

M.A. (English) (New CBCS Pattern) Sem-I
ECiB2 - Commonwealth Literature

P. Pages : 1

Time : Three Hours



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Max. Marks : 80

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1. a) Answer **any two** of the following questions. **8**
- i) Sketch the character of Elizabeth Hunter in ‘The Eye of the storm’.
 - ii) What is the significance of food in Atwood’s The Edible Woman?
 - iii) Describe the character of Johana in Alice Munro’s ‘Hateship, friendship, Courtship, Loveship, Marriage’.
 - iv) What is the main conflict in peter Carey’s ‘Oscar and Lucinda’?
- b) Answer **any two** of the following questions. **8**
- i) Describe the character of Rochester in Wide Sargasso Sea’.
 - ii) Explain Mother-daughter relationship in Kincaid’s ‘Girl’.
 - iii) Sketch the character of W.G. Karunasena in ‘Chinaman’.
 - iv) Describe the character of Ali Shigri in ‘A case of Exploding Mangoes’.
2. Answer **any one** of the following questions. **16**
- i) Critically analyze the issue of patriarchy in ‘The Edible Woman’.
 - ii) Write an essay on Alice Munro’s art of characterization with reference to ‘Hateship, Friendship, Courtship, Loveship, Marriage’.
3. Answer **any one** of the following questions. **16**
- i) “The Eye of the Storm” is a savage exploration of a family relationship”. Discuss.
 - ii) Discuss the significance of the title of peter Carey’s ‘Oscar and Lucinda’.
4. Answer **any one** of the following questions. **16**
- i) How does Karunatilaka depict the world of cricket in ‘Chinaman’?
 - ii) Discuss ‘A case of Exploding Mangoes’ is satirical about pakistan’s military and political elite.
5. Answer **any one** of the following questions. **16**
- i) Critically examine the character of mother in Jamaica Kincaid’s ‘Girl’.
 - ii) Write an essay on themes in Jean Rhys’s ‘Wide sargasso sea’.
