

Exam. Code : 103203

Subject Code : 1108

B.A./B.Sc. 3rd Semester

ENGLISH ELECTIVE

Time Allowed—3 Hours]

[Maximum Marks—100

SECTION—A

I. Answer **ALL** the following questions in not more than 75 words each :

- (1) What kinds of behaviour are included in the term non-verbal communication ?
- (2) How does Levine define the term 'Social time' ? What are its components ?
- (3) What is the purpose of using idioms in language ?
- (4) What does it mean to be "Educated" and "Intelligent" person ? Are the two the same ?
- (5) State the functions of the digital media.
- (6) What is the most important thing to understand about US culture ? (American Values and Assumptions)

2×6=12

II. Transcribe the following words :

- (1) Antonym
- (2) Competition
- (3) Capacity
- (4) Magnificent
- (5) Celebrity
- (6) Biography
- (7) Adversity
- (8) Absolute.

1×8=8

SECTION—B

III. Answer any **two** of the following questions in not more than **200** words each :

- (1) Show how *Animal Farm* satirizes politicians, specially their rhetoric, ability to manipulate others, and insatiable lust for power.
- (2) Explain the symbolism employed by Orwell in *Animal Farm*.
- (3) Discuss how the characters contribute to the themes and issues of the novel *Animal Farm*. $6 \times 2 = 12$

IV. Answer any **two** of the following questions in not more than **200** words each :

- (1) What is the picture of London that Blake paints in the song *London* ?
- (2) How does Shelley present himself as a myth-maker in the poem *The Cloud* ?
- (3) Show how Pope pokes fun at women in *Belinda's Toilet* ? $6 \times 2 = 12$

V. Answer any **four** of the following questions in **150** words each :

- (1) Discuss the techniques to make speech effective and interesting.

- (2) Explain the main point Tang makes in the essay *Polite but Thirsty*.
- (3) Discuss the keys to excellence in written communication.
- (4) According to Levine, why is adjusting to a foreign concept of time so difficult ?
- (5) Discuss the role of media in society. $6 \times 4 = 24$

SECTION—C

VI. Give detailed answers to the following questions :

- i) Critically comment on the structure of Spender's *Daybreak*.

OR

Make a critical summary of the poem *Cloud*. (16)

- ii) **Critically comment on exploitation and the need of human rights in Animal Farm.**

OR

Discuss Animal Farm as a Political Satire. (16)