

B. A. (General) 1st SEMESTER

(FOR BATCHES ADMITTED IN 2020 & ONWARDS)

ABILITY ENHANCEMENT COMPULSORY COURSE

ECS120: ENGLISH COMMUNICATION SKILLS

Credits: 4

Unit 1: Essays:

1. How Wealth Accumulates and Men Decay: George Bernard Shaw
2. Whatever I Learned I Learned in the Forest: Vandana Shiva
3. Better Health For Everyone: Health Care in Two Worlds : (Extract from Making Connections: A Strategic Approach to Academic Writing, Edition: 3)

Unit II: Short Story

1. The New Constitution: Saadat Hasan Manto
2. The Garden Party: Katherine Mansfield

Unit III: Poetry

1. Ecology : A K Ramanujan
2. Mending Wall: Robert Frost
3. The Unknown Citizen: W H Auden

Unit IV: Science Fiction (Extracts)

1. The Last Question: Isaac Asimov
2. There Will Come Soft Rains: Ray Bradbury

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