

# AEC-III Language Through Literature - I

SEMESTER- III (2 Credits – 50 marks)

## Course Level Learning Outcomes

- To use literature as a medium to teach/learn grammar, reading, spelling, vocabulary, writing mechanics, creative writing and thinking skills
- To strengthen contextual understanding of the language through texts relevant to specific disciplines and offer scope for imaginative involvement and self-expression
- To stimulate interest in acquiring twenty first century skills
- To engage in self-assessment activities for self-development
- To help absorb the values, ethics and attitudes of life and culture expressed in literature

## Course Content

### Essays

Humanities vs Sciences	<i>S. Radhakrishnan</i>
Wings of Fire (An Extract)	<i>A. P. J. Abdul Kalam</i>
On the Rule of the Road	<i>A. G. Gardiner</i>
The Muse in the Machine	<i>John Thornhill</i>
Facebook Is Making Us Miserable	<i>Daniel Gulati</i>
One World One Culture	<i>Kenneth J. Pakenham, Jo McEntire, Jessica Williams</i>
Portion Size is the Trick!!	<i>Ranjani Raman</i>

### Source Books:

Confluence, Edited by KN Sobha, Cambridge University Press

### *Semester Examination and distribution of marks:-*

#### **End Semester Examination (ESE): 50 Marks**

##### Group A

1. **Ten** Objective Type Questions (**1 x 10 = 10**) [ MCQs not to be set]
2. **Two** Short Answer Type Questions (**5 x 2 = 10**)  
(Two questions to be answered out of a choice of Four)

##### Group B

- Three** Long Answer Type Questions (**10 x 3 = 30**)  
(Three questions to be answered out of a choice of Six)