

M.A. - I (English) (NEP Pattern) Semester-I
NEP-124-1 / S1MAEN104 - Diasporic Literature-I

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**
- 1) Justify the title 'A House for Mr. Biswas'.
 - 2) What does the title "Interpreter of Maladies" mean?
 - 3) Discuss a shortly on themes by Thump Lahiri.
 - 4) Briefly mention the contribution of Bharati Mukherjee.
- b) Answer **any two** of the following questions. **8**
- 1) What is the loss in "The Inheritance of Loss"?
 - 2) Explain the thematic attributes of Kiran Desai.
 - 3) What do "Shadow Lines" signify?
 - 4) Introduce Kiran Desai as a Man Booker Prize Winner.
2. Answer **any one** of the following questions. **16**
- a) Appreciate critically the novel "A House for Mr. Biswas"
 - b) Discuss a detailed note on the art of characterization in the novel "A House for Mr. Biswas".
3. Answer **any one** of the following questions. **16**
- a) Describe the relevance of the text. "Desirable Daughters" by Bharati Mukherjee?
 - b) Appreciate Critically "Interpreters of Maladies".
4. Answer **any one** of the following questions. **16**
- a) Write a critical appreciation of the text "The Inheritance of Loss".
 - b) Discuss "The Inheritance of Loss" as a Man Booker prize winning Novel with it's author.
5. Answer **any one** of the following questions **16**
- a) Discuss the art of narration and characterization in "The Shadow Lines"
 - b) Amitav Ghosh is a writer of great merits with reference to the novel "The Shadow Lines".
