

FOURTH SEMESTER

PAPER-IV (C) : CULTURE STUDIES (Code ME44344)

Unit – A :

1. Emergence of Nation States
2. Rise of a literate Middle Class
3. Rise of cities as sites of culture

Unit – B :

British Cultural Criticism : Arnold, Leavis, Eliot

Unit – C :

Raymond Williams : The following topics from *Culture and Society 1780-1950* –

1. Introduction
2. Part III Twentieth Century Opinions
3. Conclusion

Unit – D :

- (a) Marxism,
Post Structuralism
Feminism
- (b) Race, Ethnicity and National Identities

Unit – E :

Popular Culture : Pop songs, films, T.V. and media

Books Recommended:

1. *The Idea of Culture* : Terry Eagleton
2. *From Dawn to Decadence : The History of Western Culture:* Jacques Barzum
(Harper Collins)
3. *Culture & Imperialism* : Edward Said
(Vintage)
4. *Orientalism* : Edward Said
5. *Post Colonial Literature in English* : Dennis Walder
(McWell)