

## COMPULSORY ENGLISH: T.Y.B.A. -2005-06

1. **Text:** Shakespeare : **As You Like It** (a Shorter Shakespeare),  
(OUP) **30 marks**
2. **Reading and Comprehension:** prose passages **12 marks**  
  
(Not more than 300 words) or general interest and questions to  
test inferential and interpretative skills)
3. **Writing Composition:**
  - (i) Writing a short composition of not more than 150  
words on a given topic or sentence **8 marks**
  - (ii) Letters : Formal leave notes, applications, complaints,  
letters to the editor, etc **10 marks**
4. **Speaking:** Developing a dialogue on familiar situation  
(not for testing). **No marks**
5. **Translation :** From English into Gujarati or Hindi of a given  
passage of about 140 words **10 marks**

### Suggested Dictionaries for all the students

1. Longman Dictionary of **Contemporary English (Orient London)**
2. **Advanced Learner's English** Dictionary (Oxford)