# মহাপুৰুষ শ্ৰীমন্ত শঙ্কৰদেৱ বিশ্ববিদ্যালয় MAHAPURUSHA SRIMANTA SANKARADEVA VISWAVIDYALAYA



## SYLLABUS FOR MSSVRAT

Paper- II

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#### **Unit I: Literary and Cultural Theory**

- Structuralism
- Poststructuralism and Deconstruction
- Psychoanalysis, Psychoanalytic criticism
- Feminism
- Colonialism and Post colonialism
- Marxism, New Historicism and Cultural Materialism
- · Ecocriticism, Ecofeminism, and Deep Ecology

### Unit II: Approach a text applying a literary theory

- For example- Reading Hamlet from Psychoanalytic point of view
- Exploration of Eco-critical perspectives in Amitav Ghosh's novels
- Reading Conrad's Heart of Darkness from Postcolonial lens.

#### Unit III: Review of Literature of a literary text/writer's work

#### Unit IV: Book Review of a Writer's work

For example- Chinua Achebe's *Things Fall Apart The God of Small Things* by Arundhati Roy *Beloved* by Toni Morrison

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