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**FACULTY OF HUMANITIES**

**B.A. (First Year) (First Semester) EXAMINATION**

**APRIL/MAY, 2025**

**(NEP-2020)**

**ENGLISH**

**Paper-I (HENGCT-1101)**

**(Understanding Literature)**

**(Wednesday, 9-4-2025)**

**Time : 10.00 a.m. to 12.00 noon**

*Time—2 Hours*

*Maximum Marks—40*

*N.B. :—* (i) Question No. 1 is compulsory.

(ii) Attempt any *three* questions from among Q. Nos. 2 to 5.

(iii) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

1. Write short notes on the following : 10

(i) Characteristics of Literature

(ii) Periodical essay

(iii) Gothic novel

(iv) Mulk Raj Anand as a short story writer.

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Attempt any *three* of the following questions :

2. What is Literature ? Write in detail the characteristics of Literature. 10
3. Comment on the contribution of Joseph Addison and Thomas Steele to English essay. 10
4. What is Novella ? Write a detailed note on its characteristics. 10
5. Define short story and comment on its types. 10