

Roll No.

MAEL–101

Prose and Fiction

M. A. English (MAEL–12/16/17)

First Year, Examination, 2018

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

Note : This paper is of **eighty (80)** marks containing **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 nineteen (19) marks each. Learners are required to answer *two* (02) questions only.

1. Bacon’s prose style is known for its epigrammatic brevity. Discuss his essays in the light of this remark.
2. Charles Lamb’s essay’s are characterized by self-revelation and autobiographical note. Comment.
3. Comment on Jane Austen’s portrayal of women characters in *Emma*.
4. What is the significance of the Marabar caves in E. M. Forster’s *A Passage to India* ?

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Section-B**(Short Answer Type Questions)**

Note : Section ‘B’ contains eight (08) short answer type questions of eight (8) marks each. Learners are required to answer *four* (04) questions only.

1. Give a summary of Bacon’s essay “Of Studies”.
2. Write a brief account of the development of British Periodical Essay in the eighteenth century.
3. Discuss J. Krishnamurti’s ideas about education and world peace.
4. Give a synopsis of Galsworthy’s story “The Apple Tree”.
5. Comment on the ending of Hemingway’s story “The Snow of Kilimanjaro”.
6. Discuss the title of *Great Expectations*.
7. Briefly examine Paul’s relationship with his mother, Miriam and Clara in D. H. Lawrence’s novel *Sons and Lovers*.
8. Discuss how Manoj Das’s “The Dusky Horizon” represents the outstanding features of rural culture.

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.

Answer in a word *or* a sentence :

1. Name the essayist who wrote the essay “Of Studies”.
2. Name the *two* periodicals founded by Addison and Steele.

3. Give the title of the essay by Charles Lamb in which he draws the picture of his friend Dyre.
4. In which novel prescribed for you do you come across the character Mr. Knightley.
5. In which year did Ernest Hemingway win the Nobel Prize in Literature ?
6. Did Frank Ashurst marry Megan Davis in Galsworthy's story "The Apple Tree" ?
7. Manoj Das is a bilingual writer. In which other language other than English does he write ?
8. What is the name of Pip's brother-in-law in *Great Expectations* ?
9. In the town that the Morel's live in, in *Sons and Lovers*, what is the main industry ?
10. In which novel prescribed for you do you come across the character Dr. Aziz.