



Bamanpukur Humayun Kabir Mahavidyalaya

Academic Calendar: Odd Semester (July-December, 2021)

English Honours, Semester-I

Paper- CC2 (Code- ENGACOR02T)

Paper Title- European Classical Literature

Paper In-charge- Ashis Biswas



Groups	Topics	Marks Division	Class Hours
Group- A (Internal)	➤ The epic, comedy and tragedy in classical drama, the Athenian city state, catharsis and mimesis, satire, literary cultures in Augustus Rome	* 20 marks project on Group- A to be submitted to the paper in-charge, and 5 marks for attendance- [Total- 25]	10
Group-B (End Semester)	➤ Homer, <i>The Illiad, Bk I & II</i> , trans. E. V. Rieu.	** 4 long questions with internal choice will be offered, students will answer any 3, each of 15 marks [3x15]; 1 short note out of 4, containing 5 marks [1x5] [Total- 50]	15
	➤ Sophocles, <i>Oedipus the King</i> in Sophocles' <i>The Three Theban Plays</i> , trans. Robert Fagles		20
Group-C (End Semester)	➤ Ovid, Selection from <i>Metamorphoses</i> , 'Bacchus' (BK III)		20
	➤ Plautus, <i>Pot of Gold</i> , trans. E. F. Watling		10
Total		75	75

* Project questions to be found in the Assignment of ENGACOR02T uploaded in the college website.

** Model questions with proper marks division to be found in the Assignment of ENGACOR02T uploaded in the college website.

❖ Tutorial Classes (15) will be taken after the completion of normal classes.

University Recommended References:

- Aristotle, Poetics, translated with an introduction and notes by Malcolm Heath, (London: Penguin, 1996) chaps. 6–17, 23, 24, and 26.
- Plato, The Republic, Book X, tr. Desmond Lee (London: Penguin, 2007).
- Horace, Ars Poetica, tr. H. Rushton Fairclough, Horace: Satires, Epistles and Ars Poetica (Cambridge Mass.: Harvard University Press, 2005) pp. 451–73.
- Penelope Murray and T. S. Dorsch, translators. *Classical Literary Criticism* (Penguin Books, 2000)
- Harold Bloom, editor, *Homer's The Illiad*, (Viva Modern Critical Interpretations, 2008)
- Lewis W. Leadbeater, *Homer's The Illiad*, (Books Way, 2017)
- C. M. Bowra, *From Virgil to Milton* (Books Way, 2017)
- Lucy Berkowitz and Theodore F. Rrunner, translators and editors. *Oedipus Tyrannus* by Sophocles (Norton Critical Edition, 2010)
- H. D. F. Kitto, *Greek Tragedy* (Methuen and Co Ltd, 1970)
- M. C. Howatson, editor. *The Oxford Companion to Classical Literature* (Oxford UP, 2011)

❖ Due to unforeseen circumstances arisen after the spread of COVID-19 pandemic the academic calendar may be modified later as per the instruction of the authority. Activities such as observation of Library Days, Quiz, Debate, Extempore, Film-show, Smart Class and Seminar will be held as per availability of time and space; date and time of such activities (if held) will be notified. Likewise dates of Internal Exam and End Semester Exam will be notified.

✓ The academic calendar is prepared according to the affiliating university (WBSU) BoS of English notice 'Reduction of UG-CBCS Hons & General Syllabi of Semesters I, III & V for the Pandemic dated 16.12.2020'.

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