



AF-2504

M.A. (Previous)
Term End Examination, 2017-18

ENGLISH

Paper - IV

Reading in Fiction

*Time : Three Hours] [Maximum Marks : 100
[Minimum Pass Marks : 36*

Note : Answer **all** questions. All questions carry equal marks.

Unit-I

1. Discuss Fielding's philosophy of virtue for the sake of virtue, with relation to 'Tom Jones'.

OR

Discuss the use of satire in 'Tom Jones'.

OR

(2)

What is the importance of landscape and rustic characters in 'Far from the Madding Crowd'.

Unit-II

2. How has World War-I affected the life of characters in Virginia Woolf's 'Mrs Dalloway' ?

OR

Who is the heroine of Jane Austen's 'Sense and Sensibility' ? Give a character-sketch of her.

Unit-III

3. Discuss the importance of Hawthorne's use of historical sources in his novel, 'The House of the Seven Gables'.

OR

Distinguish between sentiment and sensibility with reference to Hawthorne's 'The House of the Seven Gables'.

OR

Describe the character of Santiago in Hemingway's 'The Old Man and the Sea'.

OR

(3)

What is the role of the Sea in ‘The Old Man and the Sea’ ?

Unit-IV

4. Describe the influence of New England in the novel ‘The Name Sake’ of Jhumpa Lahiri.

OR

Give an appreciation of Ruskin Bond’s ‘A Flight of Pigeons’.

Unit-V

5. Write a critical estimate of Khushwant Singh’s ‘Delhi’.

OR

Discuss Chetan Bhagat as a modern writer.