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# **Faculty of Arts**

**Bachelor of Arts (B.A.)** 

SUBJECT: ENGLISH LITERATURE

B.A. VI Semester Paper - Core

**Indian Diaspora Literature (Theory)** 

### **Course Outcomes**

CO.No.	Course Outcomes	Cognitive
		Level
CO1	Explain the theoretical backgrounds of international migration, race, and ethnicity.	U,A
CO2	Define the various attributes of the Indian Diaspora +and the 'ambivalence' of their attitudes towards their own motherland as well as their adopted homeland.	K
CO3	Demonstrate the quest for cultural identity on the part of the citizens of the Indian Diaspora and be able to understand the psychological, social, and political problems associated with Diaspora culture.	U
CO4	Discover their own country from a different prism through the eyes of writers who have lived in a composite culture.	U, Analyze
CO5	Create an interpretation of the texts in the context of Diaspora conditions.	U
CO6	Explore questions of representation, and delve into the experiences of dislocation, marginalization, and acculturation that are usually associated with migration to a foreign land.	

## **Credit and Marking Scheme**

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Credits		Internal	External	Total Marks
Theory	4	40	60	100
Total	4		100	

### **Evaluation Scheme**

	Marks		
	Internal	External	
Theory	3 Internal Exams of 20 Marks	1 External Exams	
	(During the Semester)	(At the End of Semester)	
	(Best 2 will be taken)		
Practical 3 Internal Exams		1 External Exams	
	(During the Semester)	(At the End of Semester)	

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### **Content of the Course**

## **Theory**

No. of Lectures (in hours per week): 2 Hrs. per week

Total No. of Lectures: 60Hrs.

**Maximum Marks:** 60

Units	Topics	No.of Lectures
I	<ul> <li>Introduction</li> <li>A Brief Introduction to Indian Diaspora Literature</li> <li>VS Naipaul: A House for Mr.Biswas (1961)</li> <li>Kamala Markandaya: The Nowhere Man (1972)</li> <li>Keywords: Diaspora conditions and sensibilities, Role of memory, Quest for identity, Racial discrimination</li> </ul>	15
II	Fiction  • Shashi Deshpande: That Long Silence (1988)	15
	Bharati Mukherjee: The Holder of the World (1993)  Keywords: Cultural displacement, Migration, Alienation, Modern Woman	
III	Fiction  • Chitra Banerjee: Sister of My Heart (1999)  • Aravind Adiga: The White Tiger (2008)	15
	<b>Keywords:</b> Minority community, Exile, Translation in Indian English Literature	
IV	Non-Fiction  • Amitav Ghosh: In an Antique Land (1992)  • Jhumpa Lahiri: Interpreter of Maladies (1999)  Keywords: Homeland and Diaspora, Cultural shock, Sense of belonging	15

### References

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- Vineeth, V., Priya Dharisini, S., "Literature of Indian Diaspora", Mahaveer 2022.
- Books published by Madhya Pradesh Hindi Granth Academy, Bhopal

#### Web Links:

- **1.** www.eshiksha.mp.gov.in
- 2. <a href="https://www.udemy.com/courseiunderstanding-diasporal">https://www.udemy.com/courseiunderstanding-diasporal</a>,
- 3. Postcolonial Literature NPTEL
- 4. <a href="https://onlinecourses.nptel.ac.in/noc22hsI7/preview">https://onlinecourses.nptel.ac.in/noc22hsI7/preview</a>



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## **Evaluation of Indian Diaspora Literature (Practical)**

#### **Course Outcomes**

CO. No.	Course Outcomes	Cognitive
		Level
CO1	Explain and evaluate the theoretical backgrounds of international migration, race, and ethnicity.	U,A
CO2	Analyse the various attributes of the Indian Diaspora and the 'ambivalence' of their attitudes towards their own motherland as well as their adopted homeland.	K
CO3	Demonstrate the quest for cultural identity on the part of the citizens of the Indian Diaspora and would be able to understand the psychological, social and political problems associated with Diaspora culture.	U
CO4	Create an interpretation of the texts in the context of Diaspora conditions.	U, Analyze
CO5	Explore questions of representation, and delve into the experiences of dislocation, marginalization, and acculturation that are usually associated with migration to a foreign land.	U
CO6	Discover our own country from a different prism through the eyes of writers who have lived in a composite culture.	

## **Credit and Marking Scheme**

	Cuadita	Marks		Total Mariles	
	Credits	Internal	External	Total Marks	
Practical	2	25	75	100	
Total	2		100		

### **Evaluation Scheme**

	Marks		
	Internal	External	
Practical	<ul><li>Class Interaction/ Quiz</li><li>Attendance</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Viva-voce based on the syllabus and assignment</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Assignments (Charts/ Model Seminar / Rural Service/ Technology Dissemination/ Report of Excursion) Lab Visits/ Survey /Industrial Visit )</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Practical Record File\</li> <li>Table Work / Experiments</li> </ul>	

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### **Content of the Course**

#### **Practical**

No. of Lectures (in hours per week): 2Hrs. per week

Total No. of Lectures: 30Hrs. Maximum Marks: 60

Units	Topics	No. of Lectures
I	<ul> <li>Critical Evaluation</li> <li>Critical evaluation and interpretation to be done by the students of Diaspora fiction and non-fiction prescribed in the theory paper</li> </ul>	15
	<b>Keywords:</b> Composite culture, Culture and language, Transnationalism, Analytical and critical thinking, Linguistic and communicative competence, Innovative and imaginative thinking, Usage of appropriate words, Study of nature, man and society	
II	<ul> <li>Teaching and Demonstration</li> <li>Classroom teaching, presentation, demonstration, or discussion to be done by the students on any one of the literary pieces prescribed in the theory paper</li> <li>Keywords: Globalization and Diaspora, Communicative skills, Mastery over the content,</li> <li>Linguistic components, Language skills</li> </ul>	15

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- 4. <a href="http://publications.anveshanaindia.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/08/INDIAN-DIASPORA-WRITERS%E2%80%93-A-STUDY-1.pdf">http://publications.anveshanaindia.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/08/INDIAN-DIASPORA-WRITERS%E2%80%93-A-STUDY-1.pdf</a>

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