

Mohan Lal Sukhadia University, Udaipur
SYLLABUS FOR SCREENING TEST FOR THE POST OF ASSISTANT PROFESSOR IN
URDU - Language & Literature

Unit – I

- (a) Western Hindi and its dialects namely : Braj Bhasha, Haryanwi and Khari Boli.
- (b) Role of Rajasthani in the development of Urdu.
- (c) Persio-Arabic elements in Urdu.
- (d) Different theories of the origin of Urdu Language.

Unit – II

- (a) Classical genres of Urdu Poetry : Ghazal, Qasida, Marsiya, Masnavi, Rubai.
- (b) Modern genres of Urdu Poetry : Nazm – Blank Verse, Free Verse.
- (c) Important genres of Urdu Prose : Dastan, Novel, Short Story (Afsana), Drama, Biography.
- (d) Two classical Schools of Urdu Poetry :
 - (i) Delhi School of Poetry.
 - (ii) Lucknow School of Poetry.

Unit – III

- (a) Salient Features of Daccani Language and important poets of Daccani.
- (b) Important Prose writers upto Mirza Ghalib.
- (c) Aligarh Movement and its contribution in the development of Urdu Literature.
- (d) Romantic/Progressive Movement and its contribution in the development of Modern Urdu Literature.

Unit – IV

Important Poets and Prose Writers

- (a) **Poets (Nazm)** – Nazir, Akabarabadi, Hali, Azad, Chakbast, Durga Sahay Suroor, Akbar Allahabadi, Iqbal Joseh, Faiz, Meeraji, Noon Meem Rashid.
- (b) **Poets (Ghazal)** - Wali, Dard, Meer, Nasikh, atish, Ghalib, Momin, Dagh, Hasrat, Fani, Asghar, Firaq, Nasir Kazmi.
- (c) **Prose Writers (Fiction)** – Mulla Wajhi, Meer Amman, Rajab Ali Beg Suroor, Nazir Ahmad, Premchand, Saadat Hasan Manto, Krishan Chander, Bedi, Quarratul Ain Hyder, Surendar Parkash.
- (d) **Prose Writers (Non-fiction)** - Fazli, Ghalib, Mohd. Hussain Azad, Mehdi Ifadi, Sir Syed, Hali, Shibli, Maulana Azad, Rashid Ahmad Siddique, Mushtaq Ahmad Yusufi.

Unit – V

- (a) Impact of West on Urdu Literature.
- (b) Salient Features of Urdu Literature after independence.
- (c) Trends of Urdu Literature in Rajasthan.
- (d) Rhetorics.

Note:- Pattern of Question Paper

1. Objective type paper
2. Maximum Marks :100
3. Number of Questions : 100
4. Duration of Paper : Two Hours
5. All questions carry equal marks
6. There will be Negative Marking