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BAEL (N)-201

Understanding Drama-I

Examination, June 2025

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) $2 \times 19 = 38$

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. Analyze the concept of Rasa as described by Bharatmuni in the Natyashastra. How does it influence the emotional experience of the audience in Indian classical performing arts?
- Discuss the themes employed in *Tughlaq* by Girish Karnad.
- Discuss the development of drama in England after Renaissance.
- 4. Write an essay on theatrical analysis of *Death of a Salesman*.
- Analyze the art of characterization found in Shakespeare's works.

Section-B

(Short Answer Type Questions) $4 \times 8 = 32$

- **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. Analyze the character of Lady Macbeth in *Macbeth*.
- 2. Write a note on Arthur Miller as a playwright with reference to *Death of a Salesman*.

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- 3. Write the summary of Sophocles' *Oedipus Rex*.
- 4. Discus the motif of prayer used from Scene one to seven in *Tughlaq*.
- 5. Write a note on supernatural elements in *Macbeth* giving examples from the text.
- 6. What were the main theatrical influences on Girish Karnad's plays?
- 7. Describe the symbols used in the play *Death of a Salesman*.
- 8. Discuss the importance of different types of stages in drama.
