syllabus:	
UNIT I	11 Hours
Literary theories related to theatre and performance studies	
UNIT II	11 Hours
Medieval and Renaissance forms of theatre	
Classicism	
UNIT III	11 Hours
18 <sup>th</sup> and 19 <sup>th</sup> Century Theatre	
UNIT IV	12 Hours
20 <sup>th</sup> and 21 <sup>st</sup> Century Theatre	
Francophone Theatre	

**Suggested Authors:** Racine, Corneille, Molière, Marivaux, Beaumarchais, Musset, Hugo, Feydeau, Maeterlink, Claudel, Cocteau, Genet, Giraudoux, Beckett, Ionesco, Sartre, Jarry, Artaud, Pagnol, Marie N'Diaye, Kossi Efoui, Hélène Cixous, Yasmina Réza, Maryse Condé, Wajdi Mouawad, Suzanne Lebeau etc.

## **Suggested Readings:**

Michel Corvin, *Dictionnaire encyclopédique du théâtre*, première édition en 1991 chez Bordas, dernière réédition Larousse 2008

Michel Vinaver, Écritures dramatiques, essai d'analyse de textes de théâtre, Actes Sud collection Babel, 1993

Monique Borie, Martine de Rougemont, Jacques Scherer, Esthétique théâtrale textes de Platon à Brecht, SEDES, 1982

Romain Fohr, Du décor à la scénographie, anthologie commentée de textes sur l'espace scénique, Éditions l'Entretemps, 2014

Patrice, Pavis, *Dictionnaire du théâtre*, première édition en 1987 chez Messidor/Éditions sociales, dernière réédition Armand Colin 2002

Patrice, Pavis, L'Analyse des spectacles, Armand Colin, dernière édition 2016

Etienne Souriau, (sous la direction de), Vocabulaire d'esthétique, PUF, 1990

Scénographes en France 1975 - 2015, Actes Sud, 2013

Additional material may be provided by the Department.

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- Assignments/Presentations.
- Literature review
- Book review
- Project activity (group)
- Research cum presentation
- Term Paper writing
- Group Discussion

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Course title	&	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility	Pre-requisite
Code			Lecture	Tutorial		criteria	of the course
					Practice		
Introduction	to	4	3	1	0	Passed	Attained a
Literary						Class XII	language
Translation							level in
							French
							equivalent to
							B1

## **Introduction to Literary Translation**

## **Learning Objectives:**

- Introduce students to debates around literary translation.
- Familiarize students with various strategies and methods pertaining to literary translation.
- Impart skills required for translation of specific genres.
- Provide an overview of literary translation in India.

- Students will be able to understand various issues of literary translation.
- Students will be able to apply various strategies and methods of translation of different kinds of literary texts.
- Students will be able to hone their practical translation skills.

Syllabi	ıs:						
UNIT	[						12 Hours
Issues	of	Translation	(Equivalence,	Fidelity,	Readability,	Rewriting,	
Approp	riatio	on)					

UNIT II	12 Hours
Strategies and Methods of Translation	
UNIT III	12 Hours
Translating narrative and essayistic texts	
UNIT IV	9 Hours
History of translation in India with focus on translation of French literary texts.	

Françoise Wuilmart, "La traduction littéraire: qualité et formation", *Le français et les langues d'Europe*, Presses Universitaires de Rennes, Rennes, 2011.

Georges, Mounin, Les belles infidèles, Presses Universitaires du Septentrion, édition 2016.

Awdhesh Kumar Singh, "Translation in/and Hindi Literature", *History of translation in India*, Edited by Tariq Khan, National Translation Mission, Mysuru, 2017.

Harish, Trivedi, "India, England, France: A (Post-) Colonial Translational Triangle", *Meta XLII*, 2, 1997.

Lefevere, André. "Translation, rewriting, and the manipulation of literary fame." (2016).

Newmark, Peter. "A textbook of translation." (2003).

Nord, Christiane. "Text analysis in translation: Theory, methodology, and didactic application of a model for translation-oriented text analysis." (2005).

Venuti, Lawrence. "The Translator's Invisibility. A History of Translation." (1995).

Additional material may be provided by the Department.

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The Continuous assessment will comprise of tutorials and attendance. Some of the activities that may be done as component of tutorials are as follows:

- Assignments/Presentations
- Literature review
- Book review
- Project activity (group)
- Research cum presentation
- Creative Writing/Term Paper writing
- Group discussion

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Course title	&	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility	Pre-requisite
Code			Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
					Practice		
Introduction	to	4	3	1	0	Passed	Attained a
the						Class XII	language
Methodology	of						level in
Teaching	a						French
Foreign							equivalent to
Language							B1

## Introduction to the Methodology of Teaching a Foreign Language

#### **Learning Objectives:**

- Create a basic awareness about a foreign language classroom and textbook.
- Establish a theoretical basis and introduce students to basic practical aspects of Foreign Language Teaching

## **Learning Outcomes:**

- Students will develop a basic understanding of elements of foreign language classroom and textbook
- Students will develop an understanding of various methods and approaches of foreign language learning and teaching.
- Students will learn to analyse a foreign language textbook and develop a lesson plan

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Synabus:	
UNIT I	11 Hours
Characteristics of a foreign language classroom. Models of learning/teaching	
UNIT II	11 Hours
Different methods/approaches to teaching a foreign language.	
UNIT III	11 Hours
Introduction to the four skills and Evaluation as defined by the CECR	
UNIT IV	12 Hours
Components of a textbook. Issues in material production. Self-Instruction	
Material	
Teaching language through games or ICT-enabled tools.	

## **Suggested Readings:**

Pierre Martinez, La didactique des langues, Presses Universitaires de France (2014).

Dominique Maingueneau, *Initiation aux methodes de l'analyse du discours. Problemes et perspectives*, Hachette (1979).

Moirand S.: Enseigner à communiquer en langue étrangère, Ed; Hachette, Paris, 1982.

Germain C.: Evolution de l'enseignement des langues: 5000 ans d'histoire, CLE International, Paris 1993

Additional material may be provided by the Department.

**Evaluation:** The Internal assessment consists of marks secured in class tests, assignments/presentations and attendance.

The Continuous assessment will comprise of tutorials and attendance. Some of the activities that may be done as component of tutorials are as follows:

- Assignments/Presentations
- Literature review
- Book review
- Project activity (group)
- Research cum presentation
- Term Paper writing
- Practice teaching
- Group discussion

Course title &	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility	<b>Pre-requisite</b>
Code		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
				Practice		
Introduction to Linguistics	4	3	1	0	Passed Class XII	Attained a language level in French

			equivalent to
			<b>B</b> 1

## **Introduction to Linguistics**

#### **Learning Objectives:**

- Familiarise students with critical issues only on general linguistics as well as on applied linguistics.
- To introduce various Linguistic theories that have emerged since Structuralism proposed by Ferdinand de Saussure

## **Learning Outcomes:**

- The student will be able to understand the structure and components of language and the fundamental concepts of linguistic inquiry.
- Students will be able to apply theory into practice in their own language acquisition process.

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Synabus:	
UNIT I	12 Hours
General Linguistics: Different branches of linguistics	
Definition and characteristics of a sign? Synchronic, diachronic study of	
linguistics, the Difference between "langue and parole,"	
UNIT II	11 Hours
Phonetics (Vowels, semi-vowels, consonants, syllables), and Phonology	
(elision, liaison, intonation)	
UNIT III	11 Hours
Morphology (Flexion, derivation), Syntax (basic structures of the French	
language, introduction to generative grammar)	
UNIT IV	11 Hours
Sociolinguistics, Concepts: Speech Acts, performance, competence,	
enunciation	
Jakobson's model of communication, Textual Grammar, Critical Discourse	
Analysis, Learner Corpora.	

#### **Suggested Readings:**

Baylon et Fabre: *Initiation à la linguistique*.

Vaissiere J. La Phonétique: Que sais-je? PUF, 2007.

Perrot J. La linguistique: Que sais-je? N 0 570, PUF 2010.

Guiraud P. La sémantique : Que sais-je? N 0 655, PUF 1991.

Calvet J.L. La sociolinguistique: Que sais-je? N 0 655, PUF 1999.

Callies M et Gotz S: Learner corpora in language testing and assessment, John Benjamins Publishing Company, Amsterdam.

Additional material may be provided by the Department.

Evaluation: The Internal assessment consists of marks secured in class tests, assignments/ presentations and attendance.

The Continuous assessment will comprise of tutorials and attendance. Some of the activities that may be done as component of tutorials are as follows:

- Assignments/Presentations.
- Literature review
- Book review
- Project activity (group)
- Research cum presentation

- Term Paper writing
- Group Discussion

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Course title &	Credi	Credit di	<b>Credit distribution of the course</b>			Pre-requisite
Code	ts	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
				Practice		
Cultural History	4	3	1	0	Passed	Attained a
in French and					Class XII	language
Francophone						level in
Countries-1						French
						equivalent to
						<b>B</b> 1

## **Cultural History in French and Francophone Countries-1**

## **Learning Objectives:**

- Familiarise students with major social and cultural movements and their reflection in literature and the arts
- Equip students to understand how historical contexts shape cultural lives of a given community.

- Provide an overview of important artistic, architectural, philosophical and literary Movements of France and Francophone Countries, representative figures, and their contribution from the Renaissance till French Revolution.
- Develop an understanding of structures and perspectives of everyday life
- Equip with tools to analyse historical documents and artifacts.

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Syllabus:	
UNIT I	9 Hours
Renaissance artistic, cultural, philosophical movements with special focus on	
Humanism and mannerism	
• Innovative techniques introduced by the Renaissance artists	
• The idea of Europe. Structures and Perspectives of Everyday life as seen by	
Renaissance figures	
UNIT II	12 Hours
Major cultural movements of the XVII century: Cartesianism, Protestantism,	
Baroque and Classicism	
Major cultural movements of the XVIII century: Enlightenment, Rococo and	
Neo-Classicism	
UNIT III	12 Hours
Major cultural movements of the XIX century: Romanticism, Realism,	
Symbolism, Impressionism, Expressionism etc.	
UNIT IV	12 Hours
Major cultural movements of the XX and XXI centuries: Cubism, Fauvism,	
Surrealism, Futurism, Art Deco, Modern Art, Existentialism, Absurd Theatre,	
Postmodernism, Neo-Realism, Postcolonialism, Decolonialism	
Suggested Readings:	
Lynn Hunt (ed.), The New Cultural History, Berkeley, Los Angeles et Londres,	University of

California Press, 1989.

Pascal Ory, «L'histoire culturelle de la France contemporaine. Question et questionnement», Vingtième siècle. Revue d'histoire, octobre-décembre 1987, pp. 67-82

Pascal, Ory, « Pour une histoire culturelle du contemporain », Revue d'histoire moderne et contemporaine, n° spécial, 39-1, Janvier-Mars 1992, pp. 3-147.

L'Histoire culturelle, Paris, PUF, coll. « Que sais-je? », 2004.

Philippe Poirrier, Les Enjeux de l'histoire culturelle, Paris, Points Seuil, 2004.

«Regards sur l'histoire culturelle», Cahiers du centre de recherches historiques, EHESS, n° 31, avril 2003.

Jean-Pierre Rioux, et Jean-François Sirinelli (dir.), *Pour une histoire culturelle*, Paris, Le Seuil, 1997.

Additional material may be provided by the Department.

**Evaluation:** The Internal assessment consists of marks secured in class tests, assignments/presentations and attendance.

The Continuous assessment will comprise of tutorials and attendance. Some of the activities that may be done as component of tutorials are as follows:

- Assignments/Presentations.
- Literature review
- Book review
- Project activity (group)
- Research cum presentation
- Term Paper writing
- Group Discussion

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Course title &	Credits	Credit di	Credit distribution of the course			<b>Pre-requisite</b>
Code		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
				Practice		
Language of the	4	3	1	0	Passed	Attained a
Media					Class XII	language
						level in
						French
						equivalent to
						<b>B1</b>

## Language of the Media

#### **Learning Objectives:**

- The course will introduce the representational and communicative practices developed in different forms of the media, i.e. cinema / electronic and print media.
- Equip students with basic tools to analyse materials produced by each

- The students will develop an understanding of the evolution of the various forms of the media
- The students will become familiar with the print media practices.
- The students will become familiar with the electronic media and cinema

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UNIT I	12 Hours

Origin and History of Media	
UNIT II	12 Hours
Evolution of the Print Media	
UNIT III	12 Hours
Evolution of Electronic Media	
UNIT IV	9 Hours
Introduction to Media Studies	

Kolker, Robert: Media Studies: An Introduction. Malden, MA: Wiley-Blackwell, 2009

Nelmes, Jill (ed.): An Introduction to Film Studies. 4th edition, London, New York: Routledge, 2007

Stam, Robert; Miller, Toby (eds.): Film and Theory: An Anthology, Oxford: Blackwell Publishers, 2000

Badley, Linda; Palmer, R. Barton; Schneider, Steven Jay: (eds.): *Traditions in World Cinema*. Edinburgh: Edinburgh University Press, 2006

Long, Paul; Wall, Tim: *Media Studies: Texts, Production and Context*. Harlow, Essex, New York: Pearson Longman, 2009

Additional material may be provided by the Department

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The Continuous assessment will comprise of tutorials and attendance. Some of the activities that may be done as component of tutorials are as follows:

- Assignments/Presentations.
- Literature review
- Book review
- Movie review
- Project activity (group)
- Research cum presentation
- Term Paper writing
- Group Discussion

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Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Study of an Author	4	3	1	0	Passed Class XII	Attained a language level in French equivalent to B1

#### Study of an Author

#### **Learning Objectives:**

- The course will focus on a selection of writings of a specific author with a view to examine the questions raised in her/his writings.
- Developing an in depth understanding of writing styles, thematic aspects and formal

choices of the writer.

• Understanding how the writings of an author evolve by engaging with his/her works through a comparative approach.

## **Learning Outcomes:**

- The students will develop an understanding of the author's writing styles through her/his works through a comparative approach.
- The students will become familiar with the questions and issues raised in the works studied.
- The students will develop a critical overview on the works produced by the author

Syllabus:	
UNIT I	12 Hours
Critical questions raised by the author	
UNIT II	12 Hours
Writing styles of the author	
UNIT III	12 Hours
Formal characteristics of her/his works	
UNIT IV	9 Hours
Reception of the works	

#### **Suggested Readings:**

François Rabelais, Marguerite de Navarre, Racine, Corneille, Molière, Jean de La Fontaine, J.J. Rousseau, Montesquieu, Voltaire, François-René de Châteaubriand, Victor Hugo, George Sand, Stendhal, H. de Balzac, Mme de Staël, Gustave Flaubert, Guy de Maupassant, Emile Zola, André Malraux, André Gide, Albert Camus, Marcel Proust, Alain Robbe-Grillet, Jean-Paul Sartre, Marguerite Duras, Nathalie Sarraute, Marguerite Yourcenar, Simone de Beauvoir, Hélène Cixous, Raymond Queneau, George Perec, Michel Butor, Philippe Claudel, Eugène Ionesco, Samuel Beckett, J.M.G. Le Clézio, Patrick Modiano, Annie Ernaux, Michel Houellebecq, Mongo Beti, Tahar Ben Jelloun, Assia Djebar, Alain Mabanckou, Azouz Bégag, Maryse condé, Ananda Dévi, Gabrielle Roy, Assia Djebar, Fatou Diome, Léonora Miano, Ken Bugul, Natacha Appanah, Edouard Glissant, Patrick Chamoiseau, Monique Proulx, Ramuz, Scholastique Mukasonga, Marie-Célie Agnant, Monique Proulx and other authors prescribed by the department.

Compagnon, A, Le démon de la théorie. Littérature et sens commun, Paris, Editions du Seuil, 1998

Barthes R., «La mort de l'auteur», *Le Bruissement de la langue*, Paris, Editions du Seuil, 1968. Barthes, R., *Le degré zéro de l'écriture suivi de Nouveaux essais critiques*, Paris, Editions du Seuil, 1953, and 1972.

Bessiere, Jean, *Qu'est-il arrivé aux écrivains français? D'Alain Robbe-Grillet à Jonathan Littell*, Loverval (Belgique), Editions Labor/Espaces de Libertés, coll. «Liberté j'écris ton nom», 2006.

Foucault, M., «Qu'est-ce qu'un auteur» (1969), Dits et Ecrits, Paris, Gallimard, 1994.

**Evaluation:** The Internal assessment consists of marks secured in class tests, assignments/presentations and attendance.

The Continuous assessment will comprise of tutorials and attendance. Some of the activities that may be done as component of tutorials are as follows:

- Assignments/Presentations
- Literature review
- Book review
- Project activity (group)
- Research cum presentation

- Term Paper writing
- Group Discussion

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Course title &	Credits	<b>Credit distribution of the course</b>			Eligibility	Pre-requisite
Code		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
				Practice		
Understanding	4	3	1	0	Passed	Attained a
Contemporary					Class XII	language
Europe						level in
						French
						equivalent to
						B1

#### **Understanding Contemporary Europe**

## **Learning Objectives:**

- Providing insights into contemporary Europe. It is conceived in three sections.
- Understanding Europe through its Films that draw attention to a range of current issues, both social and political.
- Developing and understanding of European history and politics during the post-war years from the perspective of their role in the formation of a common European identity
- Familiarising with critical issues that have emerged in Europe Today, after the formation of European Union

#### **Learning Outcomes:**

- The students will develop an understanding of contemporary Europe.
- The students will become familiar with the major issues and debates in the area of nationalism and transnationalism
- The students will develop a critical perspective to analyse the implications of European Union in contemporary times.

Syllabus:	
UNIT I	9 Hours
Introduction to Europe through contemporary Films	
UNIT II	12 Hours
The second, Fascist Challenge in Europe and Post World War II Reconstructions	
UNIT III	12 Hours
Origin and history of the transnational idea of Europe: The Founders of	
European cooperations, Europe as an idea and an ideal.	
UNIT IV	12 Hours
Europe Today: implications of the construction of the European Union (shift	
from nationalism to transnationalism) and its institutions	
European Union and its policies on immigration, industry and the arts and	
culture.	

#### **Suggested Readings:**

Carr, Matthew. Fortress Europe. The New Press, 2016

Holmes, Diana. Smith, Alison. 100 Years of European Cinema. Manchester University Press, 2000

Galt, Rosalind. The New European Cinema. NY: Columbia University Press, 2006

Gaddis, John Lewis, The Cold War, A New History. Penguin Books, 2006

Jenkins, Brian. Sofos, Spyros. *Nation and Identity in Contemporary Europe*. Routledge, 1996 Kepel, Gilles. *The War for Muslim Minds*. Belknap Press, 2006

Kingsley, Patrick. *The New Odyssey. The Story of Europe's Refugee Crisis*. Guardian Faber Publishing, 2016

Lloyd, John. Marconi, Cristina. Reporting the EU, News Media and the European Institutions. I.B. Tauris, 2014

Mazierska, Ewa. Rascaroli, Laura. From Moscow to Madrid: Postmodern Cities, European Cinema. I.B.Tauris, 2002

Paul Cooke Contemporary German Cinema. Manchester University Press, 2012

Sassoon, Donald. The Culture of the Europeans. Harper Collins UK, 2006

Additional material may be provided by the Department.

**Evaluation:** The Internal assessment consists of marks secured in class tests, assignments/presentations and attendance.

The Continuous assessment will comprise of tutorials and attendance. Some of the activities that may be done as component of tutorials are as follows:

- Assignments/Presentations
- Literature review
- Book review
- Movie review
- Project activity (group)
- Research cum presentation
- Term Paper writing
- Group Discussion

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Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/		
				Practice		
History of 19th Century Literature	4	3	1	0	Passed Class XII	Attained a language level in French equivalent to
						B1

#### **History of 19th Century Literature**

## **Learning Objectives:**

- To introduce students to major literary movements that emerged in the 19<sup>th</sup> Century
- To develop an understanding of the political, historical and social contexts in which these works emerged
- Developing and understanding of the innovations and changes brought by 19<sup>th</sup> century writers.

## **Learning Outcomes:**

• Students will be able to identify the basic characteristics of each literary movements that emerged in the 19<sup>th</sup> century

- The students will be able to relate the literary works to the historical, political and cultural contexts that shaped these movements
- The students will be able to understand the similarities and differences of each literary movement.
- Students will be equipped with analytical tools to study the literary works of this century.

Syllabus:	
UNIT I	11 Hours
Romanticism	
UNIT II	11 Hours
Realism	
UNIT III	11 Hours
Parnasse & Symbolism	
UNIT IV	12 Hours
Impressionism and Expressionism	
Naturalism	

- D. Renée and B. Lecherbonnier, (1986) *Littérature, textes et documents*, Du Moyen Age au 20e siecle, 5 volumes, collection dirigée par Henri Mitterand, Paris : Nathan.
- Du Moyen-âge au XXe siècle, 3 volumes, (1988) Itinéraires littératires, collection dirigée par G. Décole, Paris : Hatier.
- Ferroudja Allouache, Nicole Blondeau, (2019), *Littérature progressive du français Niveau avancé*, Paris : CLE International
- Ferroudja Allouache, Nicole Blondeau, (2020) *Littérature progressive de la francophonie*, Paris : CLE International.
- Françoise Ploquin, Laurent Hermeline, Dominique Rolland, (2000), *Littérature française : les textes essentiels*, Paris : Hachette
- Jean-Louis Joubert, (1997), Litterature Francophone Anthologie, Paris: Cideb.
- Michel Laurin, Laurin, Marie-Elaine Philippe, (2013), Anthologie littéraire de 1800 à aujourd'hui 3ème édition, Québec : Beauchemin.
- Valette, Giovaacchini et al, (1993) *Anthologie de la littérature française et européenne*, Paris : F. Nathan.

Additional material may be provided by the Department.

**Evaluation:** The Internal assessment consists of marks secured in class tests, assignments/presentations and attendance.

The Continuous assessment will comprise of tutorials and attendance. Some of the activities that may be done as component of tutorials are as follows:

- Assignments/Presentations
- Literature review
- Book review
- Project activity (group)
- Research cum presentation
- Term Paper writing
- Group Discussion

& Code		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	the course
				Practice		
Research	4	3	1	0	Passed	Attained a
Methodology					Class XII	language level in
and						French
Academic						equivalent to B1
Writing						

## Research Methodology and Academic Writing

## **Learning Objectives:**

- Enable students to conduct clearly structured academic research in the field of literary, cultural, translation or didactic studies
- Equip students with tools to report, document, present research findings, observations, analysis and arguments clearly in an academic format
- Familiarize students with various forms of academic writings such as research papers, monographs, conference presentations, academic essays, book review, literature review, dissertation and thesis.

- To enable students to structure and write an academic writing project following the standard norms and conventions of academic writing
- To conduct research in Humanities following a methodological framework and report the findings in the form of an academic paper/article/dissertation/thesis.
- Can produce coherent argumentative/persuasive texts in order to present and defend one's point of view.

Syllabus:	
UNIT I	9 hours
Structure of academic Writing:	
<ul> <li>Introduction that includes research question, hypothesis, research</li> </ul>	
objective, methodology and plan of the academic paper/dissertation	
Development: How to divide the key arguments/findings in	
subparts/chapters	
• Conclusion: How to synthesise arguments/observations/findings and	
conclude	
UNIT II	12hours
• Research planning: Methods of Data Collection: Review of	
Literature, ways to conduct a survey: survey questionnaire, sample	
size, sample collection	
• Usage of software and other tools to document, classify and analyse	
the collected data.	
UNIT III	12hours
Stylistic conventions of argumentative texts	
Difference between claims and justifications	
How to present arguments based on evidence	
How to use connectors to produce coherent texts	
Incorporate scholarly research and counter arguments	
• Reference work in form of footnotes, citations of sources, annotated	
bibliography etc (Various styles of references such as APA, MLA,	
Chicago etc.)	
• Plagiarism and ethics of research: Software to detect and avoid	
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plagiarism	
UNIT IV	12hours
• Research Methods and Methodology (Qualitative, Quantitative,	
Comparative, Analytical, Descriptive, Thematic etc.)	
Research Approaches (Marxist, Psychoanalytical, Structuralist, Post-	
structuralist, Feminist, Post-colonial, phenomenological etc.)	

Any of the textbooks given below may be prescribed:

- 1. Brian Paltridge and Sue Starfield, *Thesis and Dissertation Writing in a Second Language*, Routledge, 2007.
- 2. Creswell J., Research Design: Qualitative, Quantitative, and Mixed Methods Approaches, Thousand Oaks, California, (2003), Sage Publications
- 3. Patton M.Q., *Qualitative research & evaluation methods* (3rd edition), Thousand Oaks, California: (2002), Sage Publications.
- 4. Raman Selden, Peter Widdowson Peter Brooker, *A Reader's Guide to Contemporary Literary Theory*, Pearson Education Limited, 2005 (fifth edition).

Additional material may be provided by the Department.

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- Assignments/Presentations.
- Literature review
- Book review
- Movie review
- Project activity (group)
- Research cum presentation
- Term Paper writing

**Group Discussion** 

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#### **Semester VIII**

DSC - 20	Themes and Strategies in French Literature					
	Rhetoric and Composition					
	Study of a Genre: Poetry					
	Study of a Genre: Novel					
	Literary Translation: Theory and Practice					
	Methodology of Teaching a Foreign Language: Theory and Practice					
	Cultural History of France and Francophone Countries -2					
Pool of DSEs	Language of the Arts					
	Critical Issues in French Studies					
	History of 20th Century Literature					
	Introduction to Comparative Literature					

## DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSE— 20 (DSC-20) Themes and Strategies in Literature

Course	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility	Pre-requisite
title &		Lecture Tutorial Practical/		criteria	of the course	
Code				Practice		(if any)
Themes	4	3	1	0	Passed Class	Attained a
and					XII	language level
Strategies						in French
in						equivalent to
Literature						<b>B</b> 1

## DSC-20 Themes and Strategies in Literature

## **Learning Objectives:**

- Study of particular themes along with the narrative, cultural, and ideological strategies involved. A new theme is chosen every year.
- Students develop analytical skills to study a literary theme
- Students develop the capacity to distinguish between theme and motif in Literature
- Students develop an understanding of critical issues related to the chosen theme

## **Learning Outcomes:**

- Orients students towards the Study of particular themes along with the narrative, cultural & ideological strategies involved.
- Enables students to critically engage with various aspects involved in analysing the
- Enables students to analyse a variety of narrative and generic techniques to represent the same theme.

#### **Syllabus:**

UNIT I	9 Hours
Study of the theoretical questions related to the theme	
UNIT II	12 Hours
Study and analysis of literary texts that are based on the theme	
UNIT III	12 Hours
Study of the formal devices deployed to depict the theme	
UNIT IV	12 Hours
Comparative analysis of the studied texts	

#### Practical component (if any) – NIL

#### **Suggested Readings:**

Michel Patillon, Précis d'analyse littéraire : structures de la fiction, Nathan, 1974

Robert Escarpit et al., Le littéraire et le social, Flammarion, 1970.

R Barthes, W. Kayser, W. Booth, P. Hamon., *Poétique du récit*, Editions du Seuil, Paris, 1977.

Bennett, Andrew, and Nicholas Royle. *An Introduction to Literature, Criticism and Theory*. Harlow: Pearson Education Limited. 2009

Waugh, Patricia. Literary Theory and Criticism: An Oxford Guide. Oxford: OUP, 2006

## Readings would be suggested by the Department on the basis of the theme chosen.

**Evaluation:** The Internal assessment consists of marks secured in class tests, assignments/presentations and attendance.

The Continuous assessment will comprise of tutorials and attendance. Some of the activities that may be done as component of tutorials are as follows:

- Assignments/Presentations.
- Literature review
- Book review
- Project activity (group)
- Research cum presentation
- Term Paper writing
- Group Discussion

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DSC - 20	Themes and Strategies in French Literature				
	Rhetoric and Composition				
	Study of a Genre: Poetry				
	Study of a Genre: Novel				
	Literary Translation: Theory and Practice				
	Methodology of Teaching a Foreign Language: Theory and Practice				
	Cultural History of Italy-2				
Pool of DSEs	Language of the Arts				
	Critical Issues in Italian Studies				
History of 20th Century Literature					
	Introduction to Comparative Literature				

## DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVES

Course title &	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility	<b>Pre-requisite</b>
Code		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
				Practice		
Rhetoric and Composition	4	3	1	0	Passed Class XII	Attained a language level in French equivalent to B1

## **Rhetoric and Composition**

## **Learning Objectives:**

- Introduce students to literary and stylistic devices commonly used in the language
- Familiarize students with literary tropes and genres
- Introduce students to commonly used idiomatic expressions, proverbs and their historical origin.
- Introduce students to advanced techniques of composition

- Enable students to identify and analyse common figures of speech,
- Enable students to identify various literary Tropes and genres
- Enable students to understand Idioms and Proverbs in their socio-historic contexts

Equip students to write advanced level compositions	
Syllabus:	
UNIT I	11 Hours
Definition and study with examples of Common figures of speech: Metaphors,	
Similes, Metonyms, Hyperboles, Personification, Alliteration, Oxymoron and	
Synecdoche.	
UNIT II	11 Hours
Literary Tropes: Humour and Irony, Puns, Tautology, Allegories, Allusions,	
Apologia, Clichés, Euphemism, Climax and Anticlimax, Paradox, Analogies.	
UNIT III	11 Hours
Idioms and Proverbs with their historical origin.	
UNIT IV	12 Hours
Different literary genres: Myths, Epics, Chivalric romances, Picaresque novel,	
Comedy, Tragicomedy and Farce, Satires, Biography, Autobiography and	
Memoirs, Essays and Epistles, Social Realism., Travel Literature	

Beckson, Karl and Ganz, Arthur, *Literary Terms, A Dictionary*, Delhi: Rupa (1960, 1991). Dominique Coutant-Defer, *Comment rédiger un commentaire composé?*, Editeur : Le PetitLitteraire(2014).

Dominique Coutant-Defer, Comment rédiger une fiche de lecture?, Editeur : le PetitLitteraire(2014).

Alexis Chabot, *Culture générale : Méthodologie de la dissertation*, Ellipses Marketing (2004). Additional material may be provided by the Department.

**Evaluation:** The Internal assessment consists of marks secured in class tests, assignments/ presentations and attendance.

The Continuous assessment will comprise of tutorials and attendance. Some of the activities that may be done as component of tutorials are as follows:

- Assignments/Presentations
- Literature review
- Book review
- Project activity (group)
- Research cum presentation
- Creative Writing/Term Paper writing
- Group discussion

Course title &	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility	<b>Pre-requisite</b>
Code		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
				Practice		
Study of a	4	3	1	0	Passed	Attained a
Genre: Poetry					Class XII	language
						level in
						French
						equivalent to
						<b>B</b> 1

	Study of a Genre: Poetry	
<b>Learning Objectives:</b>		

- Study of poetry as a genre and its development through a selection of representative authors from the Middle Ages till the present day.
- Imparting tools and techniques for analysing poetic texts
- Familiarising students with various poetic forms

#### **Learning Outcomes:**

- The students will develop an understanding of the specificities of the genre.
- The students will be able to apply various tools to analyse poetic texts
- The students will become familiar with the historical evolution of the genre.
- The students will be able to identify characteristics of specific poetic forms.
- The students will read the major poets of French literature.

The students will read the major poets of French literature.	
Syllabus:	
UNIT I	11 Hours
Introduction to Poetics	
Characteristics of poetic forms of the Medieval period.	
Suggested authors: Charles d'Orleans, François Villon	
UNIT II	11 Hours
Study and analysis of poetic texts from the Renaissance period	
Suggested authors: The poets of Pléiade, such as Pierre de Ronsard, Louise Labé,	
Marguerite de Navarre, J. du Bellay etc.	
Study and analysis of poetic texts from the XVII Century	
Suggested authors: Agrippa D'Aubigny, Nicholas Boileau, Jean de la Fontaine	
etc.	
UNIT III	11 Hours
Study and analysis of poetic texts from the XVIII Century	
Suggested authors: Voltaire, André Chenier etc.	
Study and analysis of poetic texts from the XIX Century	
Suggested authors: Victor Hugo, Alfred de Musset, Alfred de Vigny, Alphonse	
de Lamartine, Gérard de Nerval, Théophile Gautier, Charles Baudelaire,	
Stéphane Mallarmé, Paul Verlaine, Arthur Rimbaud.	
UNIT IV	12 Hours
Study and analysis of poetic texts from the XX and XXI Centuries	
Suggested authors: Guillaume Apollinaire, Paul Valery, André Breton, Paul	
Eluard, Louis Aragon, Francis Ponge, Jacques Prévert, Michel Deguy, Blaise	
Cendrars, Aimé Césaire, Leopold Sédar Senghor, Edouard Glissant, Khâl	
Thorabully, Natacha Kanapé Fontaine, Jacques Rabemananjara, etc.	

#### **Suggested Readings:**

André Breton, Position politique du Surréalisme, (1935), Reed. Gonthier, Paris, 1972.

Clause Abastado, Mythes et rituels de l'écriture, Editions Complexe, Paris, 1979.

C. Zilberberg, Raison et poétique du sens, Presses Universitaires de France, 1988.

Daniel Delas, Guide méthodique poésie, Nathan, Paris, 1990.

- G. Genette, Figures II "Langage poétique, poétique du langage", Seuil, Paris, 1972.
- G. POULET, *Etudes sur le temps humain* [en particulier, Baudelaire dans le tome I, Hugo et Mallarmé dans le II, Char, Supervielle, Eluard, Saint-John Perse, Reverdy dans le III], 10/18.

Henri Mechonnic, Les états de la poétique, Presses Universitaires de France, Paris 1985.

Jean Rousset, *Anthologie de la poésie baroque française*, Tome I et II, Armand Colin, Paris, 1968.

- J.M. Adam, *Pour lire le poème*, De Boeck-Duculot, Paris, 1985.
- J.L. Joubert, *La poésie*, Armand Colin, Paris, 1988.
- J.-P Richard, *Poésie et Profondeur* [Baudelaire, Rimbaud, Verlaine], Seuil, Paris, 1965.

J Mazaleyrat, Eléments de métrique française, A. Colin, Paris, 1974.

Additional material may be provided by the Department

**Evaluation:** The Internal assessment consists of marks secured in class tests, assignments/presentations and attendance.

The Continuous assessment will comprise of tutorials and attendance. Some of the activities that may be done as component of tutorials are as follows:

- Assignments/Presentations
- Literature review
- Book review
- Project activity (group)
- Research cum presentation
- Creative Writing/Term Paper writing
- Group discussion

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Course title &	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility	Pre-requisite
Code		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice	criteria	of the course
Study of a Genre: Novel	4	3	1	0	Passed Class XII	Attained a language level in French equivalent to B1

## **Study of a Genre: Novel**

#### **Learning Objectives:**

- Study of the novel and its development through a selection of representative authors from the Renaissance till the present day.
- Imparting techniques and narratological strategies to analyse novel

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- The student will develop an understanding of the specificities of the genre.
- The student will become familiar with the historical evolution of the genre.
- The student will read the major authors of French and Francophone literature.
- Students will be able to identify and analyse themes depicted in novels

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Syllabus:	
UNIT I	9 Hours
Theories of the Novel and various sub-genres of novel	
UNIT II	12 Hours
Origins of the novel from the Renaissance to the 18 <sup>th</sup> century	
UNIT III	12 Hours
Novels of the 19 <sup>th</sup> Century	
UNIT IV	12 Hours
Novels of the 20 <sup>th</sup> and 21 <sup>st</sup> Centuries	
Francophone Novels	
Suggested authors: François Rabelais, Madame de Lafayette	, J.J. Rousseau,

Montesquieu, Choderlos de Laclos, Denis Diderot, H. de Balzac, Mme de Staël, Gustave Flaubert, François-René de Chateaubriand, Stendhal, George Sand, Emile Zola, André Malraux, André Gide, Albert Camus, Marcel Proust, Alain Robbe-Grillet, Jean-Paul Sartre, Marguerite Duras, Nathalie Sarraute, Patrick Modiano, Annie Ernaux, Michel Houellebecq, Mongo Beti, Tahar Ben Jelloun, Assia Djebar, Alain Mabanckou, Azouz Bégag, Maryse condé, Ananda Dévi, Gabrielle Roy, Natacha Appanah, Patrick Chamoiseau, Marie-Célie Agnant etc.

## **Suggested Readings:**

Bernard Pingaud, Expérience Romanesque, Gallimard, coll. Idees, 1983.

Dorothy J. Hale, *Social Formalism: The Novel in Theory from Henry James to the Present*, Stanford University Press, California, 1998.

Georg Lukàcs, The Historical Novel, University of Nebraska Press, Londres, 1983.

Gérard Genette, Figures III, Seuil, Paris, 1972.

Nouveau discours du récit, Seuil, Paris, 1983, J.-M Adam, Le récit, Col. « Que Saisje? », PUF, Paris, 1984.

Le Texte narratif, Nathan, Paris, 1985.

Jean Ricardou, Problèmes du nouveau roman, Seuil, coll. Tel Quel, 1976.

Jeremy Hawthorn, Studying the Novel: An Introduction, Universal Book Stall, New Delhi,

1985Lennard J Davis., *Resisting Novels: Ideology and Fiction*, Methuen, New York, 1987. Lucien Goldmann, *Pour une sociologie du roman*, Gallimard, Paris, 1964.

Maurice-Jean Lefebvre, *Structure du discours de la poésie et du récit*, Éditions de la Baconnière, Neuchatel, 1971.

M.M Bakhtine., *Esthétique et théorie du roman*, trad. Par Dara Olivier, Gallimard, Paris, 1978 Michel Zéraffa, *Roman et Société*, Presses Universitaires de France, Paris, 1971.

Michel Patillon, *Précis d'analyse littéraire : structures de la fiction*, Nathan, 1974 Robert Escarpit et al., *Le littéraire et le social*, Flammarion, 1970.

R Barthes, W. Kayser, W. Booth, P. Hamon., *Poétique du récit*, Editions du Seuil, Paris, 1977. Susan Sniader Lanser, *The Narrative Act: Point of View in Prose Fiction*, Princeton University Press, Princeton, New Jersey, 1981.

Wallace Martin, Recent Theories of Narrative, Cornell University Press, Ithaca, 1986.

Tzvetan Todorov, *Poétique de la Prose*, Éditions du Seuil, Paris, 1971.

Additional material may be provided by the Department.

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The Continuous assessment will comprise of tutorials and attendance. Some of the activities that may be done as component of tutorials are as follows:

- Assignments/Presentations
- Literature review
- Book review
- Project activity (group)
- Research cum presentation
- Term Paper writing
- Group Discussion

Course title &	Credits	Credit distributio	on of the	Eligibility	<b>Pre-requisite</b>
Code		course		criteria	of the course
		Lecture Tutorial	Practical/		

				Practice		
Literary	4	3	1	0	Passed Class	Attained a
Translation:					XII	language
Theory and						level in
Practice						French
						equivalent to
						B1

## **Literary Translation: Theory and Practice**

#### **Learning Objectives:**

- Introduce students to debates around literary translation.
- Impart skills required for translation of specific genres.
- Familiarize students with the reception of translated literature and translation criticism.
- Provide an overview of literary translation in French-speaking countries.

#### **Learning Outcomes:**

- Students will be able to think critically and theoretically about translation.
- Students will be able to apply various strategies and methods of translation of different kinds of literary texts.
- Students will be able to further hone their practical translation skills.

Syllabus:	
UNIT I	12 Hours
Challenges of translation (Translatability, Untranslatability, question of	
dialects, language registers, cultural nuances, humour etc.)	
UNIT II	12 Hours
Translating poetic and dramatic texts	
UNIT III	12 Hours
Translation criticism and reception of translated literature	
UNIT IV	9 Hours
History of translation in French-speaking countries with focus on	
translations of Indian literary texts.	

#### **Suggested Readings:**

Belloc, Hilaire. "On translation.",1959.

Burger, Maya, and Nicola Pozza. "India in Translation through Hindi Literature.", 2010.

Christof-Füchsle, Martin, and Razak Khan. "Nodes of Translation.", 2024.

Gentzler, Edwin: "Contemporary translation theories, 2001.

Lefevere, André. "Translation, rewriting, and the manipulation of literary fame.", 2016.

Pavis, Patrice, Le théâtre au croisement des cultures, Librairie de José Corti, Paris, 1990.

Steiner, George, Après Babel: Une poétique du dire et de la traduction, Editions Albin Michel, Paris, 1998.

Venuti, Lawrence. "The scandals of translation: Towards an ethics of difference." (1998).

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- Literature review
- Book review
- Project activity (group)

- Research cum presentation
- Term Paper writing
- Group Discussion

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Course title & Code	Credits	Credi	it distribut course		Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/		
				Practice		
Methodology of	4	3	1	0	Passed Class	Attained a
Teaching a					XII	language
Foreign						level in
Language:						French
Theory and						equivalent to
Practice						<b>B</b> 1

## Methodology of Teaching a Foreign Language: Theory and Practice

#### **Learning Objectives:**

- Create an awareness about cultural plurality and the importance of intercultural communication in a foreign language classroom.
- Establish a theoretical basis and enable students to make lesson plans.
- Enable students to design and plan a teaching unit

#### **Learning Outcomes:**

- Students will develop an understanding of the notions related to Foreign Language teaching.
- Students will understand the role of culture and intercultural in a Foreign Language classroom
- Students will learn to develop a lesson plan while using authentic documents (les documents authentiques).
- The students will be able to develop a teaching unit

Syllabus:	
UNIT I	9 Hours
Role of cultural, intercultural and co-cultural competence in the Foreign	
Language classroom	
UNIT II	12 Hours
Introduction to "Portfolio Européen des Langues » and CECR	
UNIT III	12 Hours
Authentic documents and their usages in a Foreign Language classroom	
UNIT IV	12 Hours
Lesson plan and its importance in a foreign language classroom.	
Planning and designing a Teaching Unit	

#### **Suggested Readings:**

Pierre Martinez, La didactique des langues, Presses Universitaires de France (2014).

Moirand S.: Enseigner à communiquer en langue étrangère, Ed; Hachette, Paris, 1982.

Germain C.: Evolution de l'enseignement des langues: 5000 ans d'histoire, CLE International, Paris 1993

Jean-Pierre Cuq et Isabelle Gruca, *Cours de didactique du français langue étrangère et seconde*, Presse universitaires de Grenoble, 2008

Jean-Marc Defays, Sarah Deltour, *Le français langue étrangère et seconde : enseignement et apprentissage*, Editions Mardaga, 2003

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The Continuous assessment will comprise of tutorials and attendance. Some of the activities that may be done as component of tutorials are as follows:

- Assignments/Presentations
- Literature review
- Book review
- Project activity (group)
- Research cum presentation
- Term Paper writing
- Practice teaching and making lesson plans
- Group Discussion

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Course title & Code	Credits	Credi	t distributi course	on of the	Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Cultural History-2	4	3	1	0	Passed Class XII	Attained a language level in French equivalent to B1

## **Cultural History of France and Francophone Countries-2**

#### **Learning Objectives:**

- Familiarise students with major social and cultural movements and their reflection in literature and the arts
- Equip students to understand how historical contexts shape cultural lives of a given community.

- Provide an overview of important artistic, architectural, philosophical and literary Movements of France and Francophone Countries, representative figures, and their contribution from the French Revolution till the 21st Century.
- Develop an understanding of structures and Perspectives of Everyday life
- Students will be able to prepare a synthesis of historical documents and artifacts.

Syllabus:	Sv	lla	bu	s:
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Syllabas	
UNIT I	12 Hours
French Revolution, directoire and 1st Empire	
Restoration and the July Revolution	
UNIT II	12 Hours
2 <sup>nd</sup> Republic and the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Empire and Industrial Revolution	
Formation and the Challenges of the III Republic	

UNIT III	12 Hours
2 <sup>nd</sup> world War and the IVth Republic	
UNIT IV	11 Hours
The Vth Republic and the European Union	

Roger Chartier, « L'histoire culturelle aujourd'hui », *Genèses*, 15, mars 1994, pp. 115-129 Id., « L'histoire culturelle », in Jacques REVEL et Nathan WECHTEL (dir.), *Une école pour les sciences sociales*, Paris, Le Cerf/EHESS, 1996, pp. 73-92

Lynn Hunt (ed.), *The New Cultural History*, Berkeley, Los Angeles et Londres, University of California Press, 1989.

Pascal Ory, «L'histoire culturelle de la France contemporaine. Question et questionnement», Vingtième siècle. Revue d'histoire, octobre-décembre 1987, pp. 67-82

Pascal, Ory, « Pour une histoire culturelle du contemporain », Revue d'histoire moderne et contemporaine, n° spécial, 39-1, Janvier-Mars 1992, pp. 3-147.

L'Histoire culturelle, Paris, PUF, coll. « Que sais-je? », 2004.

Philippe Poirrier, Les Enjeux de l'histoire culturelle, Paris, Points Seuil, 2004.

«Regards sur l'histoire culturelle», Cahiers du centre de recherches historiques, EHESS, n° 31, avril 2003.

Jean-Pierre Rioux, et Jean-François Sirinelli (dir.), *Pour une histoire culturelle*, Paris, Le Seuil, 1997.

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- Assignments/Presentations.
- Literature review
- Book review
- Project activity (group)
- Research cum presentation
- Term Paper writing
- Group Discussion

Course title &	Credits	Credit di	istribution	of the course	Eligibility	<b>Pre-requisite</b>
Code		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
				Practice		
Critical Issues in	4	3	1	0	Passed	Attained a
Literature					Class XII	language
						level in
						French
						equivalent to
						<b>B</b> 1

	Critical Issues in Literature	
<b>Learning Objectives:</b>		

- Engaging with specific issues related to French and Francophone literary and cultural studies (Ex. alterity, memory, emotions, utopia, popular culture, technology, hyperreality, ecology, postcoloniality and decoloniality, migration, displacement, exile, marginalisation, border etc.).
- Specific readings would be suggested on the basis of the issues / areas selected.

#### **Learning Outcomes:**

- The students will develop an understanding of the specific issues and their representations.
- The students will be familiar with some literary and theoretical texts as well as cultural productions around the issues.
- Since the issues taken up could change from time to time, the specific outcome may be different, but students would become familiar with one issue and its theoretical and literary underpinnings.

Syllabus:	
UNIT I	12 Hours
Theoretical framework in order to understand and analyse the specific issue	
UNIT II	12 Hours
Study and analysis of the issue through selected texts	
UNIT III	12 Hours
Developing a comparative approach to engage with the issue.	
UNIT IV	11 Hours
Contemporary debates related to the selected critical perspective	

**Suggested readings:** Although theoretical texts may vary depending on the selected critical area, following are some general readings that can be suggested:

- 1. Bessière Jean, Principes de la théorie littéraire, PUF, Paris, 2005.
- 2. Williams, Raymond: *Keywords: A Vocabulary of Culture and Society*. New York: Oxford University Press, 1983.
- 3. Bennett, Tony; Grossberg, Lawrence; Morris, Meaghan: *New Keywords: A Revised Vocabulary of Culture and Society*, Malden, MA: Blackwell Publishing, 2005.
- 4. Bourdieu, Pierre: *The Field of Cultural Production*. New York: Columbia University Press, 1993
- 5. Eco, Umberto: *On Literature*. London: Vintage, 2006.

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- Assignments/Presentations
- Literature review
- Book review
- Project activity (group)
- Research cum presentation
- Term Paper writing
- Group discussion

Course title & C	Credits   Credit distribution of	he course   Eligibility	<b>Pre-requisite</b>
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Code		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice	criteria	of the course
Language of the Arts	4	3	1	0	Passed Class XII	Attained a language level in French equivalent to B1

#### Language of the Arts

## **Learning Objectives:**

- To introduce the specific artistic practices of various art forms such as visual, performing and other arts.
- Approaches and methodological tools to study and analyse visual and performing arts

#### **Learning Outcomes:**

- Provide an overview of important European Art Movements, representative painters, and their artworks: Spanish Baroque, Flemish School, French Impressionists, Spanish Surrealists, Italian Baroque, etc.
- Develop an understanding of structures and perspectives of everyday life as seen by painters.
- Equip with tools to analyse artworks.

#### Syllabus:

Synabus.	
UNIT I	9 Hours
Introduction to Methods and Approaches to analysing an Artwork	
UNIT II	12 Hours
Elements of Art	
UNIT III	12 Hours
Components of Art	
UNIT IV	12 Hours
Evolution of various artistic movements in France and Francophone Countries	

#### **Suggested Readings:**

- Adams, Laurie Schneider, (1996), *The Methodologies of Art: An Introduction*, NY: Westview Press.
- Arnason, H. H. (2003), *History of Modern Art: Painting, Sculpture, Architecture, Photography*, New York: Prentice Hall.
- Boime, Albert (1990) A Social History of Modern Art, Volumes 5, Chicago: University of Chicago Press,
- Burckhardt, Jacob. (2004). *The Civilization of the Renaissance in Italy* (1855), New York: Penguin
- Guitemie Maldonado, Marie-Pauline Martin, Natacha Pernac, Rowley Neville, (2019), Bescherelle - Chronologie de l'histoire de l'art: de la Renaissance à nos jours, Paris : Hatier.
- Hopkins, David, (2000), After Modern Art 1945-2000 (Oxford History of Art), NY: OUP.
- Patrick Weber, (2017), Histoire de l'art et des styles: Architecture, peinture, sculpture, de l'Antiquité à nos jours Poche, Paris : Librio.
- Read, Herbert (1984), *Meaning of Art*, London: Faber & Faber.
- Xavier Barral, I. Altet, (2013), Histoire de l'art, Paris : PUF

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- Assignments/Presentations
- Literature review
- Book review
- Project activity (group)
- Research cum presentation
- Term Paper writing
- Group Discussion

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Course title &	Credits	<b>Credit distribution of the course</b>			Eligibility	Pre-requisite
Code		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
				Practice		
History of 20th Century Literature	4	3	1	0	Passed Class XII	Attained a language level in French equivalent to
						B1

#### **History of 20th Century Literature**

#### **Learning Objectives:**

- To introduce students to major literary movements that emerged in the 20<sup>th</sup> Century
- To develop an understanding of the political, historical and social contexts in which these works emerged
- Developing and understanding of the innovations and changes brought by 20<sup>th</sup> century writers.

- Students will be able to identify the basic characteristics of each literary movements that emerged in the 20th century
- The students will be able to relate the literary works to the historical, political and cultural contexts that shaped these movements
- The students will be able to understand the similarities and differences of each literary movement.
- Students will be equipped with analytical tools to study the literary works of this century.

Syllabus:	
UNIT I	11 Hours
Fin de siècle, Dadaism and Surrealism,	
UNIT II	12 Hours
Stream of Consciousness,	
Existentialism,	
The Absurd	
The New Novel	
UNIT III	11 Hours

Oulipo and Postmodernism	
UNIT IV	11 Hours
Francophone Literature: From Négritude to Littérature Monde	

- D. Renée and B. Lecherbonnier, (1986) *Littérature, textes et documents*, Du Moyen Age au 20e siecle, 5 volumes, collection dirigée par Henri Mitterand, Paris : Nathan.
- Du Moyen-âge au XXe siècle, 3 volumes, (1988) Itinéraires littératires, collection dirigée par G. Décole, Paris : Hatier.
- Ferroudja Allouache, Nicole Blondeau, (2019), *Littérature progressive du français Niveau avancé*, Paris : CLE International
- Ferroudja Allouache, Nicole Blondeau, (2020) *Littérature progressive de la francophonie*, Paris : CLE International.
- Françoise Ploquin, Laurent Hermeline, Dominique Rolland, (2000), *Littérature française : les textes essentiels*, Paris : Hachette
- Jean-Louis Joubert, (1997), Litterature Francophone Anthologie, Paris: Cideb.
- Michel Laurin, Laurin, Marie-Elaine Philippe, (2013), *Anthologie littéraire de 1800 à aujourd'hui 3ème édition*, Québec : Beauchemin.
- Valette, Giovaacchini et al, (1993) *Anthologie de la littérature française et européenne*, Paris : F. Nathan. Additional material may be provided by the Department.

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- Assignments/Presentations
- Literature review
- Book review
- Project activity (group)
- Research cum presentation
- Term Paper writing
- Group Discussion

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Code		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/	criteria	of the course
				Practice		
Introduction to	4	3	1	0	Passed	Attained a
Comparative					Class XII	language level
Literature						in French
						equivalent to
						<b>B</b> 1

## **Introduction to Comparative Literature**

#### **Learning Objectives:**

- Developing a basic understanding of comparative Literature
- Familiarising students with basic tools of comparative literature
- Familiarising students with various frames of comparison

- Students will develop a basic understanding of the field of Comparative Literature
- Students will develop the capacity to compare literary texts based on a frame of comparison
- Students will be equipped with analytical tools to compare literary works.

Syllabus:	
UNIT I	12 Hours
Comparative literature: Definition, scope and methods	
UNIT II	11 Hours
Comparative Literature in the World	
UNIT III	11 Hours
Comparative Literature in India	
Weltliteratur/World Literature and Visva Sahitya	
UNIT IV	11 Hours
Postcolonial and decolonial perspectives of comparative Literature	

- A. O. ALDRIDGE dir., Comparative Literature, mater and method, University of Illinois Press, 1969
- J.-L. BACKES, La Littérature européenne, Belin, 1996
- A. M. BOYER, Éléments de littérature comparée : III. Formes et genres, Hachette, 1996.
- P. BRUNEL, C. PICHOIS & A. M. ROUSSEAU, *Qu'est-ce que la littérature comparée*, Armand Colin, 1983, nouvelle éd. 1996.
- P. BRUNEL, Y. CHEVREL dir., Précis de littérature comparée, P.U.F., 1989.
- Y. CHEVREL, La Littérature comparée, coll Que sais-je?, P.U.F., 1989.

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- Literature review
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- Term Paper writing