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M.A. ENGLISH (MAEL)

(Prose and Short Fiction)

1st Semester Examination, Session December 2024

Time : 2:00 Hrs.

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 2×19=38

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.

1. Discuss Bacon as a utilitarian philosopher, giving examples from the essays you have studied.
2. Addison's essays present the social manners of the 18th century English society, give examples from the essays prescribed.
3. The essays of Charles Lamb have a fine blend of personal and social issues, justify.
4. Attempt a summary of the main ideas of the essay, "Education and Significance of Life".
5. Write a critical appreciation of the story "The Dusky Horizon".

Section-B

(Short Answer Type Questions) 4×8=32

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.

1. Summarize the views of Bacon in the essay "Of Studies".
2. Discuss Addison's prose style.

3. Comment upon Lamb's essay "Oxford in the Vacation".
4. Discuss the salient features of Manoj Das as a short story writer.
5. What is the purpose of a life, according to J Krishnamurti ?
6. Discuss the plot of "The Apple Tree".
7. Attempt a character sketch of Harry in the story "The Snows of Kalimanjaro".
8. Write a short on Steele's prose style.
