

ENGLISH LITERATURE

ICSE SYLLABUS

CLASS 9

PROSE

- **THE MERCHANT OF VENICE**

- **DRAMA: ACT 1 – SCENES 1, 2 & 3, ACT 2 – SCENES 1 TO 9, ACT 3 – SCENE 1 ONLY.**

- **TREASURE TROVE - A COLLECTION OF ICSE POEMS AND SHORT STORIES**

- **POETRY:**

- **THE COLD WITHIN–JAMES PATRICK KINNEY**

- **THE BANGLE SELLERS – SAROJINI NAIDU**

- **AFTER BLENHEIM – ROBERT SOUTHEY**

- **TELEVISION – ROALD DAHL**

- **DAFFODILS – WILLIAM WORDSWORTH**

- **PROSE (SHORT STORIES):**

- **OLD MAN AT THE BRIDGE – ERNEST MILLERHEMINGWAY**

- **A HORSE AND TWO GOATS – R.K. NARAYAN**

- **HEARTS AND HANDS – O. HENRY**

- **A FACE IN THE DARK – RUSKIN BOND**

- **AN ANGEL IN DISGUISE – T.S. ARTHUR**

CLASS 10

PROSE

- **THE MERCHANT OF VENICE**
 - (SHAKESPEARE'S UNABRIDGED PLAY BY A.W. VERITY -ACTS 3,4 & 5 ONLY)
- **TREASURE TROVE - A COLLECTION OF ICSE POEMS AND SHORT STORIES (EVERGREEN PUBLICATIONS)**
- **POETRY:**
 - DAFFODILS – WILLIAM WORDSWORTH
 - I KNOW WHY THE CAGED BIRD SINGS – MAYA ANGELOU
 - THE PATRIOT – ROBERT BROWNING
 - ABU BEN ADHEM – LEIGH HUNT
 - NINE GOLD MEDALS – DAVID ROTH
 - **PROSE (SHORT STORIES):**
 - AN ANGEL IN DISGUISE – T.S. ARTHUR
 - THE LITTLE MATCH GIRL – HANS CHRISTIAN ANDERSEN
 - THE BLUE BEAD – NORAH BURKE
 - MY GREATEST OLYMPIC PRIZE – JESSE OWENS
 - ALL SUMMER IN A DAY – RAY DOUGLAS BRADBURY

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PROSE

- THE FUN THEY HAD
- THE SOUND OF MUSIC
- THE LITTLE GIRL
- A TRULY BEAUTIFUL MIND
- THE SNAKE AND THE MIRROR
- MY CHILDHOOD
- REACH FOR THE TOP
- KATHMANDU
- IF I WERE YOU

POEMS

- THE ROAD NOT TAKEN
 - WIND
 - RAIN ON THE ROOF
- THE LAKE ISLE OF INNISFREE
- A LEGEND OF THE NORTHLAND
 - NO MEN ARE FOREIGN
 - ON KILLING A TREE
- A SLUMBER DID MY SPIRIT SEAL

READER: MOMENTS

- THE LOST CHILD
- THE ADVENTURES OF TOTO
- ISWARAN THE STORYTELLER
- IN THE KINGDOM OF FOOLS
 - THE HAPPY PRINCE
 - THE LAST LEAF
- A HOUSE IS NOT A HOME
 - THE BEGGAR

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PROSE

- A LETTER TO GOD
- NELSON MANDELA – LONG WALK TO FREEDOM
- TWO STORIES ABOUT FLYING
- FROM THE DIARY OF ANNE FRANK
- GLIMPSES OF INDIA
- MIJBIL THE OTTER
- MADAM RIDES THE BUS
- THE SERMON AT BENARES
- THE PROPOSAL (PLAY)

POEMS

- DUST OF SNOW
 - FIRE AND ICE
- A TIGER IN THE ZOO
- HOW TO TELL WILD ANIMALS
 - THE BALL POEM
 - AMANDA!
 - THE TREES
 - FOG
- THE TALE OF CUSTARD THE DRAGON
 - FOR ANNE GREGORY

READER: FOOTPRINTS WITHOUT FEET

- A TRIUMPH OF SURGERY
 - THE THIEF'S STORY
- THE MIDNIGHT VISITOR
 - A QUESTION OF TRUST
- FOOTPRINTS WITHOUT FEET
- THE MAKING OF A SCIENTIST
 - THE NECKLACE
 - BHOLI
- THE BOOK THAT SAVED THE EARTH

WB SYLLABUS

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PROSE

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- THE CORAL ISLAND
- HOW IT HAPPENED
- I WANT TO WRITE
- SEASONS AND TIME
- ONE THE WAY TO PRETORIA
- NIGHT JOURNEY
- THE TASTE OF WATERMELON
- AFTER TWENTY YEARS
- THE MONEY BOX
- IN A DISGUISED GRAVEYARD

RAPID READER

- THE STRANGE CASE OF DR. JEKYLL AND MR. HYDE
- STORY OF THE DOOR
- SEARCH FOR MR. HYDE
- THE CAREW MURDER CASE
- THE LAST NIGHT

CLASS 10

- REPAYING
- REAPERS
- HINTS TO TRAVELLERS
- FAR IN A WESTERN BROOKLAND
- TO FIGHT ALOUD IS VERY BRAVE
- BOOKS ON THE SHELF
- DROUGHT
- I LEFT MY LOW AND HUMBLE HOME
- TO ERR IS HUMAN
- IMAGINE

RAPID READER: THE HOUND OF THE BASKERVILLES