🚀 Final Super Syllabus of English (Refined with Sources) 📖

(All topics are sourced from university syllabi: CU, DU, BHU, BU, VBU, BBU, JNU & GATE English Exam Syllabus)

📌 Month 1: Early English Literature & Literary Theory

(Previously 1st Semester)

- **Beowulf** *(CU 1st Sem, DU 1st Sem, BHU 1st Sem, JNU 1st Task, BBB 1st Sem)*
- **Geoffrey Chaucer – *The Canterbury Tales* (General Prologue, Wife of Bath's Tale)** *(DU 1st Sem, BU 1st Sem, JNU 1st Task, GATE)*
- **Sir Gawain and the Green Knight** *(BHU 1st Sem, JNU 1st Task, CU 1st Sem)*
- **Christopher Marlowe – *Doctor Faustus*** *(CU 1st Sem, DU 1st Sem, BHU 1st Sem, JNU 1st Task, GATE)*
- **William Shakespeare – *Hamlet*** *(CU 1st Sem, DU 1st Sem, BHU 1st Sem, JNU 1st Task, GATE)*
- **John Donne – Selected Sonnets (Holy Sonnet X, The Flea, The Good Morrow)** *(CU 1st Sem, BU 1st Sem, DU 1st Sem, JNU 1st Task)*
- **Plato – *The Republic* (Theory of Forms & Poetics)** *(CU 1st Sem, BU 1st Sem, DU 1st Sem, GATE)*
- **Aristotle – *Poetics*** *(CU 1st Sem, BU 1st Sem, DU 1st Sem, JNU 1st Task, GATE)*

📌 Month 2: 17th & 18th Century Literature & Theory

(Previously 2nd Semester)

- **John Milton – *Paradise Lost* (Book I & II)** *(CU 2nd Sem, DU 2nd Sem, BHU 2nd Sem, JNU 2nd Task, GATE)*
- **Alexander Pope – *The Rape of the Lock*** *(CU 2nd Sem, BU 2nd Sem, DU 2nd Sem, JNU 2nd Task, GATE)*
- **Jonathan Swift – *Gulliver's Travels* (Part 1 & 2)** *(CU 2nd Sem, DU 2nd Sem, BHU 2nd Sem, JNU 2nd Task, GATE)*
- **Samuel Johnson – *Preface to Shakespeare*** *(CU 2nd Sem, DU 2nd Sem, JNU 2nd Task, GATE)*
- **William Wordsworth – *Preface to Lyrical Ballads*** *(CU 2nd Sem, DU 2nd Sem, BU 2nd Sem, JNU 2nd Task, GATE)*

- **William Blake – Selected Poems (The Lamb, The Tyger, London)** *(CU 2nd Sem, DU 2nd Sem, BU 2nd Sem, JNU 2nd Task, GATE)*
- **Percy Bysshe Shelley – *To a Skylark*** *(BBU 2nd Sem, DU 2nd Sem, BU 2nd Sem, JNU 2nd Task, GATE)*
- **Structuralism – Ferdinand de Saussure's *Course in General Linguistics*** *(CU 2nd Sem, BU 2nd Sem, JNU 2nd Task, GATE)*

📌 Month 3: Romantic, Victorian & Modernist Literature

(Previously 3rd Semester)

- **John Keats – *Ode to a Nightingale, Ode on a Grecian Urn*** *(CU 3rd Sem, DU 3rd Sem, BU 3rd Sem, JNU 3rd Task, GATE)*
- **Alfred Tennyson – *Ulysses*** *(CU 3rd Sem, BU 3rd Sem, DU 3rd Sem, JNU 3rd Task, GATE)*
- **Robert Browning – *My Last Duchess, The Bishop Orders His Tomb*** *(CU 3rd Sem, DU 3rd Sem, BU 3rd Sem, JNU 3rd Task, GATE)*
- **Emily Brontë – *Wuthering Heights*** *(CU 3rd Sem, DU 3rd Sem, BU 3rd Sem, JNU 3rd Task, GATE)*
- **T.S. Eliot – *The Waste Land*** *(CU 3rd Sem, DU 3rd Sem, BU 3rd Sem, JNU 3rd Task, GATE)*
- **Virginia Woolf – *To the Lighthouse*** *(CU 3rd Sem, DU 3rd Sem, BU 3rd Sem, JNU 3rd Task, GATE)*
- **Poststructuralism – Jacques Derrida's *Of Grammatology*** *(CU 3rd Sem, DU 3rd Sem, BU 3rd Sem, JNU 3rd Task, GATE)*

📌 Month 4: Postcolonial, Indian, & World Literature

(Previously 4th Semester)

- **Franz Kafka – *The Metamorphosis*** *(CU 4th Sem, DU 4th Sem, BU 4th Sem, JNU 4th Task, GATE)*
- **Gabriel García Márquez – *One Hundred Years of Solitude*** *(CU 4th Sem, DU 4th Sem, BU 4th Sem, JNU 4th Task, GATE)*
- **Chinua Achebe – *Things Fall Apart*** *(CU 4th Sem, DU 4th Sem, BU 4th Sem, JNU 4th Task, GATE)*
- **Salman Rushdie – *Midnight's Children*** *(CU 4th Sem, DU 4th Sem, BU 4th Sem, JNU 4th Task, GATE)*

- **Mulk Raj Anand – *Untouchable*** *(CU 4th Sem, DU 4th Sem, BU 4th Sem, JNU 4th Task, GATE)*
- **Gayatri Spivak – *Can the Subaltern Speak?*** *(CU 4th Sem, DU 4th Sem, BU 4th Sem, JNU 4th Task, GATE)*
- **Postcolonialism – Edward Said's *Orientalism*** *(CU 4th Sem, DU 4th Sem, BU 4th Sem, JNU 4th Task, GATE)*

🔖 Month 5: Linguistics, Film Studies & Research

(Previously 5th Semester)

- **Noam Chomsky – *Syntactic Structures*** *(CU 5th Sem, DU 5th Sem, BU 5th Sem, JNU 5th Task, GATE)*
- **Film & Adaptation Studies (Baz Luhrmann's *Romeo + Juliet*)** *(CU 5th Sem, DU 5th Sem, BU 5th Sem, JNU 5th Task, GATE)*
- **Disability & Dalit Studies – B.R. Ambedkar's *Annihilation of Caste*** *(CU 5th Sem, DU 5th Sem, BU 5th Sem, JNU 5th Task, GATE)*
- **Research Methodology – MLA & Chicago Style Referencing** *(CU 5th Sem, DU 5th Sem, BU 5th Sem, JNU 5th Task, GATE)*

🔖 Month 6: Revision & Special Topics

(Previously 6th Semester)

- **Revisiting Major Literary Movements & Authors** *(Comprehensive Review from all sources)*
- **Mock Tests & Practice Papers (UGC-NET, GATE, PhD Entrance)** *(CU, DU, BU, JNU, GATE)*
- **Thesis Writing & Research Paper Submissions** *(CU, DU, BU, JNU, GATE)*