

EG-02

June – Examination 2022

B.A. (Part I) Examination

ENGLISH LITERATURE

(Prose and Fiction)

Paper : EG-02

Time : 1½ Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 70

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

Section-A

4×3½=14

(Very Short Answer Type Questions)

Note :- Answer any *four* questions. As per the nature of the question delimit your answer in one word, one sentence or maximum up to **30** words. Each question carries 3½ marks.

1. (i) What are the demerits of old age, according to Bacon ?
- (ii) Why does Addison criticize the modern epitaphs ?
- (iii) What should a woman demand from her lover in courtship, according to Charles Lamb ?
- (iv) What leads to prejudice, according to Hazlitt ?
- (v) Name the *six* members of the Spectator Club as described by Steele.
- (vi) What is the theme of the story 'The Necklace' ?
- (vii) Why did Rosemary get rid of the beggar girl ?
- (viii) What was the firm belief of Nilkanta in the story 'The Castaway' ?

Section-B

4×14=56

(Short Answer Type Questions)

Note :- Answer any *four* questions. Answer should not exceed **200** words. Each question carries 14 marks.

2. Describe the changing relationship between Khushwant Singh and his grandmother.

3. How did the Talkative Man become owner of the Road Engine and how did he get rid of it ?
4. Describe the selfless love of Jim and Della.
5. Comment on the human behaviour as depicted in 'The Boy Who Broke The Bank'.
6. Draw a character-sketch of Nene of the story 'Marriage is a Private Affair'.
7. How did Shahid react to the knowledge that he was going to die ?
8. Describe the difficulties faced by Washington on reaching Richmond.
9. How does Nancy reveal a tender heart and courage in the novel 'Oliver Twist'.