

GAUHATI UNIVERSITY



Syllabus for T.D.C. Course in Arabic (Semester System)

2010

**Administrative Building
Gopinath Bardoloi Nagar
Guwahati – 781014
Assam**

Gauhati University
Guwahai-14
Syllabus for Three Year Degree Course in Arts - 2010
(Semester System)
Subject : Arabic

The Three Year Degree Course in Arabic shall be comprised of 20 (Twenty) papers in Major Course and 10 (Ten) papers in General Course. Each paper shall be comprised of 100 Marks out of which 20 marks shall be allotted to continuous internal assessment.

Each paper shall carry of 8 (eight) Credits comprising of 4 (four) Units with 20 (twenty) marks against each unit.

The break-up of Three Year Degree Course in Arabic for both Major and General are as follows:

1. TDC Part – I : First Year

A – First Semester

Arabic (Major)	:	2 (two) Papers
Arabic (General)	:	1 (one) Paper

B – Second Semester

Arabic (Major)	:	2 (two) Papers
Arabic (General)	:	1 (one) Paper

2. TDC Part – II : Second Year

A – Third Semester

Arabic (Major)	:	2 (two) Papers
Arabic (General)	:	1 (one) Paper

B – Fourth Semester

Arabic (Major)	:	2 (two) Papers
Arabic (General)	:	2 (two) Papers

3. TDC Part – III : Third Year

A – Fifth Semester

Arabic (Major)	:	6 (six) Papers
Arabic (General)	:	2 (two) Papers

B – Sixth Semester

Arabic (Major)	:	6 (six) Papers
Arabic (General)	:	3 (three) Papers

Gauhati University
Syllabus for T.D.C. in Arabic
(Semester System)

1. Distribution of Marks:

Total **PAPERS** : Major : **20** Total Marks : Major - **2000**
: General : **10** : General – **1000**

MAJOR :

1 st Semester 2 papers: (100 marks of each paper)		x 2=200
2 nd Semester 2 papers:	(,, ,, ,,)	x 2=200
3 rd Semester 2 papers:	(,, ,, ,,)	x 2=200
4 th Semester 2 papers:	(,, ,, ,,)	x 2=200
5 th Semester 6 papers:	(,, ,, ,,)	x 6=600
6 th Semester 6 papers:	(,, ,, ,,)	x 6=600

GENERAL :

1 st Semester 1 paper:	(100 marks of each paper)	x 1=100
2 nd Semester 1 paper:	(,, ,, ,,)	x 1=100
3 rd Semester 1 paper:	(,, ,, ,,)	x 1=100
4 th Semester 2 papers:	(,, ,, ,,)	x 2=200
5 th Semester 2 papers:	(,, ,, ,,)	x 2=200
6 th Semester 3 papers:	(,, ,, ,,)	x 3=300

2. Distribution of marks for Major Course: (Per paper)

(a) Essay Type Questions	:	20%
(b) Textual Questions, Which includes minimum of 25 marks to answer in Arabic.	:	40%
(c) Grammar & Translation	:	20%
(d) Continuous internal assessment	:	20%

3. Distribution of marks for internal assessment:

(i) Classroom Test	:	10
(ii) Home Assignment & Seminar on respective course	:	10

Note: The above distribution of marks will be applicable for both Major and General Course except that the General Course will carry 15% marks to answer in Arabic in place of 25% marks allotted in Major Course.

**4. This distribution of marks will be applicable for the following courses:
(up to 4th Semester only)**

Major: (AR) – 1.1, 1.2, 2.1, 2.2, 3.1, 3.2, 4.1 & 4.2

General: (AR) - 1.1, 2.1, 3.1, 4.1 & 4.

Major Papers:

Paper	Course Title	Marks
1. TDC Part – I Arabic (Major) First Year/ First Semester:		
1.1 Paper	Arabic Prose -I & Grammar	80
1.2 Paper	Arabic Poetry –I, History of Islam & Grammar	80
2. TDC Part – I Arabic (Major) First Year/ Second Semester:		
2.1 - Paper	Arabic Prose - II & Grammar	80
2.2 - Paper	Arabic Poetry -II, History of Islam & Grammar	80
3. TDC Part – II Arabic (Major) Second Year/ Third Semester:		
3.1 - Paper	Arabic Prose - III & Grammar	80
3.2 - Paper	Arabic Poetry - III, History of Islam & Grammar	80
4. TDC Part – II Arabic (Major) Second Year/ Fourth Semester:		
4.1 - Paper	Arabic Prose - IV, History of Islam & Grammar	80
4.2 - Paper	Arabic Prose – V, Literary History of the Arabs (Pre-Islamic) & Grammar	80
5 TDC Part – III Arabic (Major) Third Year/ Fifth Semester:		
Paper	Course Title	Marks
5.1 - Paper	Arabic Prose - I (Medieval Period)	80
5.2 - Paper	Arabic Poetry - I (Pre-Islamic & Early Islam)	80
5.3 – Paper	Modern Arabic Poetry : Neo Classical	80
5.4 – Paper	Arabic Grammar, Rhetoric, Essay & Translation of unseen passages	80
5.5 – Paper	Literary History of the Arabs (Early Islamic to Abbasid Period)	80
5.6 – Paper	Functional Arabic & Terminology-I	80
6 TDC Part – III Arabic (Major) Third Year/ Sixth Semester:		
6.1 - Paper	Indo-Arabic Literature	80
6.2 - Paper	Modern Arabic Poetry : Mahjar	80
6.3 – Paper	Arabic Prose - II (Modern Period)	80
6.4 – Paper	Literary History of the Arabs (Modern Period)	80
6.5 – Paper	Functional Arabic & Terminology - II	80
6.6 – Paper	An essay on the subject concerned. (Abbasid Period)	80

General Papers:

1 TDC Part – I Arabic (General) First Year/ First Semester:	Paper	Course Title	Marks
	1.1 - Paper	Arabic Prose & Poetry - I, History of Islam & Grammar	80
2 TDC Part –I Arabic (General) First Year/ Second Semester:			
	2.1 - Paper	Arabic Prose & Poetry - II, History of Islam & Grammar	80
3 TDC Part – II Arabic (General) Second Year/ Third Semester:			
	3.1 - Paper	Arabic Prose & Poetry - III, History of Islam & Grammar	80
4 TDC Part – II Arabic (General) Second Year/ 4th Semester:			
	4.1 - Paper	Arabic Prose, History of Islam & Grammar	80
	4.2 – Paper	Arabic Prose, Literary History of the Arabs & Grammar	80
5 TDC Part – III Arabic (General) Third Year / 5th Semester:			
	5.1 - Paper	Arabic Prose - I (Medieval Period)	80
	5.2 - Paper	Arabic Poetry - I (Pre-Islamic & Early Islam)	80
6 TDC Part – III Arabic (General) Third Year / 6th Semester:			
	6.1 - Paper	Indo-Arabic Literature	80
	6.2 - Paper	Modern Arabic Poetry : Mahjar	80
	6.3 – Paper	Arabic Prose - II (Modern Period)	80

Note: The course contents assigned to the papers in 5th & 6th Semesters above, subject to modifications.

Semester – 1
Course No. AR – 1.1 (Major)
Course Title : Arabic Prose – 1 &
Grammar (Etymology) - Marks - 80

Unit – I

- i. *Hashim wa al-Mudarris* : Al-Muhadathah
- ii. *Al-Abb wa al-Abna* : Conversation

Unit – II

- i. *Al-Waqt*
- ii. *Hadarat al-Arab wa al-Muslimina fi Bilad al-Gharb*

Unit – III

- i. *Nizam al-Hujrah*
- ii. *Al-Ummu*

Unit – IV

- i. Grammar: *Ilm al-Sarf* (Etymology)
Madi, Mudara`, Amar wa Nahyi (Thulathi Mujarrad)
& Translation.

Semester – 1
Course No. AR – 1.2 (Major)
Course Title : Arabic Poetry -1, History of Islam &
Grammar (Syntex) Marks - 80

Unit – I

- i. *Ya BulBulie* : by Abu Salamah
- ii. *Sharrun wa Khairun* : by Abul Atahiyah

Unit – II

- i. *Tarbiyah al-Ummahat* : by Ma`ruf al-Rusafi
(Selected 15 verses)
- ii. *Aayat al-Asr fi Samaye Misr* : Ahmed Shauqi Bek

Unit – III

Political History of Islam:
(From Pre Islamic Period to 632 AD)

Unit – IV

- i. Grammar: *Ilm al-Nahu* (Syntex)
 - i. *Al-Ajza al-Jumlah (Ism, Fe`l, Harf)*
 - ii. *Al-Jumlah al-Mufidah (Al-Kalam)*
 - iii. *Al-Jumlah al-Ismiah wa al-fe`liah*& Translation.

Semester – 2
Course No. AR – 2.1 (Major)
Course Title : Arabic Prose - II
Grammar (Etymology) Marks - 80

Unit – I

- i. *Al-Safar*
- ii. *Al-Hurriyah wa al-Masawah
wa al-Ikhau fi al-Islam*

Unit – II

- i. *Ila al-Suq*
- ii. *Fi al-Fasl*

Unit – III

- i. *Al-Qazi al- 'Adil*
- ii. *Biladi*

Unit – IV

- i. Grammar: *Ilm al-Sarf* (Etymology)
Ism al-Fa' il, Ism al- Maf' ul, Ism al-Tafdil
Al-Sifat al-Mushabbaha, Ism al-Zarf
Ism al-Mubalaghah, Ism al-Aala
& Translation.

Semester – 2
Course No. AR – 2.2 (Major)
Course Title : Arabic Poetry – II, History of Islam
& Grammar (Syntax) Marks - 80

Unit – I

- i. *Nasheed al-Zakat* : by Usuf al- 'Azam
- ii. *Lau kuntu 'Ufuran* : by Abu Salmah

Unit – II

- i. *Yaquluna fi al-Islam* : by Ma' ruf al-Rusafi
- ii. *Fi al-Zuhd* : by Abul 'Atahiyah

Unit – III

Political History of Islam
Khulafa-e-Rashideen (632 AD – 661 AD)

Unit – IV

- i. Grammar: *Ilm al-Nahu* (Syntax)
Al-Marfu' at :
(a) *Al-Mubtada wa al-Khabar*
(b) *Al-Fa' il wa Nayeb al-Fa' il*
(c) *Ism-e- Kaana wa Akhawatuha*
& Translation.

Semester – 3
Course No. AR – 3.1 (Major)
Course Title : Arabic Prose – III
(Qur'an, Hadith & Nasihat) & Grammar (Etymology)
Marks - 80

Unit – I

- i. *Surah al-Ma'uun*
- ii. *Surah al-Teen*

Unit – II

- i. (a) *Buniya al-Islamu `ala Khamsin*
(b) *Al-Muslimu Man Salima*
(c) *Ihfazil Allaha Yahfazka*
- ii. (d) *Man Da`a Ila Hudan*
(e) *Ara aitum Lau Anna Nahran*

Unit – III

- i. *T'allum al-Lughat al-'Arabiah*
- ii. *'Aaqibatul-Kizb*

Unit – IV

- i. Grammar: *Ilm al-Sarf* (Etymology)
Abwab-e- Thulathi Mazeed Fih (Five Abwabs)
Baab al-If'aal, Bab al-Taf'eil, Bab al-Mufa'alah
Bab al-Tafa'uul & Bab al-Tafa`ul
& Translation.

Semester – 3
Course No. AR – 3.2 (Major)
Course Title : Arabic Poetry – III,
History of Islam & Grammar (Syntax) Marks - 80

Unit – I

- i. *Maa balu 'Aini (Ratha al-Nabi)* : by Hassan b. Thabit
- ii. *Al-Rabei'* : by Fouzi al-Anteel

Unit –II

- i. (a) *Yaa Marhaba* : by 'Abdur Rahman al-Shukri
(b) *Al-'Aish*
- ii. *Al- Qubbarah wa Ibnuha* : by Ahmad Shauqi

Unit – III

Political History of Islam: Umayyad period
(662 AD – 751 AD)
(Four Selected Caliphs: Mu'awiyah, Marwan,
'Umar b. 'Abdul 'Aziz, Hisham b. 'Abdul Malik)

Unit – IV

- i Grammar: *Ilm al-Nahu* (Syntax)
 - i. *Khabar Inna wa Akhawatiha*
 - ii. *Khabar La-e- Nafi al-Jins*
 - iii. *Ism Ma wa La Mushabbahataini bi Laisa*& Translation.

Semester – 4

Course No. AR – 4.1 (Major)

Course Title : Arabic Prose - IV

History of Islam & Grammar (Etymology)

Marks - 80

Unit – I

- i. *Allah Yuhyi wa Yumitu* (Conversation)
- ii. *`Adam al-Bukhle wa al-Israf* (Conversation)

Unit – II

- i. *Kalila wa Dimna* (*Zimmatul Malik*)
- ii. *Al-Nabiyyu wa al-Sabiyyu* (*Hikayah min Qalyubi*)

Unit – III

Political History of Islam: Abbasid period

(751AD – 813 AD)

(Four Selected Caliphs: Abul ‘Abbas al-Saffah,

Abu Ja‘far al-Mansur, Haroon al-Rashid & Al-Ameen)

Unit – IV

- i Grammar: *Ilm al-Sarf* (Etymology)
 - Abwab-e-Thulathi Mazeed Fih* (Rest 7 Babs)
 - Bab-Ifti‘al, Bab-Infi‘al, Bab-If‘ilal, Bab-If ee‘lal, Bab-Istif‘al, Bab-If ee‘aal, Bab- If iuwal*& Translation.

Semester – 4
Course No. AR – 4.2 (Major)
Course Title : Arabic Prose – V,
Literary History of the Arabs (Pre-Islamic period)
& Grammar (Syntax)

Marks- 80

Unit – I

- i. *Sulhul Hudaybiah*
- ii. *Al-Sidq*

Unit – II

- i. *Al-‘Arab*
- ii. *Al-Islam Fi al-Sharq al-Aqsa*

Unit – III

Literary History of Islam (Pre Islamic period)

Unit – IV

- i. Grammar: *Ilm al-Nahu* (Syntax)
Al-Mansubat:
Al-Maf‘ulaat: Maf‘ul Bih, Maf‘ul Fih, Maf‘ul Lahu,
Maf‘ul Ma`ahu, Maf‘ul Mutlaq
& Translation.

Semester – 1
Course No. AR – 1.1 (General)
Course Title : Arabic Prose & Poetry, History
of Islam & Grammar - I Marks - 80

Unit – I

- i. *Hashim wa al-Mudarris* : (Conversation)
- ii. *Al-Waqt*

Unit – II

- i. *Tarbiyah al-Ummahat* : by Ma`ruf al-Rusafi
(Selected 12 verses)
- ii. *Ya BulBulie* : by Abu Salamah

Unit – III

Political History of Islam
(From Pre-Islamic Period to 632 AD)

Unit – IV

- i. Grammar: *Ilm al-Sarf* (Etymology)
Madi, Mudara`, Amar wa Nahi (Thulathi Mujarrad)
- ii. Grammar: *Ilm al-Nahu* (Syntex)
 - (a) *Al-Ajza al-Jumlah (Ism, Fe`l, Harf)*
 - (b) *Al-Jumlah al-Mufidah (Al-Kalam)*
 - (c) *Al-Jumlah al-Ismiah wa al-fe`liah*

Semester – 2
Course No. AR – 2.1 (General)
Course Title : Arabic Prose & Poetry,
History of Islam & Grammar - II - Marks - 80

Unit – I

- i. *Al-Safar*
- ii. *Al-Hurriyah wa al-Masawah
wa al-Ikhau fi al-Islam*

Unit – II

- i. *Nasheed al-Zakat* : by Usuf al-‘Azam
- ii. *Lau kuntu ‘Usfuran* : by Abu Salmah

Unit – III

Political History of Islam
Khulafa-e-Rashideen (632 A.D. – 661 A.D.)

Unit – IV

- i. Grammar: *Ilm al-Sarf (Etymology)*
Ism al-Fa‘il, Ism al- Maf‘ul, Ism al-Tafdil
Al-Sifat al-Mushabbaha, Ism al-Zarf
Ism al-Mubalaghah, Ism al-Aala
- ii. Grammar: *Ilm al-Nahu (Syntax)*
Al-Marfu‘at :
(d) Al-Mubtada wa al-Khabar
(e) Al-Fa‘il wa Nayeb al-Fa‘il
(f) Ism-e- Kaana wa Akhawatuha

Semester – 3
Course No. AR – 3.1 (General)
Course Title : Arabic Prose & Poetry,
History of Islam & Grammar - III Marks - 80

Unit – I

- i. *Surah al-Ma‘uun*
- ii. (a) *Buniya al-Islamu `ala Khamsin*
(b) *Al-Muslimu Man Salima*
(c) *Ihfazil Allaha Yahfazka*

Unit – II

- i. *Maa balu ‘Aini (Ratha al-Nabi)* : by Hassan b. Thabit
- ii. (a) *Yaa Marhaba* : by ‘Abdur Rahman al-Shukri
(b) *Al-‘Aish*

Unit – III

Political History of Islam: Umayyad period (661A.D. – 751 A.D.)

(Four Selected Caliphs: Mu‘awiyah, Marwan,
‘Umar b. ‘Abdul ‘Aziz, Hisham b. ‘Abdul Malik)

Unit – IV

- i. Grammar: *Ilm al-Sarf* (Etymology)
Abwab-e- Thulathi Mazeed Fih (Five Abwabs)
Baab al-If‘aal, Bab al-Taf‘eil, Bab al-Mufa‘alah
Bab al-Tafa‘uul & Bab al-Tafa`ul
- ii. Grammar: *Ilm al-Nahu* (Syntax)
(a) *Khabar Inna wa Akhawatiha*
(b) *Khabar La-e- Nafi al-Jins*

Semester – 4

Course No. AR – 4.1 (General)

Course Title : Arabic Prose - I,

History of Islam & Grammar (Etymology)

Marks - 80

Unit – I

- i. *Allah Yuhyi wa Yumitu* (Conversation)

Unit – II

- i. *Kalila wa Dimna* (*Zimmatul Malik*)

Unit – III

Political History of Islam: Abbasid period (751 A.D – 813 A.D)

(Four Selected Caliphs: Abul ‘Abbas al-Saffah,
Abu Ja‘far al-Mansur, Haroon al-Rashid & Al-Ameen)

Unit – IV

- i. Grammar: *Ilm al-Sarf* (Etymology)
Bab-Ifi‘al, Bab-Infī‘al, Bab-Istif‘al,
Bab-If ee`aal, Bab- If iuwal
& Translation.

Semester – 4
Course No. AR – 4.2 (General)
Course Title : Arabic Prose – II,
Literary History of the Arabs (Pre-Islamic period)
& Grammar (Syntax)

Marks- 80

Unit – I

- i. *Sulhul Hudaybiah*

Unit – II

- i. *Al-‘Arab*

Unit – III

Literary History of Islam (Pre Islamic period)

Unit – IV

- i. Grammar: *Ilm al-Nahu* (Syntax)
Al-Mansubat:
Al-Maf’ulaat: Maf’ul Bih, Maf’ul Fih, Maf’ul Lahu,
Maf’ul Ma`ahu, Maf’ul Mutlaq
& Translation.

Note : The Department of Arabic, Gauhati University, with the co-ordination of the members of the Committee of Courses and Studies (CCS) in Arabic, G.U. has taken the decision to edit and publish the Selection of Arabic Text for the TDC Course both in Major & General (Semester wise). The book will be available soon.

Books Recommended for Arabic Grammar:

1. A Grammar of Arabic Language, by Obaidullah el-Obaidi Shuhrawadi.
2. The Essential Arabic, by Rafi' el-Imad Faynan
3. A new Arabic Grammar of written Language, by J.A. Haywood and H.M. Nahmad
4. Arabic made Easy, by Abul Hashim
5. A Grammar of Arabic Language, by W. Wright
6. *Misbahul-'Awamil*
7. Arabic for Beginners, by Syed Ali
8. *Al-Qirat al-Wadihah*, Part-III
9. A comprehensive Arabic Grammar, by Dr. Karamatullah Bahmani, New College, Chennai.
10. *Ilm al-Sarf* (Arabic Morphology), by Dr. Moinuddin Azmi, Azizia Printing Press, Hyderabad-2 (A.P.)
11. Kitab al-Sarf & Kitab al-Nahu by A. Rahman Amritsari
12. *Al-Nahw al-Wadih*, Vol. 1 & II, by Ali Jarin and Mustafa Amin
13. *Mu'allim al-Insha*, by Abdul Majid Nadwi (Part-I, II & III).

Books Recommended for Literary History of the Arabs:

1. Nicholson, R.A. : A Literary History of the Arabs.
2. Hitti, P.K. : History of the Arabs.
3. Zaydan J. : Tarikhu Aadabil lugatil 'Arabiyah.
4. Clement Huart: History of Arabic Literature.
5. Encyclopaedia Britannica, 11th edition of Semitic Languages, Tr. Noeldeke.
6. Encyclopaedia of Islam: Latest edition.
7. Tarikh al-Adab al-'Arabi

Books Recommended for Political History of Islam:

1. Siratun Nabi by Allama Shibli No`mani & Syed Sulaiman Nadwi
2. Al. Nabiyyul Khatim by Syed Abul Hasan Ali Nadwi
3. A short History of Saracens, by Syed Ameer Ali.
4. History of the Arabs by P.K. Hitti
5. Concise History of Muslim World (3 Vols.) by Rafi Ahmad Fidai
6. Tarikhul Islam (4 Vols.) by. Shah Mu`eenuddin Nadwi