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B.A DEGREE (CBCS) EXAMINATION, FEBRUARY 2021

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Core Course - EN5CRT09 - INDIAN WRITING IN ENGLISH

B.A English Language and Literature - Model II (Vocational: Careers and Communication Skills),B.A English Language and Literature Model I,B.A English Language and Literature Model II Administrative Assistant,B.A English Language and Literature Model II Copy Editor,B.A English Language and Literature Model II Journalism,B.A English Language and Literature Model II Teaching,B.A English Language and Literature Model II Tutor in Conversational English,B.A English Literature ,Communication and Journalism Model III (Triple Main)

2017 Admission Onwards

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Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks : 80

Part A

*Answer any **ten** questions.*

Each question carries 2 marks.

1. What are the figures of speech used in the poem"The Harp of India"?
2. Bring out the irony in the lines "... old widows and dying men/ cherish their freedom".
3. What are the "absences" Dom Moraes refers to?
4. Why did Marikolanthu hate Muthu?
5. Why was the narrator glad that Ramani's mother was dead?
6. Who is the narrator of "The Free Radio"? What is his relationship with Ramani?
7. How did Mr. Kapasi become an interpreter?
8. What was the secret that Mrs.Das unveiled to Mr.Kapasi?
9. Why did Ambedkar hesitate to stay in the house of his Hindu friend?
10. Why could not a film like "Spartacus" and "War and Peace" be made in India?
11. What are the limitations of studios in India?
12. Mention a few words in English that can be used instead of 'prepone'.

(10×2=20)

Part B

*Answer any **six** questions.*

*Each question carries **5** marks.*

13. How does Ezekiel use Indianism to ridicule the patriot?
14. The multiple names of Kamala reflect her multiple personality.Discuss.
15. Why did Akhila terminate her relationship with Hari?
16. Write a short note on the relevance of the game of chess in *Tughlaq*.
17. "The jury had given its verdict" - Explain.
18. Write a brief note on the wheels of Konark.
19. Write a short note on the images used by Divakaruni in "Mrs. Dutta Writes a Letter".
20. Tagore's views on nationalism and caste system are controversial. Discuss.
21. Highlight the errors in Indian English based on "'Kindly Adjust' to our English". How are they different from Indian Englishisms?

(6×5=30)

Part C

*Answer any **two** questions.*

*Each question carries **15** marks.*

22. "Can a woman cope alone?" How would you answer this question posed by Akhila?
23. Girish Karnad's *Tughlaq* juxtaposes history and the contemporary. Discuss
24. How far "Mrs. Dutta Writes a Letter" depicts the life of Indian diaspora women in America?
25. What are the drawbacks of Western civilisation according to Tagore?

(2×15=30)