

KAKATIYA UNIVERSITY, WARANGAL  
(B.A) JOURNALISM '3YDC' (CBCS).

**FIRST YEAR – II- SEMESTER**

PAPER-II: REPORTING AND EDITING FOR PRINT MEDIA

**1st Year SYLLABUS**

UNIT-I

REPORTING: Role, Duties and qualities of a Reporter - Techniques of Reporting Collecting news- problems of news gathering-Reporting public affairs – Meeting-cultural, Social, sports and other events.

UNIT-II

Reporting special events, disasters and accidents crime, budget, legislature reporting, speech reporting, investigative reporting, science reporting, rural reporting

UNIT-III

Column writing, writing creative middles, language as a tool of writing, art of translation, practical exercises, beats

UNIT-IV

EDITING: Editing- Types of Editorials-Editorial comments-column writing. Letters to the Editor-Leads- Headings and Types of Headings

UNIT-V

Reporting Fashion, Travel and Tourism, Book Reviews, Pack Journalism, Film Reviews, Song and Drama Reviews

**Reference Books:**

1. John Rothenberg: The Professional Journalist
2. Emery, Adult & Ages: Reporting and writing the News
3. Ralph S. Izard: Reporting the citizens news
4. M.V. Kamath: Professional Journalism
5. Curtis MacDougall (1953): Interpretative reporting. New York, George Allen & Unwind Ltd.
6. Pataniali Sethi : Professional Journalism
7. Tom Wolfe: the New Journalism