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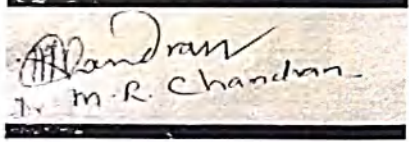


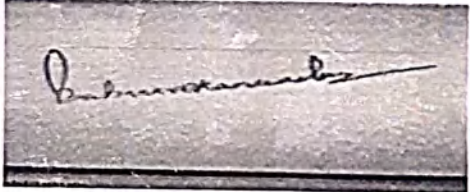
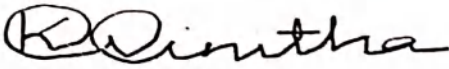



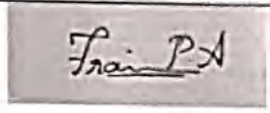
POSTGRADUATE DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

BOARD OF STUDIES IN ENGLISH

DATE: 22.5.2021

TIME: 10:00 AM

S.NO	NAME	SIGNATURE
1.	Chairperson: Ms. T. Sumithra Head PG Department of English NGM College Pollachi	
2.	University Nominee: Dr. Chandran Associate Professor Saraswathi Narayana College Madurai	
3.	Subject Expert: Prof. Selvi Assistant Professor APA College for Women Palani	
4.	Academic Auditor: Dr. D. Manoharan Associate Professor APA College of Arts and Culture Palani	
5.	Industrial Expert: Mr. Babu Vivekanandan Academic Head T.I.M.E. Pvt. Ltd., Coimbatore	
6.	Alumna: Ms. V. Vinitha	
7.	Ms. R. Sudha	Absent

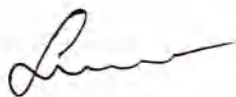
8.	Mr. P. Dhanagopalan	
9.	Ms. Francia P.A	

Minutes

The Board of Studies in English (PG) met on 22nd May 2021 under the chairmanship of Ms. T. Sumithra, Head of the department. Dr. Chandran, Associate Professor, Saraswathi Narayana College Madurai was the University nominee; Prof. Selvi, Assistant Professor, APA College for Women Palani was the subject expert; Dr. D. Manoharan, Associate Professor, APA College of Arts and Culture Palani was the academic auditor; Mr. Babu Vivekanandan, Academic Head, T.I.M.E. Pvt. Ltd., Coimbatore was the industrial expert; Ms. V. Vinitha was the student alumni for the meet. The Board discussed at length the syllabus of all the four semester under the Choice Based Credit System as required by the Tamilnadu State Council for Higher Education (TANSCH) with effect from the academic year 2021-2022.

The following changes were made in the OBE syllabus and submitted for the perusal of the Board:

- 21PEL101 – Unit 2: Added two more poems of William Blake – The Shepherd and The Little Girl Lost.
 - Different themes/perspectives are dealt by William Blake in these poems
- 21 PEL102 - Unit 1: Replaced Wordsworth's poems Lucy Gray, To the Cuckoo and Stolen Boat with I Wandered lonely as a Cloud, She Dwelt among the Untrodden Ways and A Character.
 - These poems are worthy of study.
- Unit 5: Replaced Charles Lamb's essays All Fools' Day and The Child Angel: A Dream with Christ's Hospital Five and Thirty years ago and A Bachelor's Complaint of the Behaviour of Married people.
 - Charles Lamb's personal essays occupy an important place.
- 21 PEL206 – Unit 2: added one more poem of W.B Yeats – The Stolen Child. Unit 4: replaced O Henry's short story with Jerome K Jerome's Bicycles.
 - O Henry does not fit in to British Literature



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- 21PEL207 – Unit 1: Emily Dickinson’s poems There came a Day at Summer’s full, I felt a Funeral, in my Brain, Because I could not stop for Death with A Bird came down the Walk, A narrow Fellow in the Grass and Success is counted sweetest.
 - These poems are prescribed for study for three years, so staff felt a change was necessary.
- Unit 5 – replaced Alice Walker’s Possessing the Secret of Joy with Gloria Naylor’s Mama Day
 - Alice Walker does not fit in to American Literature I
- 21PEL311 – Unit 1: added one more poem of Philip Larkin – An Arundel Tomb and Ted Hughes – Owl.
 - For a better perspective on their poems.
- 21PEL312 – Unit 4: replaced Willa Cather’s Neighbor Rosicky with O Henry’s The Love-Philtre of Ikey Schoenstein
 - Willa Cather was prescribed in the syllabus for more than five years so a change was needed.
- 21PEL313 – Unit 5: replaced TsiTsi Damgarenga’s Nervous Condition’s with Flora Nwapa’s Efurū.
 - For a better perspective of the literatures of the postcolonial era.
- 21PEL314 – Unit 4: added Trauma Studies
 - It is one of the important topics in literary theory.
- 21PEL415 – Unit 5: replaced Girish Karnad’s Tughlaq with Hayavadana.
- 21PEL416 – Unit 5: replaced Mohammed Hanif’s Our Lady of Alice Bhatti with Yasmina Khadra’a The Sirens of Baghdad.
- **As recommended by the CDC:**
 - Online courses (SWAYAM, MOOC Courses, etc) are made compulsory and students must complete the course before third semester through SWAYAM/NPTEL.
 - New Non major elective courses are introduced in the first and third semesters.
 - New Value added courses are introduced in the second semester.
 - Advanced Lerner’s courses are offered in the third and fourth semesters.
 - Two certificate courses are introduced from this academic year in the third and fourth semesters.
- **Observations and suggestions from the Board:**
 - Downsizing of Unit 1 (poetry) in all the papers.
 - Inclusion of another novel in unit 5 (Novel) as a self study text in all the papers.
 - Incorporate Shakespearean Criticism in Shakespeare paper.



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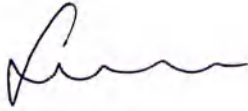
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- Recommended eighth edition of MLA Handbook as book for study for Research Methodology paper.
- Suggested rearrangement of units in Modern English Grammar Usage paper.
- Suggested rearrangement of units in Advanced English Phonetics and Phonology and if feasible include linguistic.
- Suggested rearrangement of units in Professional Communication paper.
- Recommended to rework An Introduction to Women's Studies paper.

The suggestions from the board have been considered and the changes have been incorporated where ever feasible in the syllabus for the batch 2021.

Percentage of syllabus revised – 35%



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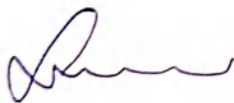
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ACTION TAKEN REPORT – BASED ON FEEDBACK ON CURRICULUM

S.No	Stakeholder	Suggestions from stakeholder	Action Taken
1	Subject expert	Inclusion of Trauma Studies	Trauma Studies is included in Literary Theory and Criticism
2	Subject expert	Recommended eighth edition of MLA Handbook	Included eighth edition of MLA Handbook as book for study for Research Methodology paper.
3	Alumni	Incorporating Shakespearean Criticism in Shakespeare paper.	Incorporated Shakespearean Criticism in Shakespeare paper.
4	Faculty	Replacing Willa Cather's Neighbor Rosicky with O Henry's The Love-Philtre of Ikey Schoenstein	Replaced Willa Cather's Neighbor Rosicky with O Henry's The Love-Philtre of Ikey Schoenstein in American Literature II
5	Faculty	Replacing Mohammed Hanif's Our Lady of Alice Bhatti with Yasmina Khadra'a The Sirens of Baghdad.	Replaced Mohammed Hanif's Our Lady of Alice Bhatti with Yasmina Khadra'a The Sirens of Baghdad in World Fiction



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