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AMERICAN LITERATURE

MA (Master of Arts) English

3rd 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.

 $(2 \times 19 = 38)$

- 1. Discuss Emily Dickinson as a Feminist poet, drawing special references from her life and her poems.
- **2.** Examine the significance of Hemingway's novel, *A Farewell to Arms*.
- **3.** What are the major themes discussed by Walt Whitman in "Song of Myself."
- **4.** Attempt a critical appreciation of Robert Frost's poem "Death of a Hired Man."
- **5.** Critically examine the major themes in Tony Morrison's *The Bluest Eye*.

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.** What is the central theme of the poem "Birches"?
- **2.** What is Pecola obsessed about? Why?
- **3.** Write a short note on the character of Lt Fredric Henry in A *Farewell to Arms*.

- **4.** Write a note on Whitman's Mysticism.
- **5.** Write a note on the major themes in Hemingway's novels.
- **6.** Discuss Robert Frost as a regional poet.
- **7.** Write a note on the theme of Death in Emily Dickinson's poetry.
- **8.** Write a note on the character of Cholly Breedlove in *The Bluest Eye*.