## 17HS011 ENGLISH -II

## **Course Description and Objectives:**

This course aims to improve language skills and basic communication skills. This course includes all genres of literature and grammar components and that will allow learner to improve his/her knowledge in language.

### **Course Outcomes:**

Upon completion of the course, the student will be able to achieve the following outcomes:

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1	Learner can understand the skimming and scanning skills in reading. Get the
	knowledge of different word-formation in styles. Write précis writing.
2	Appreciate the rhyme and rhythm in poems. Learn different aspects of social evils.
3	Introduced to short story. Learns synonyms and antonyms.
4	Study one act play. Learn narrative technique and practice writing.
5	Learn different grammar component and use phonetics for pronunciation.

### **Skills**

- 1. Skimming and scanning skills in reading
- 2. Usage of acceptable functional English

#### Unit – I PROSE

1. J. B.S Haldane: The Scientific Point of View

2. A.G. Gardiner: On Shaking Hands

### Unit - II POETRY

1. John Keats: Ode to Autumn

2. KishwarNaheed: I am not that Woman (from An Anthology of Commonwealth

Poetry edited by C.D. Narasimhaiah)

### **Unit –III SHORT STORY**

1. Ruskin Bond : The Boy Who Broke the Bank

2. R. K. Narayan: Half a Rupee Worth

## **Unit – IV** ONE ACT PLAY

Anton Chekhov: The Proposal

# Unit – V LANGUAGE ACTIVITY

- 1. Classroom and Laboratory Activities
  - i. Transformation of Sentences (Voice, Speech and Degrees)
  - ii. Dialogue Practice (Oral)
  - iii. Listening Comprehension
- 2. Classroom Activity
  - i. Guided Composition
  - ii. Dialogue Writing
  - iii. Reading Comprehension