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III Semester B.A. Degree Examination, April - 2022

OPTIONAL ENGLISH

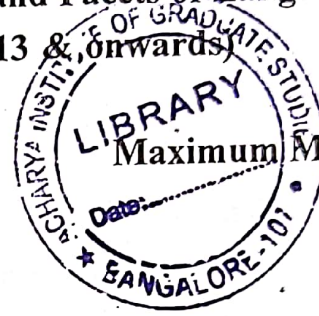
British Literature (Victorian and Modern) and Facets of Language
(CBCS Scheme Repeaters 2012-2013 & onwards)

Paper : III

Time : 3 Hours

Instruction to Candidates:

Answer all the questions



SECTION - A

(3×5=15)

I. Annotate any **Three** of the following:

- a) If there's no hatred in a mind
Assault and battery of the wind
Can never tear the linnet from the leaf.
- b) May she be granted beauty
And yet not beauty to
Make a stranger's eye
Distracted or hers before a looking-glass
- c) Ring out the old, ring in the new
Ring, happy bells, across the snow;
The year is going, let him go;
Ring out the false, right in the true.
- d) At what the god had wrought
To please her son, the strong
Iron-hearted man-slaying Achilles
Who would not live long.
- e) Why do sinner's ways prosper? And why must
Disappointment all endeavour end?

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SECTION - B

- II. (A) Answer any **One** of the following: (1×15=15)
- How does the poem 'A prayer for my Daughter' bring out Yeats' vision / wish for a better society?
 - Ring out, wild bells is a commentary on the Victorian society, Comment.
- (B) Write short notes on any **One** of the following: (1×5=5)
- 'Porphyria's lover' as a dramatic monologue.
 - Tennyson's hopes in the New Year.
 - The scenes that Thetis saw on the shield of Achilles.

SECTION - C

(Novel - Hard Times)

- III. (A) Answer any **One** of the following: (1×15=15)
- In what way are the themes of Industrialization and Self-discovery explored in Charles Dicken's Hard Times?
 - Sissy Jupe is the true winner in 'Hard Times', Discuss.
- (B) Write a short note on any **Two** of the following: (2×5=10)
- Stephen Blackpool's death
 - Bounderby
 - Mrs. Blackpool
 - James Harthouse.

SECTION - D

(Essays and Short Stories)

- IV. (A) Answer any **One** of the following: (1×15=15)
- Examine Stevenson's views on idleness as a beneficial and educative habit.
 - How does Elizabeth Bates in Lawrence's Odour of Chrysanthemums epitomize the plight of women of her time?
- (B) Write a short note on any **One** of the following: (1×5=5)
- Eliot's views on Romantics and classicists.
 - Story of Judith in 'A Room of One's Own'.
 - State of Elizabeth's mind while waiting for Walter.





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SECTION - E
(Facets of Languages)

V. Answer all the questions:

- 1) What is discourse analysis? (2)
- 2) How is social content important in discourse? Give an example. (3)
- 3) Explain the Referential function of language. Give an example. (3)
- 4) Mention any three features of the spoken mode of language. (2)
- 5) Read the following passage and answer the question.

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- a) What is the mode of the passage? Give two examples. (2)
- b) Identify the domain of the passage. (2)
- c) What is the Macro function of the passage. (2)
- d) Write a note on sentence structures. (2)
- e) Identify an example of : (2)
 - i) Referential Function
 - ii) Metalinguistic Function

(OR)

Mohan : Excuse me ma'am, May I have a word with you?

Bank Manager : Yes, how may I help you?

Mohan : What is the procedure for intimating the bank with my new address for Communication?

Bank Manager : You will have to write an application to that effect addressed to The Bank Manager. It will be processed in 4 working days.

Mohan : Um.... is it possible to speed up the process Ma'am? I need to open this account urgently.

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Bank Manager : Ah I will try my best Mr. Mohan, but the procedures do take time.

Mohan : Thank you Ma'am, Good bye.

Bank Manager : Good bye.

- 1) Identify the mode of the passage. (2)
- 2) Highlight the interactional features of the passage. (2)
- 3) What is the tenor of the passage? Give example. (2)
- 4) What is the macro function of the passage? (2)
- 5) Identify an example of:
 - a) Phatic function (2)
 - b) Directive function





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OPTIONAL ENGLISH

Indian Writing in English & Facets of Language

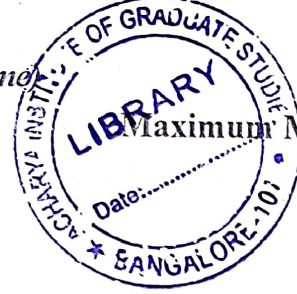
Paper : III

(CBCS Freshers Scheme)

Time : 3 Hours

Instructions to Candidates:

Answer all the Sections.



Section-A

(Poetry)

- I. A. Answer any one of the following : (1×15=15)
- Comment on the portrayal of eunuchs in the poem 'Dance of the Eunuchs'.
 - Examine Daruwala's sense of loss of his culture and family bonding in 'Migrations'.
- B. Write a short note on any One of the following : (1×5=5)
- Quest for peace in 'To a Buddha Seated on a Lotus'.
 - Corruption in Ezekiel's Poem 'Double Horror'.
 - Relevance of the title 'From Bombay Central'.

Section- B

(Novel - The English Teacher)

- II. A. Answer any one of the following : (1×15=15)
- The Head master's influence brings about a positive change in Krishnan as a teacher. Substantiate.
 - How does Krishnan evolve as a better teacher and family man as the story progresses?
- B. Write a short note on any One of the following. (1×5=5)
- House Hunting Episode.
 - Sushila
 - Autobiographical Elements in the Novel.

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**Section- C****(Drama - Seven Steps Around the Fire)**

(1×15=15)

III. A. Answer any **one** of the following :

- i. Explain how the play highlights the socio - psychological problems related to the existence of eunuchs with reference to Anarkali and Kamala.
- ii. The play is a mockery of gender oriented social system. Substantiate.

(1×5=5)

B. Write a short note on any **one** of the following.

- i. Salim.
- ii. Kamala's Death.
- iii. Subbu.

Section- D**(Essays and Short stories)**

(1×15=15)

IV. A. Answer any **one** of the following :

- i. How did Subha manage to keep herself away from the societies neglect and ridicule in Tagore's story?
- ii. What insights do Dom Moraes' narratives offer on the tribal way of life in 'The Forest'.

(1×5=5)

B. Write a short note on any **one** of the following.

- i. Balde in 'The Tiger in the Tunnel'.
- ii. Theme of the Tagore's 'Subha'.
- iii. Contribution of Ariyakudi to Carnatic Music.

Section- E**(Facets of Language)****V.** Answer **all** the questions.

1. Define Coherence and Cohesion with examples. (3)
2. Discuss any two grammatical devices with examples. (3)
3. Discuss Phatic function with an example. (2)
4. Identify the lexical devices - repetition of root morphemes and collocation clusters in the following sentences and name them. (2)
 - a. One should stop being unhappy as the future is uncertain.
 - b. As it is a hot day, I prefer a soft drink.



5. Identify the grammatical devices - synonymy, antonymy and hyponymy in the following sentences and name them. (3)
- a. The courteous and deferential crew welcomed the passengers in the flight.
 - b. My application from was accepted, but my friends was rejected.
 - c. The colour of her dress is orange.

6. Substitute proper conjunctions and adverbials in the following sentences. (2)
- a. Rima was on leave she was sick. (because, for, and).
 - b. The job required relocation ; the pay was good. (Consequently, as well as, however).

7. Read the following passage and answer the questions.

Interviewer : Hello Rohan ! My name is Mr. Dixit, I am the HR Manager. Please have a seat.

Rohan : Thank You!

Interviewer : So, tell me something about yourself, your likes and dislikes.

Rohan : I just love playing badminton and I am passionate about photography.

Interviewer : That's great. Actually, we are looking for an Architectural photographer who could capture exteriors and interiors and subtle details, that will make the building design unique.

Rohan : That's awesome sir. Previously I worked as a fine arts photographer in ABC company.

Interviewer : Impressive as the position needs to filled immediately ; you can join in from next month.

Rohan : Thank you so much.

Identify examples of :

- a. Informational function. (2)
- b. Expressive function. (1)
- c. Directive function. (1)
- d. Phatic function. (1)



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III Semester B.A. Degree Examination, April - 2023
ENGLISH (OPTIONAL)
Indian Literature in Translation
Paper : Course VI (DSC A6)
(NEP Scheme)

Time : 2½ Hours

Maximum Marks : 60

Instructions to Candidates:*Answer all the questions.***PART - A****(Introduction to Translation Studies)**

Answer any ONE of the following.

(1×5=5)

1. a) Explain the Indo-Aryan and Dravidian language families.
- b) Write a note on the Nationalist phase.
- c) Write a note on the richness and variety of Marati Literature?

PART - B**(Poetry Selections)**

2. A. Answer any ONE of the following.

(1×10=10)

- a) How are selflessness, Bhakti and casteless-ness brought out through the poems of Basavanna, Allama Prabhu and Kanakadasa.
- b) How is Pant's love and reverence for nature brought out in his poem 'Fruits of the Earth'?

B. Write Short Notes on any one of the following.

(1×5=5)

- a) Kanakadasa's idea about uselessness of caste.
- b) The use of contrast in Pant's 'Fruits of the Earth'.
- c) Jyoti Lanjewar's reference to Ambedkar in 'Mother'

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PART - C
(Short Story Selections)

3. A. Answer any ONE of the following. (1×10=10)
- Analyse 'Chess Players' as a satire on a decadent aristocratic class.
 - Examine Sunderlal's complex reactions to Lajwanti's abduction and rehabilitation in Rajendar Singh's 'Lajwanti'.
 - How does Tatri's story highlight the moral and sexual choices of the Nambudiri women?
- B. Write Short Notes on any two of the following. (2×5=10)
- Climax of the story 'Chess Players'
 - Denial of basic rights to women in 'The Weed'
 - Exchange of women in Wagah Border
 - Tatri in 'Revenge Herself'

PART-D
(Novel – Breaking Ties)

4. A. Answer any one of the following. (1×10=10)
- Comment on the difference in the married life of Fatimma and Nadira.
 - How does the novel highlight the difficulties faced by women in a patriarchal society?
- B. Write Short Notes on any two of the following. (2×5=10)
- Jamila
 - Climax of the novel
 - Relationship between Mahammad Khan and Fatimma
 - Rashid's Mother



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ENGLISH (OPTIONAL)

British Literature up to 1800

Paper : Course V (DSC A5)

(NEP Scheme)

Time : 2½ Hours

Maximum Marks : 60

Instructions to Candidates:*Answer all the parts.***PART - A**

(2×5=10)

Answer the following.

1. a) Write a note on Restoration Drama.

(OR)

What are the characteristics of Metaphysical poetry?

- b) Write a short note on.

John Bunyan

(OR)

Aphra Bhen

PART - B

(Poetry Selections)

2. A. Answer any one of the following.

(1×10=10)

- a) Explain the ideas of love presented by John Donne in 'Lovers' Infiniteness.
- b) Describe the effect of the poisonous fruit on Blake's enemy in the poem 'A Poison Tree'?
- c) How does Shakespeare immortalize his friend through his poem 'Shall I Compare thee to a Summer's day'.

- B. Write a short note on any one of the following:

(1×5=5)

- a) Speaker's suppressed anger in 'A Poison Tree'.
- b) Philosophy of life in the poem 'On His Blindness'.
- c) Central idea of 'Shall I Compare thee to a Summer's day'.

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PART-C
(Essay Selections)

3. **A. Answer any ONE of the following.** (1×10=10)
- a) Goldsmith makes a mockery of the then contemporary society. Discuss with reference to 'The Man in Black'?
 - b) The Observance of Sunday as a holy day keeps mankind civilized and polished. How does Addison reflect this statement in his essay Sir Roger at church?
- B. Write a short note on any one of the following:** (1×5=5)
- a) Irony in 'The Man in Black'.
 - b) Sir Roger.

PART-D
(Drama)

4. **A. Answer any one of the following.** (1×10=10)
- a) Write about the friendship between Antonio and Bassanio.
 - b) How does the trial scene reveal the conflict between justice and mercy?
- B. Write a short note on any two of the following:** (2×5=10)
- a) Jessica
 - b) The Casket Scene
 - c) Trial scene
 - d) Shylock
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III Semester B.A. Degree Examination, March/April - 2023

OPTIONAL ENGLISH

Indian Writing in English and Facets of Language

(CBCS Scheme Repeaters)

Paper:III

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Instructions to Candidates:

Answer all the sections.

Section - A

(Poetry)

I. A. Answer any one of the following: (1×15=15)

- i) Comment on the use of symbolism and imagery in "Dance of the Eunuchs"?
- ii) How does Keki N. Daruwalla deal with the themes of 'Time' and 'Migration' in his poem?

B. Write a short note on any one of the following: (1×5=5)

- i) 'Truth' and 'beauty' in "From Bombay Central".
- ii) Quest for peace in "To A Buddha Seated on A Lotus".
- iii) Reality of life in Nissim Ezekiel's "Double Horror".

Section - B

(Novel - The English Teacher)

II. A. Answer any one of the following: (1×15=15)

- i) Describe the journey of Krishna's transformation from a bachelor to a family man.
- ii) Examine the changes in the relationship between Krishna and Susila throughout the novel.

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B. Write a short note on any one of the following:

(1×5=5)

- i) Albert Mission College hostel.
- ii) Leela
- iii) Krishna's life after Sushila's death.
- iv) Krishna as a teacher.

Section - C

(Drama - Seven Steps Around the Fire)

III. A. Answer any one of the following:

(1×15=15)

- i) *Seven steps Around the Fire* revolves around the themes of identity crisis of transgender, male chauvinism and gender bias . Elaborate.
- ii) Comment on the double standards employed by society against the transgender community in the play.

B. Write a short note on any one of the following:

(1×5=5)

- i) Subbu's death.
- ii) Anarkali
- iii) Kamala

Section - D

(Essays and Short Stories)

IV. A. Answer any one of the following.

(1×15=15)

1. Elaborate on the customs and practices of the tribals in chhote Dangar with reference to Moraes' 'The Forest'.
2. How does Tagore bring out the theme of isolation in the story 'Subha'?

B. Write a short note on any one of the following:

(1×5=5)

1. Technology and cinema helped in popularizing Carnatic music
2. Tembu
3. Baldeo



Section - E

(Facets of Language)

V. Answer all the questions.

1. Define parallel structures with 2 examples. (3)
2. Define Cohesive devices with two examples. (3)
3. Define Aesthetic function with an example. (2)
4. Identify the lexical devices - repetition of root morphemes and collocation clusters in the following sentences and name them. (2)
 - a) The ancient mariner went around telling strangers of his struggles, out the deep blue sea.
 - b) After reading the novel *Crime and Punishment*, I seem to be more inclined to support rehabilitating criminals rather than punishing them.
5. Identify the grammatical devices-synonymy, antonymy, and hyponymy in the following sentences and name them. (3)
 - a) Zeus' eagle, Odin's ravens and Athena's owls are some of the iconic birds in Norse and Greek Mythology.
 - b) Odin is often portrayed as a smart and wise wanderer.
 - c) The house in front of ours has a good exterior , but the interiors are clumsy.
6. Substitute proper conjunctions and adverbials in the following sentences. (2)
 - a) He wanted a vacation with his family, _____ he went to Goa with them. (but, for, so).
 - b) She is an amazing footballer. _____ do you see a sportsperson with that level of dedication , (rarely, on the other hand, obviously).
7. Read the following passage and answer the questions.

Suresh : Hello Sam ! How are you?

Conductor : Hi, I am not feeling well. The work pressure has gotten too much to handle!

Passenger : Please shut your laptop down. Let's go to an art gallery!

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Conductor : Where?

Passenger : There's one in Indirangar. I hear the paintings are simply astounding!

Conductor : Alright! I love vivid beautifully done paintings or art! I will meet you at 6:30 pm in the evening.

Identify examples of

- a) Phatic function (1)
 - b) Informational function (1)
 - c) Directive function (1)
 - d) Aesthetic function (2)
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