



Translation



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Abstract : *Human beings communicate among themselves through language. However, different people speak different languages in different parts of the world. That is why; we need translation for the purpose of communication among people of different races, cultures, and faiths all over the world. In addition, translation becomes a kind of linguistic bridge building. The writer, his reader and work belong to one language and the translator, his reader and translation belong to another language what happens in translation is that the SL gets substituted and the result is that the TL text is born. In other words, translation is a journey from one language to another. Since language is a code or system of signs, the translator decodes the SL and recodes it in the TL text. Thus in translation decoding and recoding, destructing and re-structuring take place. Since languages differ in form and structure, translation acts as a kind of linguistic bridge- building between two languages and cultures. Translation has been practiced for a long time. However, it was in the 1950s that it came to be accepted as a profession. As an independent discipline, it has proved to be a bridge between different people and as a unifying medium; it has made literatures written in diverse languages accessible.*

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