

B.A. S.Y. (New CBCS Pattern) Semester-IV
BA12B-1 - English Literature

P. Pages : 2

Time : Three Hours



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Max. Marks : 80

Notes : 1. All questions are compulsory.

1. a) Answer **any one** of the following questions in about 150 words. **10**
- i) What were some of the obstacles Sadhana Amte encountered during the initial stages of her marriage?
- ii) Although Sadhana & Baba Shared many values, they also had differences of opinion. Describe some of the differences.
- b) Answer **any one** of the following questions in about 150 words. **10**
- i) Sketch the character of Deepak in The Thief.
- ii) How does Premchand use the character of the Thakur in "Thakur's Well" to address social hierarchies and power dynamics within the village community?
2. a) Answer **any two** of the following questions in about 75 words each: **10**
- i) When did Baba and Sadhana create Anandwan? How did they navigate through various challenges in their noble journey?
- ii) Describe the work done by Prakash and Mandakini at Hemalkasa. What challenges they faced?
- iii) What was Baba Amte's motivation behind setting up community living? Did he succeed?
- b) Answer **any two** of the following questions in about 75 words each: **10**
- i) Why was Phatik unhappy in Calcutta?
- ii) Why did Arun want to send the narrator away on the first night? What convinced him not to do so?
- iii) Who is Gangi? Why does she not allow Jokhu to drink water from the well?
3. a) Answer **any one** of the following question in about 150 words. **10**
- i) Write a note on the origin and growth of Autobiography. What are the qualities of an ideal Autobiographer?
- ii) Describe the features of a Biography. What are the problems faced by a biographer?

- b) Answer **any two** of the following questions in about 75 words each. **10**
- i) Describe the features of short story.
 - ii) What are the qualities of an ideal biographer.
 - iii) What are the problems faced by an Autobiographer?
4. a) Answer **any two** of questions in about 75 words each. **10**
- i) Write a note on Narrative.
 - ii) Write a short note on fable.
 - iii) What is metafiction?
 - iv) Describe first-person perspective.
- b) Answer **any five** of the following questions in not more than three lines each. **10**
- i) List the three names that the narrator has used in the story 'The Thief'.
 - ii) Why was Makhan beaten?
 - iii) Who was Makhan?
 - iv) Who was ringleader among the boys of the village?
 - v) Who wrote 'Eminent Victorians'?
 - vi) What is the defining factor of the short story?
 - vii) Define an Autobiography.
 - viii) Write two names of short stories writers.
