

Duration: 3 Hours**Marks: 100****NB:** All questions carry equal marks.

Figures to the right indicate full marks.

Answers should be relevant to the questions asked.

PRESCRIBED TEXT**1) Terms & Concepts****2) Short Stories:-**

O'Henry	:	"The Last Leaf"
H.H.Munro	:	"The Open Window"
Oscar Wilde	:	"The Nightingale and the Rose"
Edgar Allan Poe	:	"The Tell-Tale Heart"
Katherine Mansfield	:	"The Doll's House"
Kate Chopin	:	"The Story of an Hour"

3) Novels:-Jane Austen: *Pride and Prejudice***OR**Robert Louis Stevenson : *Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde*

- Q.1) **Write short notes on any four:** **20**
- Point of View
 - Elements of Plot
 - Science Fiction
 - Epistolary Novel
 - Bildungsroman
 - Picaresque Novel
- Q.2 a) Discuss the role of Behrman in O' Henry's "The Last Leaf." **20**
- OR**
- b) Critically examine the theme of freedom and confinement in Kate Chopin's "The Story of an Hour".
- Q.3 A i) Show how Austen uses minor characters like Miss Bingley, Mr. Collins, and Lady Catherine De Bourgh to bring Elizabeth and Darcy together. **20**
- OR**
- ii) Analyse the women characters in *Pride and Prejudice* and show how it relates to the social mannerism of its time.
- OR**
- B i) Write a detailed note on the character of Mr. Gabriel John Utterson from your reading of *Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde*.
- OR**
- ii) Examine the different stages of Jekyll's experimentation with Hyde persona.

Q.4)

Write short notes on any two:

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- i) Aptness of the title “The Open Window”
- ii) Nature of love in “The Nightingale and the Rose”
- iii) Role of Police Officer in “The Tell-Tale Heart”
- iv) Kezia and Isabel

Q.5 A)

Write short notes on any two:

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- i) Jane Bennet and Charles Bingley
- ii) Theme of parenthood in *Pride and Prejudice*
- iii) Significance of letters in *Pride and Prejudice*
- iv) Marriage in *Pride and Prejudice*

OR

Q.5 B)

Write short notes on any two:

- i) Importance of setting in *Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde*
- ii) Significance of the title *Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde*
- iii) Theme of good Vs evil in *Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde*
- iv) Dr. Hastie Lanyon