

**GENERIC ELECTIVE – 19
ARABIC LITERATURE REVIEW
(ARABIC DRAMA)**

Semester-VIII

**CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE- REQUISITES OF THE
COURSE**

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course (if any)
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice		
Arabic Literature Review (Arabic Drama)	4	3	1	0	UG Sem.-VII	NIL

Learning Objectives

1. To make students acquainted with the Arabic Drama.
2. To make familiar to famous Dramatists.

Learning Outcomes:

Drama is an important part of the Modern Arabic Literature. It contributes a lot in promotion of the Arabic language and literature across the world. By studying this paper students will learn about:

- a) The basic elements of drama,
- b) Emergence of drama as an important part of the Arabic literature,
- c) The pioneers of the drama who had contributed a lot in its development,
- d) Some selected and most famous prose and poetic drama.

SYLLABUS OF GE-19 (CATEGORY-I)

Unit 1 (20 hours)

- Introduction:

A. Origin & Development of Drama.

B. Definition and Elements of Drama.

C. Kinds of Drama & Difference between Novel & Drama.

Unit 2 (20 hours)

Brief Introduction to the following Drama Writers:

A. Tawfiq al Hakim (توفيق الحكيم)

B. Ali Ahmad Bakathir (علي أحمد باكثير)

C. Ahmad Shauqi (أحمد شوقي)

Unit 3 (20 hours)

- Literary Review of the following Dramas:

A. Ahlul Kahaf (أهل الكهف)

B. Majnuno Laila (مجنون ليلى)

C. Al-Firaun Al-mauood (الفرعون الموعود)

Books prescribed:

Essential/Recommended Readings:

- 1) Hanna AL-Fakhuri: Tarikhul Al Adabil Arabi
- 2) Ali Sabri: Al- Masrahi yatu Nashatuha
- 3) Ahmad Haykal: Al-Adabul Al-Qasasi Wal Masrahi fi Misr.
- 4) Taha Badr, Abdul Muhsin, (1983), Tatawwur al-Riwaya al-Arabiyya al-Haditha, Cairo: Dar al-Ma'arif.

Suggested Readings

- 1) Duktur Muhammad Yunus Abdul 'Aal: Fi al Nasr alArabiQadhayawaFununwaNusus, Al Sharikah al-Misriyyah al-Aalamiyyah Li alNashr, Longman
- 2) M. M. Badawi : Modern Arabic Literature, Cambridge University Press.
- 3) Umar Al-Dasuqi: Al-Masrahia

Note: Examination scheme and mode shall be as prescribed by the Examination Branch, University of Delhi, from time to time.