

**MAEG-11**  
June - Examination 2019  
**MA (Final) English Examination**  
**Canadian Literature**  
**Paper - MAEG-11**

**Time : 3 Hours ]**

**[ Max. Marks :- 80**

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**Note:** The question paper is divided into three sections A, B and C. Write answers as per given instructions.

**Section - A**

**8 × 2 = 16**

(Very Short Answer Questions)

**Note:** This Section - A contains 8 (eight) very short answer type questions. All questions are compulsory. Each question carries 2 (two) marks and maximum word limit for each answer will be 30 words.

- 1) (i) In which poem Atwood mocks at her pompous male partner?
- (ii) From which community did Meenakshi belong to?
- (iii) Joe and David are characters from which novel?
- (iv) What is the major theme of 'This is a photograph of me'?
- (v) Which novelist won Governor - General's literary Award for English language fiction in 1991?
- (vi) Who has called Canadian poets as puppets?

(vii) Which play deals with the conflict between romantic idealism and the survival instinct.

(viii) DOC was written by whom?

### Section - B

4 × 8 = 32

(Short Answer Questions)

**Note:** This Section - B contains Eight Short Answer Type Questions. Examinees will have to answer any four (04) question. Each question is of 8 marks. Examinees have to delimit each answer in maximum 200 words.

- 2) “Who do you think you are” is a series of short story cycle. Discuss.
- 3) Analyse the character of Catherine.
- 4) What is Gustad’s greatest psychological scare? How does it affect him?
- 5) Comment on Atwood’s poem ‘This is a photograph of me’ as a poem dealing with appearance and reality.
- 6) Discuss “death” in ‘Come Away Death’ by EJD Pratt.
- 7) Make a critical assessment of Rohinton Mistry’s ‘Such a long journey’.
- 8) What are the special characteristics of Canadian drama. Discuss.
- 9) Throw light on the different relationships featured in ‘The stone Angels’.

**Section - C****2 × 16 = 32**

(Long Answer Questions)

**Note:** This Section - C contains 4 Long answer type questions. Examinees will have to answer any two (02) questions. Each question is of 16 marks. Examinees have to answer in maximum 500 words.

- 10) Elaborate 'Frye is credited with first comprehensive view of the Canadian History'.
  - 11) Canadian writings reflect Canada's ethnic and cultural diversity. Elucidate.
  - 12) Comment on the major thematic concerns of Margaret Atwood's poem. 'My Beautiful Wooden Leader'.
  - 13) How does 'Pride , Aging and alienations' play a major role in shaping the character of Hagar.
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