MAEL-101

Prose and Fiction

M.A. English (MAEL-12/16/17)

First Year Examination, 2019

Time : 3 Hours   **Max. Marks : 80**

Note :   This paper is of **eighty (80)** marks containing **three (03)** sections A, B and C. Learner are required to attempt the questions contained in these sections according to the detailed instructions given therein.

Section—'A'
(Long Answer Type Questions)

Note :   Section 'A' contains four (04) long answer type questions of nineteen (19) marks each. Learners are required to answer two (02) questions only.   **02×19=38**

1.   Bacon's essays reveal his commitment to human affairs and are meant to educate and guide the reader. Discuss.

2.   Discuss the intermingling of fact and fiction in Charles Lamb's essays.

3.   Comment on the themes of love and marriage in Jane Austen's Emma.

4.   Discuss the nature of friendship between Dr. Aziz and Fielding in E.M. Forster's A Passage to India.

SECTION—'B'
(Short-answer-type questions)

Note :   Section 'B' contains eight (08) short- answer type questions of eight (08) marks each. Learners are required to answer any four (04) questions only.   **4×8=32**

1. Give a summary of Bacon's essay "Of truth".

2. Write briefly about the contribution of Addison and Steele to development of the Periodical Essay in the eighteenth century.

3. Discuss, what according to J. Krishnamurti, is the true nature of knowledge and the right kind of education.

4. Contrast the characters of frank Ashurst and Robert Garton in Galsworthy's story "The Apple tree".

5. What is the plot of Ernest Hemigway's story "The Snows of Kilimanjaro" ?

6. Discuss the relationship between Pip and Estella in Charles Dickens "Great Expectations."

7. Discuss the theme of Bedipus Complex in D.H. Larence's novel Sons and Lovers.

8. How does Manoj Das in "The Dusky Horizon" present the nostalgic recollections of his childhood memories in his village ?

SECTION—'C'
(Objective - type questions)

Note : Section 'C' contains ten (10) objective-type questions of one (01) mark each. All the questions of this section are compulsory.

$10 \times 1 = 10$

Answer in a word or a sentence :

1. Name the essayist who wrote the essay "Of Marriage and Single Life".

2. Who is the author of the essay "Sir Roger at church" ?

3. What is the title of the essay by Charles Lamb which deals with the Miserable lot of the chimney-sweepers ?

4. In which novel prescribed for you do you come across the character Frank Churchil ?

5. Which disease does Harry suffer from in Ernest Hemingway's story "The snows of Kilimanjaro" ?

6. What was the name of Frank Ashurst's wife ?

7. In which year was J.Krishnamurti born ?

8. What is Pip's full name in "Great Expectations" ?

9. What was the original title of "Sons and Lovers" ?

10. Who is the author of "Howards End" ?

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