

MAEG-10
December – Examination 2021
M.A. (Final) Examination
ENGLISH
(American Literature)
(Optional Paper)
Paper : MAEG-10

Time : 1½ Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 80

Note :- The question paper is divided into two Sections A and B. Write answers as per the given instructions.

Section-A

4×4=16

(Very Short Answer Type Questions)

Note :- Answer any *four* questions and maximum word limit for each answer is **30-50** words. Each question carries 4 marks.

1. (i) Who is the hero of the National Epic of America *Leaves of Grass* ?
- (ii) What kind of experience is treated in the poem *There Came a Day at Summer's Full* by Emily Dickinson ?

- (iii) Name the poems that represents Frost's deep ethical and metaphysical dimension of nature.
- (iv) Who are the *three* individuals affected by sin in the novel *The Scarlet Letter* ?
- (v) Which character in the novel *Farewell to Arms* represents autobiographically the author Earnest Hemingway ?
- (vi) What makes Jim never to restrain Huck from foolishness ?
- (vii) What does Claudia remember about the year 1941 in the novel *The Bluest Eye* by Toni Morrison ?
- (viii) What does Blanche abhor in the play *Street Car Named Desire* ?

Section-B **4×16=64**

(Short Answer Type Questions)

Note :- Answer any *four* questions and maximum word limit for each answer is **200** words. Each question carries 16 marks.

- 2. Arthur Miller was not a realistic play writer but as articulator of ideas. Discuss.
- 3. Write on the signification of Motifs of seasons in 'The Bluest Eye'.
- 4. Write a note on the themes of Racism and Slavery deletion the novel 'The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn'.
- 5. Write a character-sketch of Fredric Henry.
- 6. 'Vitamins' is a symbolic story projecting the vacuity of Modern Life. Explain with references from the story.
- 7. Analyse critically Willy Loman's loss of conscience in his frantic pursuit of success in the play *Death of a Salesman*.
- 8. Write an appreciation of 'The Mending Wall'.
- 9. Discuss 'The Scarlet Letter' is a tale of human frailty and sorrows.