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# **MAEL-505**

# FICTION

## MA English (MAEL)

2nd Semester Examination, 2023 (Dec.)

Time : 2 Hours]

#### Max. Marks : 70

Note: This paper is of Seventy (70) marks divided into two (02) Sections A and B. Attempt the questions contained in these sections according to the detailed instructions given therein. Candidates should limit their answers to the questions on the given answer sheet. No additional (B) answer sheet will be issued.

### SECTION-A

# (Long Answer Type Questions)

**Note :** Section 'A' contains Five (05) long answer type questions of Nineteen (19) marks each. Learners are required to answer any Two (02) questions only.

(2×19=38)

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- **1.** Describe the contemporary social and political attitudes revealed in Jane Austen's novel *Emma*.
- **2.** Explain the significance of the title of the novel *Great Expectations* by Charles Dickens.
- **3.** Analyze the character of Estella in *Great Expectations*. What does she represent?
- 4. Discuss *Sons* and *Lovers* as an autobiographical novel.
- 5. Why is it significant that the novel *A Passage to India* is divided into three parts: Mosque, Caves and Temple?

#### 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. Describe the relationship between Emma and Harriet.
- **2.** How does the relationship between Emma and Miss Taylor changes over time?
- **3.** What is the moral lesson in *Great Expectations*.

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- 4. Why does Miss Havisham manipulate Estella?
- 5. What is Oedipus Complex? How does it manifest in *Sons* and *Lovers*?
- 6. Describe the relationship between Paul and Miriam.
- 7. What causes Adela's breakdown in A Passage to India?
- **8.** Write a note on E.M. Forster's portrayal of Indian society in *A Passage to India.*