RAJASTHAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, AJMER
SYLLABUS FOR COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION FOR THE POST
OF LECTURER – URDU COLLEGE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

PAPER-I

Unit – I
(a) Various Theories of origin of Urdu Language.
(b) Western Hindi and its dialects namely : Braj Bhasha, Haryanwi, Punjabi and Khari Boli.
(c) Arabic & Persian elements in Urdu Language.

Unit – II
(a) Classical genres of Urdu Poetry : Ghazal, Qasida, Marsiya, Masnavi.
(b) Modern genres of Urdu Poetry and their development : Muarra Nazm, Nasri Nazm and Azad Nazm,
(c) Sonnet, Geet and Doha

Unit – III
(a) Development of Urdu Language and Literature in Deccan.
(b) Salient feature of Deccani Language and Literature.
(c) Role of Quli Qutubshah, Nusrati, Wajhi, Ghawwasi and Wali in the development of Deccani Language and Literature.

Unit – IV:
(a) Delhi School of Poetry and its salient features.
(b) Lucknow School of Poetry and its salient features.
(c) Important poets of Delhi and Lucknow School :
    Ghazal : Meer, Dard, Atish, Nasikh, Ghalib and Momin.
    Qasida : Sauda, Zauq and Muneer Shikohabadi.
    Marsiya : Meer Anis and Mirza Dabeer.
    Masnavi : Meer Hasan, Daya Shankar Naseem and Mirza Shauq.

Unit – V
(a) Development of Criticism in Urdu.
(b) Role of Rajasthan’s Urdu Poets in freedom movement.
(c) Rhetorics.

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Note :-

 **Pattern of Question Paper**

1. Objective type paper
2. Maximum Marks : 75
3. Number of Questions : 150
4. Duration of Paper : Three Hours
5. All questions carry equal marks.
6. There will be Negative Marking.