

Exam. Code : 103206

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B.A./B.Sc. 6th Semester

ENGLISH ELECTIVE

(Modern English Novel)

Time Allowed—3 Hours] [Maximum Marks—100

Note :— The question paper consists of **Three** Sections and all the Sections are to be attempted.

SECTION—A

Note :— **All** questions are compulsory. Answer each question in approximately **5** lines.

1. What is the historic background at the opening of the novel '*So Many Hungers*' ?
2. Who was Prokash ? What did he tell Rahoul about himself ?
3. What was the harsh decision taken by Kajoli ?
4. Comment on the opening of the novel '*The Power and the Glory*'.
5. How did the whisky priest manage to get wine in the capital city of the State ?
6. What is the whisky priest made to do before he is released from the prison ?

7. Explain the Chaucerian Stanza or Rhyme Royal.
8. Explain Ottava Rima.
9. Explain Terza Rima.
10. Who were Georgian poets ? 10×2=20

SECTION—B

Note :— Attempt **eight** of the following questions in **10-15** lines, selecting **three** questions per novel and **two** questions from 'Background to the Study of English Literature'.

1. Give character sketch of Samarendra Basu.
2. Write a short note on conditions of residents of Baruni.
3. Explain the atrocities of the British Empire as depicted in the novel '*So Many Hungers*'.
4. Write the character sketch of Monju.
5. Give character-sketch of Jefe or the Police Chief.
6. Explain the role of Coral Fellows in the novel '*The Power and the Glory*'.
7. Explain whisky priest is a sinner as well as saint.
8. Explain briefly the aptness of the title '*The Power and the Glory*'.
9. Explain Romantic Revival.

10. Write a note on Shakespearean Tragedy.
11. Explain Metaphysical School of Poetry.
12. Write a note on the poets of Second World War.

8×6=48

SECTION—C

Note :— Attempt any **two** of the following :

1. Discuss the picture of manmade famine depicted by Bhabani Bhattacharya in the novel '*So many Hungers*'.
2. Write in detail the character sketch of whisky priest (*The Power and the Glory*).
3. Write an essay on Autobiography. 2×16=32