

MAEL–101

Prose and Fiction

M. A. English (MAEL–12/16/17)

First Year, Examination, 2017

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

Note : This paper is of **eighty (80)** marks containing **three (03)** Sections A, B, C. Attempt the questions contained in these Sections according to the detailed instructions given therein.

Section–A

(Long Answer Type Questions)

Note : Section ‘A’ contains four (04) long answer type questions of nineteen (19) marks each. Learners are required to answer *two* (02) questions only.

1. Write an essay on Charles Lamb as the “Prince of English Essays”.
2. Discuss how the story of “The Dusky Horizon” revolves around the Peacock Hill.
3. What light does Jane Austen’s “Emma” shed on the social conditions of the age ?

4. Discuss “Sons and Lovers” as an autobiographical novel.

Section-B

(Short Answer Type Questions)

Note : Section ‘B’ contains eight (08) short answer type questions of eight (08) marks each. Learners are required to answer *four* (04) questions only.

1. Write a brief summary of the essay “Of Truth”.
2. Write a short note on Addison’s humour.
3. Critically examine in brief the literary style of J. Krishnamurti.
4. Write a brief comment on Frank Ashurst’s character.
5. Discuss the significance of the title of “The Snows of Kilimanjaro”.
6. Briefly discuss the autobiographical element in “Great Expectations”.
7. Write a note on the early life of DH Lawrence.
8. Briefly analyse the central theme in “A Passage to India”.

Section-C

(Objective Type Questions)

Note : Section ‘C’ contains ten (10) objective type questions of one (1) mark each. All the questions of this Section are compulsory.

Answer in a word or a sentence :

1. Who was Pilate ?
2. Name the two periodicals associated with Steele and Addison.
3. Who are the people described as “Dim specks, poor blots, innocent blackness, young Africans” ?

4. Name the three boys who accompany Lily on the fateful expedition.
5. When was “Education and the Significance of Life” first published ?
6. What is the name of Frank Ashurst’s wife ?
7. In what kind of vision does Harry discover the “House of God” ?
8. Name the couple whose engagement is kept secret in “Emma”.
9. Whom does Estella marry ?
10. Name the woman who accuses Aziz of trying to rape her.

