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BA VI SEMESTER SYLLABUS

**6.1 - ORIGIN AND DEVELOPMENT OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE &
LITERARY THEORIES**

UNIT-I

Origin and development of English Language

1. Norman Conquest
2. English as Global Language
3. Words formation
4. Rhyme, Rhythm, Meter, Foot
5. Phonetic Scripts

UNIT-II

Literary Theories

1. *Literary Theory* by Terry Eagleton
(What is literature an Introduction)
2. *Introduction to Beginning Theory* by Peter Barry

UNIT-III

A. Literary Terms

1. Stanza form
2. Rhyme Royal
3. Ottava Rhyme
4. Quatrain
5. Heroic Couplet
6. Octo Syllabic Couplet
7. Satire
8. Spenserian Stanza
9. Terza Rhyme

B. Figures of Speech

1. Hyperbole
2. Irony
3. Metaphor
4. Simile
5. Personification
6. Euphuism
7. Oxymoron

UNIT-IV

Critical appreciation of an unknown poem