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FACULTY OF HUMANITIES

B.A. (Second Year) (Third Semester) EXAMINATION

NOVEMBER/DECEMBER, 2023

ENGLISH (OPTIONAL)

Paper-V

(Indian Writing in English)

(Wednesday, 13-12-2023)

Time : 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m.

Time—2 Hours

Maximum Marks—50

N.B. :— (i) All questions are compulsory.

(ii) Each question carries equal marks.

1. How does the poet depict Indianness in 'Very Indian poem in Indian English' ? 10

Or

What is the theme of the poem 'Prayers to Lord Murugan'.

2. Comment on the relationship between the Cabuliwallah and Mini. 10

Or

Smuggling and corruption are the major themes in the story 'Nush'. Discuss.

3. Mother Teresa is the champion of poor, sick and dying people. Discuss. 10

Or

Write a detailed note on the character of Mother Teresa.

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4. What is the main theme of 'Tughlaq' by Girish Karnad ? 10

Or

Symbolism plays an important role in Tughlaq. Explain.

5. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : 10

- (i) Pre-independence Indian English Drama
- (ii) Post-independence Indian Short Story
- (iii) Post-independence Indian Women Novelist
- (iv) Rise of Indian Fiction in English.

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