

M.A. - I (English) (NEP Pattern) Semester-I
NEP-124-5 / S1MAEN107 - American Literature-I

P. Pages : 1

Time : Three Hours



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Max. Marks : 80

1. a) Answer **any two** of the following questions. **8**
- i) What is the theme of “Self Reliance”?
 - ii) What is the message of the poem “where I loved and what I loved for”?
 - iii) Write on Walt Whitman as a poet of high merits.
 - iv) Write a note on the tone of Dickinson’s poetry.
- b) Answer **any two** of the following questions. **8**
- i) Comment on the aptness of the title “Moby Dick”.
 - ii) Who is the protagonist in Moby Dick and why?
 - iii) Introduce briefly on minor characters in “The scarlet letter”.
 - iv) What is the symbolic significance of the title “The Scarlet letter”
2. Answer **any one** of the following questions. **16**
- i) Discuss Emerson as poet with reference to the poem Self-Reliance.
 - ii) Introduce Thoreau as a poet.
3. Answer **any one** of the following questions. **16**
- i) Assess the contribution of Walt Whitman to the American Poetry
 - ii) Appreciate Emily Dickinson as poet.
4. Answer **any one** of the following questions. **16**
- i) Critically analyze Moby Dick by Herman Melville.
 - ii) Discuss art of characterization in Moby Dick by Herman Melville.
5. Answer **any one** of the following questions. **16**
- i) Critically appreciate Nathaniel Hawthorne as a novelist with reference to the text you have studied.
 - ii) Write critical appreciation of The Scarlet Letter as a puritan text.
