# E.M.G.YADAVA WOMEN'S COLLEGE, MADURAI-14.

(An Autonomous Institution - Affiliated to Madurai Kamaraj University) (Re-accredited (3<sup>rd</sup> Cycle) with Grade A<sup>+</sup> & CGPA 3.51 by NAAC) CBCS

## **DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH**

**B.A. ENGLISH** 

(w.e.f. 2017 - 2018 Batch onwards)

Title of the Paper : British Literature Paper – III (Victorian Age)

Semester :III Contact Hours: 6

Subject Code :17E31 Credits: 5

## **Objective:**

1. To expose the students to understand the Victorian age.

2. To familiarize the student with different genres of British literature.

3. To introduce various themes of Victorian literature.

### **Unit:I-Poetry**

Alfred Tennyson- Tithonus

Thomas Hardy- The Darkling thrush

G.M. Hopkins- Thou Art indeed just, Lord.

## **Unit II- Poetry**

Emily Bronte-A Little Budding Rose

Robert Browning – Love Among the Ruins

Rudyard Kipling – The Fairies' Seige

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#### **Unit III -Prose**

Matthew Arnold- The Study of poetry

#### Unit IV - Drama

Oscar Wilde – The Importance of Being Earnest

#### **Unit V- Fiction**

George Eliot- Silas Marner

## **Books Recommended**

Green, David. The winged Word(Selected). Madras: Macmillan India Limited, 2009. Sastri. P.S. Robert Browning selected Poems. Agra: Lakshmi Narain Agarwal. 2005. Wild, Oscar's. The Importance of Being Earnest. Chennai: Macmillan India Press, 1994. Ramasami. S and V.S. Sethuraman, ed., The Study of Poetry. New Delhi: Macmillan India Limited, 2007.

Eliot, George. Silas Marner. New Delhi: Macmilan India Limited, 2000.