Department of English

Sacred Heart College (Autonomous) Tirupattur

Meeting Minutes of P.G and U.G Board of Studies

Date: 07.12.2018

Time: 10.45 am.

Venue: Board Room

University Nominee:

Dr. S. Thirunavukkarasu,

Assistant Professor,

Muthurangam College,

Vellore Dt.

Subject Expert:

Dr. G. Vasuki, Associate Professor, Department of English, G.T.M College, Gudiyatham, Vellore Dt.

Members Present:

| 1. | Prof. Dr. K.A. Maria Arokia Raj | - P.G Chairman |
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| 2. | Prof. Mrs. J. Mary Jenif | - U.G Chairman |
| 3. | Prof. Mr. Julian Xercies Rigley | - Member |
| 4. | Prof. A. Peter Conisious Prabu | - Member |
| 5. | Prof. V. Madhan Kumar | - Member |
| 6. | Prof. D. Louis SahayaHenston | - Member |
| 7. | Prof. S. Jeevananthan | - Member |
| 8. | Prof. S. Vimal Raj | - Member |
| | Prof. S. Prabhakaran | - Member |
| 10 | . Prof. U. Anto Maria Eusobia | - Member |
| 11. Prof. S. Saravanan | | - Member |
| 12. Prof. S. Ganeshkumar | | - Member |
| 13 | S. Prof. S. Sofia Selvarani | - Member |
| 14. Prof. A. Sangeeth Kumar | | - Member |
| 15. Prof. R. ThemchurinRaikhan | | - Member |
| | 6. Prof. Dr. C.S. Arun Prabu | - Member |
| | 7. Prof. Dr. Joy Christina Jayakodi | - Member |
| | 8. Prof. S. Alphonsa Mary | - Member |
| | 9. Prof. L. Thirunirai | - Member |
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Alumni Representative:

Mrs. Vanmathi,

P.G Assistant,

Govt. Girls Higher Secondary School,

Natrampalli.

Industrial Representative:

Ms. Asha,

I.A.C. Language Trainer,

Yellagiri.

Members Absent:

1. Prof. N. Arul Doss

- M. Phil and Part-II English Chairman

2. Prof. A. Augustine

- Member

3. Dr. S. Thirunavukkarasu

- University Nominee

The Board of Studies of U.G and P.G department of English was held on 7th of December, 2018 in Board Room at 10.45 am.

Discussion and Decision Taken:

U.G English: Part II - Language

There was no change in Part-II (General English) syllabus. The board accepted to follow the same syllabi

U.G English: Literature

- Listening and Reading are tested by the Communicative English Department.
- Speaking and Writing are tested by the Department of English.
- 1st year U.G Students had difficulty with Book-IV. Two literary pieces in each unit can be reduced to one in order to reduce the weightage of the
- In Unit-IV R.K. Narayan's Essay X=X+1 Syndrome was retained only for English Department Students.
- A committee was set up to restructure the syllabus to split History of English Literature into two papers. The committee will be headed by Mr. Madhan Kumar, Dr. Joy Christina, Mr. Augustine and Mr. Sangeeth Kumar from (Shift-I) and Prof. Prabakaran, Thirunirai and Anto Maria Eusobia from (Shift- II). Prescribed text is History of English Literature by Edward Albert.

- Multiple Choice Question was suggested by the subject expert to improve the competence of students in examination.
- A small modification was suggested in paper Chaucher and Elizabethan Age (EN207) in Unit-II by including Shakespeare's Sonnet No. 130.
- Prof. Saravanan was assigned to suggest possible modifications in 18th Century Literature (EN208) especially on Unit-IV.
- Epics (EN307) in English: Unit-I John Milton's Paradise Lost Book-I was replaced with Homer's Illiad. Prof. S. Prabhakaran was requested to reframe the structure.
- In Literary Criticism-I, (EN510B), the subject expert suggested to add Introduction to Literary Criticism in Unit-I and also suggested to have two writers for each unit.
- In 20th Century Indian Writing (EN509T), the subject expert recommended to include one prose unit instead of poetry.
- Prof. K. Sangeeth Kumar was assigned to check the changes to be carried out in the paper. Anglo-American paper (EN510A)

P.G English:

- The first two units in Translation- Theory and Practice can be tested as theory form the remaining units can be treated as practical for testing. Mr. Madhan Kumar was asked to look in to the possible changes in this paper.
- Prof. Jeevanantham was asked to carry out changes in Unit-I of New Literatures in English by discarding poetry in Unit-I and compensating with other genres.
- Prof. Arun Prabu was asked to find out the possibilities of reducing the number of lines in Christabel and Eve of St. Agnes which from the part of Romantic and Victorian Age.

M.Phil. English

- Few changes are suggested in English Language Teaching (ENR105B) syllabus with appropriate explanation.
- The subject expert recommend that the fiction can be read by students in their home and the analysis part can be done in classroom by explaining the background of the text along with its narration.
 - Dr. G. Vasuki, the subject expert thanked the staff members who took part in board of studies meeting for their active contribution.

The meeting ended at 2.03 pm., with the vote of thanks proposed by Fr. Dr. K.A. Maria Arokia Raj.

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