

Roll No.

BAEL–202

Prose and Fiction

Bachelor of Arts (BA–12/16) English

Second Year, Examination, 2017

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 60

Note : This paper is of **sixty (60)** marks containing **three (03)** sections A, B and 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 fifteen (15) marks each. Learners are required to answer *two* (02) questions only.

1. Draw an estimate of Bacon as an essayist in your own words.
2. Critically analyze the significance of the title *Time Stops at Shamli*.
3. Analyze the character of Raman in R. K. Narayan’s *The Painter of Signs*.
4. Critically examine the statement that Lawrence “was outspoken in his criticism of the war” with special reference to *The Prussian Officer*”.

Section-B**(Short Answer Type Questions)**

Note : Section ‘B’ contains eight (08) short answer type questions of five (05) marks each. Learners are required to answer *four* (04) questions only.

1. Write a short note on the element of humour and pathos in “Dream Children”.
2. Write a note on the prose style of Mahatma Gandhi.
3. Why is Pakhom unhappy with his life ?
4. What does Pt. Nehru have to say about human civilization in the essay “The Quest of Man” ?
5. What does the narrator come searching for in Shamli ?
6. Write a short note on the character of Sonamani.
7. What are your views on the character of Soapy ?
8. Write a note on the style and technique adopted by R. K. Narayan in his novels.

Section-C**(Objective Type Questions)**

Note : Section ‘C’ contains ten (10) objective type questions of one (01) mark each. All the questions of this section are compulsory.

1. Who called Bacon, “The wisest, brightest and the meanest of mankind”.
2. What is the name of Lamb’s imaginary son in the essay, “Dream Children : A Reverie” ?
3. Who is known as “The Sage of Yasnaya Polyana” ?
4. Who is the author of *Hind Swaraj* ?
5. In which of the stories prescribed in your course do you find the character Muliya ?

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6. Which of the authors prescribed in your course currently lives in Landour, Mussoorie ?
7. Which Swiss psychologist and psychiatrist founded Analytic Psychology ?
8. Who is the author of the book *Glimpses of World History* ?
3. What is the name of the fictional town that forms the locale of R. K. Narayan's fictions ?
10. What is the full name of D. H. Lawrence ?

