

**ALTERNATIVE ENGLISH**  
**COURSE NO.ALT 301:**  
**POETRY, SHORT STORY AND COMPOSITION**

**Unit I: Poetry**

- a. William Black: The Tyger (Theme, Summary).
- b. P.B Shelley: Ode to the West Wind (Theme, Summary).
- c. G.M Hopkins: God's Grandeur (Theme, Summary).

**Unit II: Poetry**

- a. W.B. Yeats: A Prayer For My Daughter (Theme, Summary).
- b. T.S. Eliot: Journey of the Magi (Theme, Summary).
- c. Robert Forst: Stopping by the Woods on a Snowy Evening (Theme, Summary).
- d. Evening (Theme, Summary).

**Unit III: Short Story**

- a. Leo Tolstoy: The Imp and the Peasant's Bread.
- b. O'Henry: The Gift of Magi (Summary & Critical Analysis).

**Unit IV: Short Story**

- a. Arthur Conan Doyle: A Case of Identity.
- b. Anton Chekov: The Bet (Summary & Critical Analysis).

**Unit V: Composition**

- a. Paragraph Writing.
- b. Components, Structure, Subject Matter.

**READING LIST:**

1. Book No.9040001352, N.U Anthology of Prose & Short Stories By Gautam Sarma.  
Publishers-Macmillan Publishers, ISBN-1403-92792-8
2. Book No.9040001439, The Written Word By Vandana R.Singh.  
Publishers-Oxford University, ISBN-0-19-566806-5
3. Book No.9040001534, Wings of Poesy By Nagaland University.  
Publishers-Laxmi Publications.ISBN-978-93-5138-0733