

**ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE FOR WOMEN (AUTONOMOUS) VISAKHAPATNAM**

w.e.f 2015-16 AC Batch

English Language and Literature

Time 5hrs/week

Semester VI

Glimpses of World Literature

Max. Marks 100

ELL E-2 6201(4)

Paper-VII: (Elective) VII-B

**OBJECTIVES:** To enable the students to

- introduce students to world literature through representative selections.
- sensitize the students to the literary texts of Literature.
- facilitate the students to discover the common literary trends among the different genres of world literature.
- Make the students acquire a critical consciousness of world thinking and society.

**Course**

Poetry : Wole Soyinka: Telephone Conversation (Detailed study)

Drama GirishKarnad: Tughlaq (Detailed study)

Novel1Dostoyevsky: Crime and Punishment

Novel2 Doris Lessing: The Grass is Singing

Short Story Nadine Gordimer: My Son's Story

**METHODOLOGY:**

**POETRY:**

1. In the first stage poem are read out and answer are elicited from students through simple questions.
2. In the second stage the poem are studied in detail to learn the deeper meaning of the poems.

**DRAMA:**

The play is studied in detail, eliciting answers from students during reading the play. Discussions - Drama – Theme and other relevant features.

**Fiction and short stories:**

Students are asked to read the prescribed stories and be prepared for discussions in class. Assignments on certain topics of the novel are given necessary biographical details of writers are either elicited from discussion or given by the teacher

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