

French

B.A.: Elective and Optional

Outlines of Tests

Paper	Title of Course	Marks
'A':		100
'B':		100
	Total	200

Syllabi and Courses of Reading

PAPER A

Marks:100

1. **Novel:**
 - (a) Translation from French into English (Seen) 10
 - (b) Questions on a given passage to test Comprehension (in French) 10
 - (c) Question, with choice, on the contents, or some Aspect of the Novel (e.g. character, plot, style, impact, ideas structure) as work of literature (in English) 15
2. **Poetry:**
 - (a) Translation (s) with reference to the context 10
 - (b) Questions to test comprehension (in French) 15
 - (a) Question to test comprehension of individual poems and of the history of Poetry (in English) 10
3. **Drama:**
 - (a) Translation of a passage from French into English (Seen) 10
 - (b) Questions to be answered in English on some Episode/Character/General theme of the play 10
 - (c) Questions a given passage to test comprehension (in French) 10

PAPER B

Marks:100

1. **Grammar:**
Questions to test comprehension of studied grammar (Conjugations, exercise, etc.) 30
2. **Translation:**
Translation of an Unseen passage from English into French 10
Translation of an Unseen passage from French into English 10
3. **Composition:**
Writing a composition in on a general topic (with choice of subjects) or letter writing 25
4. **Viva Voce:**
Reading, Dictation and Conversation 25

Recommended Books:

Paper 'A':

Novel: Etrenger by Albert Camus (Librairie Gallimard, Paris)

Drama: Avare by Moliere (Ed Librairie General Francaese)

Poetry: The following 20 Poems are prescribed:

La Fontaine :

1. La Cigale et Fourmi
2. Le Corbeau at le Renard
3. L'Ane vetu de la peau d'un Lion
4. Le Chien qui lache la proie pour Pomber

Hugo :

1. Deamain des l'aube.....
2. La fin satan
3. La Dijinns
4. Clair de lune

Bazdelare :

1. L'Albetros
2. Correpondances
3. L'Invitation an Voyage
4. La Musique

Verlaine :

1. Soleil Couchant
2. Abres trios ans
3. Mon Reve familier
4. L'Espoir Luit comme un birn de pailiele
Dans l'etable

Apollinaira :

1. Signe
2. Nuit rhenans
3. Cors de Chase
4. Automne

PAPER B

More Rapid French: Part III (Part I & II Included) by W.P.H. Whitmarsh (Longmans, green & Co., London)
(The following dictionary will prove helpful for the increase of one's vocabulary, Larouses de Poche – French –English/ -French-Librairie Larousse, Parie-or any other Pcket Dictionary).

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'A':		100
	1. Grammar:	30
	2. Translation: French into English (Seen):	15
	3. Translation: English into French (Unseen):	15
	4. Simple Composition:	20
	5. Viva Voce:	20

Syllabi and Courses of Reading

Books Recommended:

1. More Rapid French, Part I by W.F.H. Whitmarsh, (Longmans, Green & Co. , Ltd., London).
2. More Repid French, Part II (First ten lessons only) By W.F.H. Whitmarsh ((Longmans, Green & Co. , Ltd., London).