

EG-05

December - Examination 2019

BA Pt. III Examination**Poetry and Drama - III****Paper - EG-05****Time : 3 Hours]****[Max. Marks :- 70**

Note: The question paper is divided into three sections A, B and C. Write answers as per given instructions.

Section - A**7 × 2 = 14**

(Very Short Answer Questions)

Note: Answer **all** the questions in not more than 30 words each.

- 1) (i) Who was Hyacinthus? (A song for Simeon)
- (ii) Explain the line from the poem by Amy Lowell, 'The bud is more than the calyx'.
- (iii) 'I ride my elephant of thought / A Cezanne slung around my neck.' Who / What is Cezanne in this line of the poem 'In India' by Ezekiel?
- (iv) 'I sit in the top of the wood, my eyes close'. Who is the speaker of this first line of the poem in your course?
- (v) 'A man of your own passionate serving kind...' whom does the poet refer to here in the poem 'To a shade'?

- (vi) What is a wheelbarrow?
- (vii) What does Soyinka wish to illustrate by offering an anecdote in the poem 'Telephone?'

Section - B**4 × 7 = 28**

(Short Answer Questions)

Note: Answer **any four** questions in not more than 200 words each.

- 2) Write a note on Kamala Das as a confessional poet.
- 3) Discuss how James Berry stresses the tenderness of a relationship between a white little girl and the black narrator in the poem 'White Child Meets Black Man.'
- 4) Comment on Kapila as a friend of Devdatta in 'Hayavadana.'
- 5) Comment on the delicate wit, melodic power, verbal precision and clarity of the poem 'Thy Fingers make Early Flowers.'
- 6) Write a note on versification in Ezekiel's poetry with reference to 'In India'.
- 7) Discuss the incident of the fisher girl in the poem 'Crossing of Rivers'.
- 8) Comment on the symbolic use of 'apple' in the poem 'Genesis'.
- 9) Write a note on the role of chorus in 'The family Reunion'.

Section - C**2 × 14 = 28**

(Long Answer Questions)

Note: Answer **any two** questions in not more than 500 words each.

- 10) What does Karnard say about the development of English drama in India?
 - 11) The poem 'A song for Simeon' is a Christian expression of the paradoxical life that comes through death. Discuss.
 - 12) 'To a shade' is a powerful poetic comment on the treatment of the political and cultural leaders by the Irish people. Discuss.
 - 13) 'Toads' is a well argued poem about the external need to work and the inner urge to work. Discuss.
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