

Roll No.

MEG-10 (M.A. English)
Second Year Examination-2015
MEG-08

Indian Writing in English and the Translation

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 60

Note : This paper is of sixty (60) marks divided into three (03) sections A, B, and C. 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 fifteen (15) marks each. Learners are required to answer any two (02) questions only. (2×15=30)

1. Attempt a critical appreciation of Ezekiel's poem, "Poet, Lover, Bird-watcher."
2. Critically examine the theme of Mulk Raj Anand's 'Untouchable'.
3. Discuss symbolism in Rama Mehta's 'Inside the Haveli'.
4. Make a study of social criticism in Anantamurthy's 'Samskara'.

Section - B

(Short Answer Type Questions)

Note : Section 'B' contains eight (08) short-answer-type questions of five (05) marks each. Learners are required to answer any four (04) questions only. (4×5=20)

1. Write a short note on Tagore's 'Gitanjali'.
2. Briefly discuss the theme of Toru Dutt's 'Sita'.
3. Justify the title of Raja Rao's 'Kanthapura'.
4. Discuss briefly the main characteristics of the Protagonist in R. K. Narayan's 'The Guide'.
5. How is the 'Haveli' used as a moting in Rama Mehta's 'Inside the Haveli'.
6. Comment on the ending of Dattani's 'Final Solutions'.
7. How is the title of Sudraka's "Mrichchakatikam" relevant ?
8. State the author's point of view in Mahashweta Devi's 'Mother of 1084.'

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. (10×1=10)

1. Which poet prescribed in your course has composed the poem "Sita" ?

2. In which year was Tagore awarded the Nobel Prize for Literature?
3. Into how many acts is "Abhijnana-shakuntalam" divided ?

Fill in the blanks :

4. "My mother only said
Thank God the scorpion picked on me and spared my" "
5. "Lightly, O hightly, we her along.
6. "But not because of its magnificence Dear is the to my soul."

Coose Correct Alternative :

7. Raju is the protagonist of
(a) Kanthapura (b) Final Solutions
(c) The Guide (d) Sita
8. Who is the 'mother of 1084 ?
(a) Sita (b) Sujata
(c) Tara (d) Saru
9. Who wrote the poem "Birdwatcher"?
(a) Kamala Das (b) Tagore
(c) Toru Dutt (d) Ezekiel

10. Ring is the motif of the drama/novel

(a) Godan

(b) Abhijanana Shakuntalam

(c) Final Solutions

(d) The Guide