

A large saturated blue circle is positioned in the top left corner, with three smaller circles (one black, one yellow, and one orange) overlapping its bottom edge.

Satavahana University, Telangana

B.Com GEN Sem 1 syllabus

English (First Language) 1

Unit 1 (SHORT STORY) Dinakar

TEXT
A Snake in the Grass - RK Narayan
Reading Comprehension
Satavahana Kingdom
Grammar
Spelling Rules
Vocabulary
Words Often Misspelt
Pronunciation
Reading out a passage properly with punctuation pointers (audio support)
Language Games
Twenty Quiz Items
Conversation Practice
Talking about Weather
Soft Skills
Effective Communication

Unit 2 (PROSE) E S Rao

TEXT
On Saying Please - A.G. Gardinar
Reading Comprehension
Vemulavada
Grammar
Framing Interrogatives
Vocabulary
Words in different forms, Content and Structural / Grammatical Words
Pronunciation
Intonation (audio support)

Language Games
Tongue Twisters
Conversation Practice
Talking about Sports and Games
Soft Skills
Teamwork

Unit 3 (POETRY) Rambhaskar Raju

TEXT

If You Forget Me – Pablo Neruda
Reading Comprehension
The Elagandala Fort
Grammar
Verb Forms in 12 Tenses
Vocabulary
Important Irregular Verbs in 5 Forms
Pronunciation
Tone Groups (audio support)
Language Games
Euphemisms / Indianisms
Conversation Practice
Talking about Careers
Soft Skills
Decision Making

Unit 4 (SHORT FICTION) Ramesh

TEXT

After the Sunset – Bhoopal
Reading Comprehension
Right to Information Act
Grammar
Conversion
Vocabulary
Connectors
Pronunciation
Conversations (audio support)
Language Games
Hangman / Word Endings
Conversation Practice
Talking about Leaders
Soft Skills
Creativity / Thinking Out of the Box

Unit 5 (PROSE) Praveen Kumar

TEXT

Man's Peril - Bertrand Russell

Reading Comprehension

Digital India

Grammar

Errors of Concord and Articles

Vocabulary

Collocations

Pronunciation

Stress Shift (audio support)

Language Games

Spiderweb / Word Families

Conversation Practice

Talking about Vegetables

Soft Skills

Work Ethics

Unit 6 (POETRY) Shobha Rani

TEXT

Be The Best - Douglas Malloch

Reading Comprehension

Good Governance

Grammar

Errors of Verbs of Perception and Prepositions

Vocabulary

Phrases

Pronunciation

Words Often Mispronounced (audio support)

Language Games

Word Jumble

Conversation Practice

Talking about Social Media

Soft Skills

Interpersonal Relations
