

**Shastri – 3<sup>rd</sup> Year -5<sup>th</sup> Semester**

**GENERIC COURSE (GE-5) – Malayalam prose and literary criticism, Modern poetry,  
Essays and lyrical philosophy**

**Introduction:** Students get introduced to Malayalam prose and Malayalam literary criticism. Introduces lyrical philosophy and modern poetry.

**Objectives:** Students knowing about Malayalam prose and Malayalam literary criticism. Introduces Edassery's period and his writings style. Familiarity with critical forms and movements in Malayalam literature.  
Introduces the lyrical philosophy.

**Learning Outcomes:** Students get a better understanding of great poets. Understanding Malayalam prose and Malayalam literary criticism. Understands the lyrical philosophy and knowing the Kerala history and culture.

Unit	Content	Hours/Credits
Unit - 1	1. Paristhithi Soundarya Sasthrathinu Oru Mukhavura – Dr. T P Sukumaran Harithaniroopanam Malayalathil – G Madhusudhanan – DC Books 2. Njanganal Ningalkku Bhoomi Vittal – Siyattil Mooppan – Vivarthanam – Zakariya – DC Books 3. Dalithan Aranu? – K C Purushothaman – Dalith Sahitya Prasthanam – Kerala Sahitya Academy 4. Kerala Vathmiki - Ashante Seetha kavyam – Sukumar Azhikode – SPCS, Kottayam	16 / 01
Unit - 2	1. Puthenkalavum Arivalum 2. Poothappattum – Edassery Govindan Nair – Edasseryude Kavithakal - Poorna Publications	16 / 01

Unit - 3	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Kalayum Kalavum – M.P. Paul - Sahitya Vicharam – National Books</li> <li>2. Thettayude Janathipathyam, Bangivaakku – M.N.Karassery - Thaaimeozi — DC Books</li> </ol>	16 / 01
Unit - 4	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Charithrathe Agadamakkiya Guru (Lyrical Philosophy) – K.P. Appan (DC Books) Chapter IV – Mathadhitha Sanyasam Chaper IX – Charithrathe Agadamakkiya Guru</li> </ol>	16 / 01

**Reference Text Books:**

1. Malayalam Novel Sahitya Charithram – Dr. Tharakan K.M. – Sastra Sahitya Parishad
2. Malayala Kavitha Sahitya Charithram – Dr. M. Leelavathy – DC Books
3. Harithaniroopanam Malayalathil – G Madhusudhanan – DC Books
4. Ashante Seetha kavyam – Sukumar Azhikode – SPCS, Kottayam
5. Dalith Sahitya Prasthanam - K C Purushothaman – Kerala Sahitya Academy
6. Idasseri yude Prabhandhangal - Idasseri, Mathrubhumi Books

