

M.A. (English) (New CBCS Pattern) Semester-I  
**ECiD1 - Indian Writing in English-I (A)**

P. Pages : 1

Time : Three Hours



**GUG/W/24/14313**

Max. Marks : 80

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1. A) Write short notes on the following **any two**. **8**
- i) What is the central idea in the poem 'Poet, Lover and Bird Watcher'?
  - ii) What is the significance of the title 'The Freaks' written by Kamala Das?
  - iii) What is the gist of 'obituary' written By A. K. Ramanujan?
  - iv) Write a brief note on satirical elements in 'Jejuri'.
- B) Write short notes on the following **any two**. **8**
- i) What is the purpose of the character Hayavadana in the play?
  - ii) Why do Kapila and Devadatta Kill each other?
  - iii) What does the 'sea of Poppies' Symbolise?
  - iv) Write a brief note on the main protagonist in 'The sea of poppies'.
2. Answer the following question **any one**. **16**
- i) What are the major themes in A.K. Ramanujan's poetry?
  - ii) Discuss, Kamala Das as a 'confessional poet'.
3. Answer the following questions **any one**. **16**
- i) Elaborate the salient features of Kolatkar's poetry with reference to 'Jejuri'.
  - ii) How does Dharkar view the purdah system in her poem 'Purdah'?
4. Answer the following questions **any one**. **16**
- i) Discuss the major themes of the play 'Hayavadana'.
  - ii) Attempt a critical assessment of Girish Karnad's Play 'Hayavadana'
5. Answer the following questions **any one**. **16**
- i) Critically analyse the major characters in 'Sea of Poppies'.
  - ii) What are the major themes in 'Sea of poppies'?

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