



TILAK MAHARASHTRA VIDYAPEETH

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PhD Entrance Test
A.Y-2026-27
Subject: English Syllabus

Units	Topics
Unit I: Grammar & Syntax	Parts of Speech: Nouns, pronouns, verbs, adjectives, adverbs, prepositions, conjunctions, and interjections. Tenses & Modals: Simple, continuous, and perfect tenses; if-conditionals; and auxiliary/modal verbs (can, could, should, etc.). Sentence Structure: Subject-verb agreement, word order, and types of sentences (simple, compound, complex). Transformation: Active and passive voice, direct and indirect speech (narration)
Unit II: Vocabulary Development	Word Associations: Synonyms, antonyms, homophones, and collocations. Word Formation: Prefixes, suffixes, roots, and one-word substitutions. Phrases: Idioms, phrasal verbs, and common expressions.

Books Recommended;

- 1- Wren & Martin High School English Grammar and Composition Book.
 - 2- Oxford English grammar
 - 3- Roget's International Thesaurus
 - 4- The Oxford Dictionary of Synonyms and Antonyms:
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