

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

(An Autonomous Institution - Affiliated to Madurai Kamaraj University)

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DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

B.A. ENGLISH

(w.e.f. 2017 – 2018 Batch onwards)

Title of the Paper : Indian Women Writers

Semester : IV
Subject Code : 17E41

Contact Hours: 6
Credits : 4

Objective:

1. To make the students to explore the writings of women.
2. To enable them to estimate their own strength and weaknesses.
3. To enable the students to understand Indian women writers.

Unit I: Poetry

Toru Dutt : The Lotus

Kamala Das : Punishment in Kindergarten

Gauri Deshpande : The People who need people

Unit II: Prose

Sarojini Naidu : The vision of Patriotism.

Vijayalakshmi Pandit : Ranjit, My Husband.

Indira Gandhi : On the Power of Youth.

Unit III: Drama

Manjula Padmanathan : Harvest

Unit IV: Short Stories

Anita Desai : A Devoted Son

Geetha Goswami : The Lost Shore

Bharati Mukerjee : A wife's story

Unit V: Fiction

Shashi Deshpande : The Binding Vine

Books Recommended:

Desai, Anita. *Collected Stories*. London: Random House Publishers India Pvt. Ltd, 2008.

Jeyakumar, Anandhi. *The Flights of fancy*. India: Scitech publications Pvt. Ltd, 2010.

Rao, Rama. *Current prose for better learning*. ed., Macmillan, 1971.

Tilak, Raghukul. *New Indian English poets and poetry*. NewDelhi: Rama brothers, 1997.

Valke, B.S. ed., *Poetry and Minor forms of English Literature.India Pvt. Ltd, 2009.*