

T.Y.B.Sc COMPULSORY ENGLISH
(2005-6 & until further notice)
Compulsory English Course for T.Y.B.Sc. Examinations

1. **The Merchant of Venice** : Shorter Shakespeare Series, OUP.
General Questions (1/3) **15 marks**
Short notes (2/4) **10 marks**

2. **Reading and Comprehension** : Precis writing of prose passages
(Not more than 300 words of general interest and questions to
test inferential and interpretative skills) **12 marks**
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 situations **8 marks**
5. **Translation** : From English into Gujarati or Hindi of a given
passage of about 150 words **7 marks**