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**BAEL-202**

**B.A. IInd Year Examination Dec., 2023**

**PROSE AND FICTION  
SET-II**

**Time : 2 Hours]**

**[Max. Marks : 70**

*Note :- This paper is of Seventy (70) marks divided into two (02) Sections 'A' and 'B'. Attempt the questions contained in these Sections according to the detailed instructions given there in. Candidates should limit their answers to the questions on the given answer sheet. No additional (B) answer sheet will be issued.*

**Section-A**

**(Long Answer Type Questions) 2×19=38**

*Note :- Section 'A' contains Five (05) Long-answer type questions of Nineteen (19) marks each. Learners are required to answer any two (02) questions only.*

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1. Discuss the prose style of Francis Bacon.
2. Summarize Ruskin Bond's short story "Time Stops at Shamli".
3. What is the significance of the title of Tolstoy's story "How Much Land Does a Man Need" ?
4. Describe the relationship between Raman and Daisy in R. K. Narayan's *The Painter of Signs*.
5. How does D. H. Lawrence's story "The Prussian Officer" deal with the themes of war and militarism?

### **Section-B**

**(Short Answer Type Questions)**      4×8=32

**Note :-** Section 'B' contains Eight (08) Short-answer type questions of Eight (08) marks each. Learners are required to answer any *four* (04) questions only.

1. Why does Francis Bacon refer to Seneca in his essay "Of Death" ?
2. Write a note on Charles Lamb as an essayist.
3. What are Gandhiji's views on education ?
4. What is the narrator's search in Ruskin Bond's short story "Time Stops at Shamli" ?

5. What is the moral of Premchand's "Divided Hearths" ?
6. Why was Tara desperate to get away from home in Tagore's story "The Runaway" ?
7. Why is the anthem significant for Soapy in O. Henry's story "The Cop and the Anthem" ?
8. Identify the key theme in Nehru's "The Quest of Man".

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