

DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

• Semester III (Open Elective 2)

• ENE 509:INDIAN FICTION IN TRANSLATION

- Open Elective 3 credits (4 lectures)
- End semester examination 70 marks
- Internal Assessment 30 marks Monthly Tests/ Assignments/ Class Reports

LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

The course is designed as an elective under the CBCS scheme and targeted at non-literature students. Hence the primary learning objective is to create an awareness of the importance of literary studies in non-literature students. With this in view, the core seeks to introduce the students to

- Specially focus on regional fictional heritage
- Have an understanding of regional variations of the Indian Socio Cultural realities.
- The dynamics of translation and multi linguist cultures.

COURSE OUTCOME:

The student is expected to achieve the following objectives by the end of the semester

- Get aquatinted with the cultural and linguistic varieties of India.
- Learn the close relationship between socio cultural realities and fiction writing.
- Have a broad idea of the changing phases of modernism in Indian Life

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