

B.A. Honours 6th Semester Examination, 2021

BENGALI

প্রবন্ধ ও সমালোচনা সাহিত্য

CORE-14

সময়: ২ ঘণ্টা

পূৰ্ণমান: ৪০

প্রান্তলিখিত সংখ্যাগুলি পূর্ণমান নির্দেশক। পরীক্ষার্থীদের যথাসন্তব নিজের ভাষায় উত্তর দিতে হবে।

নিম্নলিখিত যে-কোনো দুটি প্রশ্নের উত্তর দাও

२०×**२**= 80

- ১। পত্র ও পত্রসাহিত্যের মধ্যে পার্থক্য নির্ণয় করো। বাংলা পত্রসাহিত্যে রবীন্দ্রনাথের অবদান আলোচনা করো।
- ২। বাংলা কবিতার বিবর্তনের যে রূপরেখা 'রবীন্দ্রনাথ ও উত্তরসাধক' প্রবন্ধে বিধৃত হয়েছে তা পরিস্ফুট করো।
- সাহিত্য সমালোচনার তুলনামূলক পদ্ধতি বলতে কী বোঝো ? এই ধরনের সমালোচনার সংক্ষিপ্ত পরিচয় দাও।

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ENGLISH

WOMEN'S WRITING

CORE-14

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

The questions are of equal value The figures in the margin indicate full marks. Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

Answer any two questions from the following

 $20 \times 2 = 40$

- 1. Discuss Sylvia Plath as a confessional poet with reference to the poems prescribed in your syllabus.
- 2. Discuss the *Color Purple* as a narrative of struggle and growth.
- 3. Examine the character of Dopdi Mehjen as an intersection of class, gender and ethnicity in Mahasweta Devi's *Draupadi*.

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SANSKRIT

LINGUISTICS

CORE-14

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

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Answer any two questions from the following

 $20 \times 2 = 40$

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- इन्दो-इउरोपीय-भाषायाः विभागद्वयमुल्लिख्य यथेच्छम् एकस्य विभागस्य अन्तर्गतानां भाषाणां संक्षेपेण विवरणं दीयताम्।
- 2. ध्वनिपरिवर्तन-विषयकं ग्रीमसूत्रम् आलोचयत।
- 3. वैदिक-लौकिकभाषयोः पार्थक्यं प्रतिपादनीयम्।

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PHILOSOPHY

PHILOSOPHY IN 20th Century: Western

CORE-14

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

The figures in the margin indicate full marks. Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

1.		Answer any <i>two</i> questions from the following:	$20 \times 2 = 40$
	(a)	Discuss the nature of 'Bad faith' according to Jean Paul Sartre.	20
	(b)	Explain the concept of Sense and Reference according to Frege.	20
	(c)	Explain Wittgenstein's concept of family resemblance in reference of language game.	20

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ECONOMICS

ENVIRONMENTAL ECONOMICS

CORE-14

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

The figures in the margin indicate full marks. Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

	Answer any two questions from the following	20×2 =40
1. (a)	Define environmental economics with suitable examples.	20
(b)	Describe the objectives of scope of environmental economics.	
2.	Discuss critically the Materials Balance Model of environmental efficiency.	20
3.	What is the tragedy of commons? How might this problem be avoided?	20

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HISTORY

EUROPE FROM 1919 UP TO COLD WAR

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Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

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	Answer any two questions from the following	$20 \times 2 = 40$
1.	Estimate the impact of the Great Economic Depression on international relations during 1930s.	20
2.	What were the factors that led the rise of fascism in Italy? What was its impact on international politics?	15+5
3.	Explain the concept of appeasement. Could you justify its adoption by Britain and France towards the Fascist Countries?	5+15

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POLITICAL SCIENCE

UNITED NATIONS: AN OVERVIEW

CORE-14

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

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	Answer any two questions from the following	$20 \times 2 = 40$
1.	Discuss the genesis and the Charter of United Nations.	10+10
2.	Critically discuss the structures, functions and role of Security Council of UNO.	4+8+8
3.	Examine the role of United Nations in Conflict Management and Arms Control.	10+10

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SOCIOLOGY

SOCIAL PROBLEMS IN INDIA

CORE-14

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

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	Answer any two questions from the following	$20 \times 2 = 40$
1.	Write about the divorce system in India.	20
2.	Write a note on nature of secularism in India.	20
3.	Write a note on various policies and programmes taken by government of India	5+15=20

for the old age problem.



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EDUCATION

STATISTICS IN EDUCATION

CORE-14

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

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Answer any *two* questions from the following $20 \times 2 = 40$

Full Marks: 40

1. What is data? Organize the following data in a frequency table. Calculate QD. 2+6+12

Scores in an achievement test

61, 21, 26, 32, 56, 36, 37, 39, 53, 40, 54, 42, 44, 61, 68, 28, 33, 56, 57, 37, 52, 39, 40, 54, 42, 43, 63, 30, 34, 58, 35, 38, 50, 38, 52, 41, 51, 44, 41, 42, 43, 45, 46, 45, 47, 48, 49, 45, 46, 48

2. Write down the properties of a Normal Probability Curve. Compute Skewness 6+10+4 and Kurtosis from the given data and interpret the result.

Score	70-74	65-69	60-64	55-59	50-54	45-49	40-44	35-39	30-34	25-29
F	3	4	7	12	14	21	17	15	10	2

3. What do you mean by correlation? Compute correlation for the following data 4+12+4 using Rank Difference Method and interpret the result.

Individuals	Marks in History	Marks in Geography
А	80	82
В	45	86
С	55	50
D	56	48
E	58	60
F	60	62
G	65	64
Н	68	65
Ι	70	70
J	75	74
K	85	90



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আধুনিক বাংলা ছোটগল্প

CORE-13

সময়: ২ ঘণ্টা

পূৰ্ণমান: ৪০

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নিম্নলিখিত যে-কোনো দুটি প্রশ্নের উত্তর দাও

২০×২=80

- ১। উনবিংশ শতাব্দীতে ছোটগল্প উদ্ভবের কারণগুলি আলোচনা করো।
- ২। প্রেমেন্দ্র মিত্রের 'সংসার সীমান্তে' গল্পে মধ্যবিত্তের স্বপ্ন ও স্বপ্নভঙ্গের কথা কীভাবে বিধৃত হয়েছে লেখো।
- ৩। 'মাদার ইণ্ডিয়া' গল্পের নামকরণের সার্থকতা বিচার করো।



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ENGLISH

POPULAR LITERATURE

CORE-13

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Answer any two questions from the following

 $20 \times 2 = 40$

- 1. How does Lewis Carroll explore the theme of growing up as a negotiation with rules in *Through the Looking Glass*?
- 2. Discuss the themes of nationalism, ethnic conflict and violence as portrayed in Shyam Selvadurai's *Funny Boy*.
- 3. "Jatayu wasn't a sidekick. He was a hero". Do you agree? Argue your answer with reference to *The Golden Fortress*.

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SANSKRIT

Pāņiniyān Grammar

CORE-13

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

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Answer any two questions from the following

 $20 \times 2 = 40$

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- 1. सूत्रव्याख्या करणीया
 - (क) ध्रुवमपायेऽपादानम्॥
 - (ख) अकथितञ्च॥
 - (ग) हेतौ॥
- 2. अधिकरणकारकमाश्रित्य निबन्धो रचनीयः।
- बहुव्रीहिसमासं तत्पुरुषसमासं वा समाश्रित्य प्रबन्धो विरचनीयः।

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PHILOSOPHY

PHILOSOPHY IN 20TH CENTURY: INDIAN

CORE-13

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

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1.		Answer any <i>two</i> questions from the following:	$20 \times 2 = 40$
	(a)	What do you mean by Surplus in man? Describe the concept following Rabindranath Tagore.	20
	(b)	What is Integral yoga? Explain the aim and nature of Integral yoga.	5+15
	(c)	Explain the concept of God and Absolute following S. Radhakrishnan. What are the arguments given by him to establish the existence of God?	10+10

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ECONOMICS

INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS

CORE-13

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

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	Answer any two questions from the following	20×2 =40
1.	State and explain Ricardo's Comparative Cost Theory.	20
2.	Clearly explain the methods of correcting disequilibrium in the balance of payment.	20
3.	Discuss the organization and functions of World Bank.	20



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HISTORY

EUROPE FROM 1871 TO 1919 A.D.

CORE-13

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

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	Answer any two questions from the following	$20 \times 2 = 40$
1.	What is Utopian Socialism? Write an essay on the ideology of the early socialists pointing to their limitations.	5+15
2.	What is Eastern Question? Did the Congress of Berlin (1878) really solve the Eastern Question?	5+15
3.	Discuss the circumstances that led to the formation of the Triple Entente.	20



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EDUCATION

BASICS OF EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH

CORE-13

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

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	Answer any two questions from the following	$20 \times 2 = 40$
1.	Define educational research. Discuss the nature and scope of educational research. Differentiate between longitudinal and cross-sectional research.	4+(5+5)+6
2.	What is meant by research problem? What are the criteria of selecting a good research problem? Why is descriptive research done in the field of education?	4+8+8
3.	Write about the various sources of qualitative data. Discuss about Validity and Reliability as the parameters of a good research tool.	8+12

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DSE-3

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

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Answer either GROUP-A or GROUP-B

GROUP-A

Science Fiction and Detective Literature

Answer any two questions from the following

 $20 \times 2 = 40$

- 1. Examine *The Women in White* as a "sensational novel".
- 2. Discuss the unique narrative technique of *The Hound of the Baskervilles*.
- 3. Examine *Fahrenheit 451* as a dystopian novel.

GROUP-B

Literature and Cinema

Answer any two questions from the following

 $20 \times 2 = 40$

- 1. Comment on the various cinematic remakings of *Romeo and Juliet*.
- 2. Examine A Passage to India (1984) as a "Raj Film".
- 3. Examine how Deepa Mehta's *Earth* (1998) portrays violence.

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Full Marks: 40



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বিশ শতকের বাংলা নাটক অথবা বাংলা কল্পবিজ্ঞান ও গোয়েন্দা কাহিনি

DSE-3

সময়: ২ ঘণ্টা

পূর্ণমান: ৪০

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নীচের দুটি বিভাগের মধ্যে যে-কোনো একটি বিভাগ থেকে দুটি প্রশ্নের উত্তর দাও ২০×২=৪০

বিভাগ-ক

- ১। বিশ শতকের বাংলা নাটকের ক্ষেত্রে ইতিহাসের আশ্রয়ে কীভাবে স্বাদেশিকতার প্রকাশ ঘটেছে তা আলোচনা করো।
- ২। রূপক-সাংকেতিক নাটক রচনায় রবীন্দ্রনাথের অবদান বিষয়ে লেখো।
- ৩। 'মেবার পতন' নাটকের সংলাপ রচনায় দ্বিজেন্দ্রলাল রায়ের কৃতিত্ব নিরূপণ করো।

বিভাগ-খ

- ৪। বর্তমান যুগে কল্পবিজ্ঞানমূলক গল্পের জনপ্রিয়তার কারণগুলি আলোচনা করো।
- ৫। গোয়েন্দা গল্পের সংজ্ঞা নিরূপণ করো এবং এর বৈশিষ্ট্যগুলি উদাহরণসহ লেখো।
- ৬। বাংলা গোয়েন্দা কাহিনি হিসেবে 'ছত্রপতির ছোরা' গল্পটির রসগ্রাহী আলোচনা করো।

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SANSKRIT

INDIAN EPIGRAPHY AND PALAEOGRAPHY

DSE-3

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

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Answer any two questions from the following

 $20 \times 2 = 40$

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- 1. एलाहावादप्रशस्तेर्विषयोपन्यासपुरःसरं तद्वैशिष्ट्यविषये नातिदीर्घः प्रबन्धः विरचनीयः।
- 2. अभिलेखानामध्ययनस्य महत्त्वं निरूप्यत।
- नालन्दाभिलेखस्य काव्योत्कर्षत्वं प्रदर्श्य तदीयम् ऐतिहासिकमहत्त्वं वर्णनीयम्।



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HISTORY

CONTEMPORARY WORLD AFTER COLD WAR

DSE-3

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

The figures in the margin indicate full marks. Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

	Answer any two questions from the following	$20 \times 2 = 40$
1.	How do you analyze the impact of the Cold War on Third World countries?	20
2.	Write a critical note on 'De-Stalinization' and its impact on Soviet Block.	20
3.	Write a short essay on Cuban Missile Crisis in 1962.	20

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PHILOSOPHY

DSE-3

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

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Answer any one Group from A to D

GROUP-A

(The Central Questions of Philosophy, A. J. Ayer)

Answer any *two* questions from the following $20 \times 2 = 40$

- 1.How does Ayer explain the verification principle in his The Central Questions of
Philosophy?20
- 2. Distinguish between Appearance and Reality. What are the reactions of Ayer 10+10 about it? Discuss.
- 3. Explain the usage of ordinary language. How does Ayer criticize it in his *The* 12+8 *Central Questions of Philosophy*?

GROUP-B

(Practical Ethics)

Answer any *two* questions from the following

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1.	"Abortion is nonetheless permissible" — Explain this theory following Peter Singer. Explain the value of fetus life.	10+1	10

- 2. How does Peter Singer explain his theory of practical ethics? 20
- 3. Write a short note on 'deep ecology' and 'green-house effect'. 10+10

 $20 \times 2 = 40$

GROUP-C

(Sāmkhyakārikā)

	Answer any two questions from the following	$20 \times 2 = 40$
1.	What is <i>prakṛti</i> in <i>Sāmkhya</i> philosophy? Discuss the proofs for the existence of <i>Prakṛti</i> following <i>Sāmkhyakārikā</i> .	5+15
2.	Explain <i>Sāmkhya</i> theory of causation following <i>Sāmkhyakārikā</i> . Does Naiyayikas accept this view? Discuss.	15+5
3.	How many <i>pramāņas</i> are accepted in <i>Sāmkhyakārikā</i> ? Explain the <i>pramāņas</i> following <i>Sāmkhyakārikā</i> .	5+15

GROUP-D

(Dhammapada)

Answer any *two* questions from the following $20 \times 2 = 40$

- 1. Explain the concept of '*Dhamma*' as a means of attaining enlightenment in Buddhist Philosophy. What is the relevance of Buddhism in cognitive modern psychology?
- 2. Discuss the nature of *Bodhisattva* following *Dhammapada*. 20
- 3. Define *Karmavāda* following *Dhammapada*. Does this theory deny the freedom 10+10 of human will?



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POLITICAL SCIENCE

UNDERSTANDING SOUTH ASIA

DSE-3

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

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	Answer any two questions from the following	$20 \times 2 = 40$
1.	Critically discuss the constitutional features of Pakistan.	20
2.	Write a note on the constitutional features of Bangladesh.	20
3.	Examine the role of India's nuclear policy.	20

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ECONOMICS

RURAL ECONOMICS AND SOCIAL CHANGE

DSE-3

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

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Answer any two questions from the following	20×2 =40
1. (a) Discuss the importance of agriculture in Indian economic development.	20
(b) Describe in brief the rural economic problems in India.	
2. (a) Discuss the characteristics of rural debt in India.(b) Explain the causes of rural indebtedness in India.	20
3. Briefly discuss the social changes and also the impacts of modernization and	20

3. Briefly discuss the social changes and also the impacts of modernization and 20 globalization in Indian Villages.

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EDUCATION

TEACHER EDUCATION

DSE-3

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

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Answer any *two* questions from the following $20 \times 2 = 40$

- 1. What do you mean by teacher education? Explain the nature and scope of Teacher Education. Discuss the importance of in-service teacher education programmes.
- 2. Trace the growth and development of teacher education in pre-independence 12+8 India. Discuss the role of NCTE as an agency of teacher education.
- 3. Mention various ethics of teaching profession. What are the characteristics of a 10+10 good teacher?



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ENGLISH

DSE-4

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

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Answer either GROUP-A or GROUP-B

GROUP-A

Literature of Diaspora

Answer any *two* questions from the following $20 \times 2 = 40$

- 1. Comment on the theme of identity crisis in the lives of diasporic people as delineated either in Jhumpa Lahiri's *The Namesake* or Meera Syal's *Anita and Me*.
- 2. Discuss M.G. Vassanji's attitude to history as found in *The Book of Secrets*.
- 3. Critically analyse Rohinton Mistry's treatment of social reality in *A Final Balance*.

GROUP-B

Partition Literature

Answer any two questions from the following

- 1. Nostalgic yearning for a lost homeland often characterizes partition novels. Assess the significance of the comment with reference to any of the texts in your syllabus.
- 2. Discuss how Amitav Ghosh's *The Shadow Lines* projects the impact of the Partition on the lives of the individuals.
- 3. Critically analyse the transformation of an ordinary rural place into an allegory or a symbol in Jibanananda Das' "I shall Return to this Bengal" or Gulzar's "Toba Tek Singh".

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Full Marks: 40

 $20 \times 2 = 40$



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BENGALI

বাংলা শিশুসাহিত্য অথবা ভ্রমণ সাহিত্য

DSE-4

সময়: ২ ঘণ্টা

পূর্ণমান: ৪০

প্রান্তলিখিত সংখ্যাগুলি পূর্ণমান নির্দেশক। পরীক্ষার্থীদের যথাসন্তব নিজের ভাষায় উত্তর দিতে হবে।

নীচের দুটি বিভাগের মধ্যে যে-কোনো একটি বিভাগ থেকে দুটি প্রশ্নের উত্তর দাও ২০×২=৪০

বিভাগ-ক

- ১। শিশুসাহিত্য সব বয়সী পাঠককে কেন সমভাবে আকর্ষণ করে ? বাংলা শিশুসাহিত্যে রবীন্দ্রনাথের অবদান আলোচনা করো।
- ২। শিশুমনের বিকাশে গুপি ও বাঘা চরিত্র দুটির গুরুত্ব 'গুপি গাইন বাঘা বাইন' অবলম্বনে বুঝিয়ে দাও।
- ৩। শিশুসাহিত্য হিসেবে 'ইতি তোমার মা' উপন্যাসটির একটি সার্থক মূল্যায়ন করো।

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- ৪। ভ্রমণ কাহিনি ও ভ্রমণ সাহিত্যের পার্থক্য নির্ণয় করো। সৈয়দ মুজতবা আলীর 'দেশ বিদেশে' একটি সার্থক ভ্রমণ সাহিত্যের দৃষ্টান্ত — আলোচনা করো।
- ৫। 'কোথায় পাব তারে' গ্রন্থে কে, কার অন্বেষণ করেছেন ? এ প্রসঙ্গে লেখকের জীবন-জিজ্ঞাসার পরিচয় দাও।
- ৬। 'পালামৌ' নামক ভ্রমণ কাহিনিতে সঞ্জীব চট্টোপাধ্যায় যে অকৃত্রিম সৌন্দর্যের জগৎ নির্মাণ করেছেন তার পরিচয় দাও।

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SANSKRIT

ENVIRONMENTAL AWARENESS IN SANSKRIT LITERATURE

DSE-4

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

The figures in the margin indicate full marks. Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

Answer any *two* questions from the following

 $20 \times 2 = 40$

(द्वयोः प्रश्नयोः उत्तरं प्रदेयम् संस्कृतभाषया देवनागरीलिप्यां च)

- 1. वनसृजनं तथा तस्य संरक्षणं कथं कुर्यात् इत्येतस्मिन् विषये कौटिल्यस्य मतमालोचयत।
- अथर्ववेदे प्रतिफलिता परिवेश-सचेतनता यादृशी उपलब्धा तद्विषये नातिदीर्घं प्रबन्धमेकं लिखत।

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3. कालिदासस्य रचनासु प्रतिफलितां परिवेश-सचेतनतां संक्षेपेण आलोचयत।



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HISTORY

HISTORY OF NORTH BENGAL (POST-COLONIAL PERIOD)

DSE-4

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

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	Answer any two questions from the following	20×2 =40
1.	Examine the process of Post-independent reorganization of North Bengal.	20
2.	Trace the rise and growth of socio-political movements in post-colonial North Bengal.	20
3.	Discuss the process of merger of the Princely State of Cooch Behar with the State of West Bengal.	20



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PHILOSOPHY

DSE-4

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

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Answer any one Group from A to D

GROUP-A

(The Problem of Knowledge: A. J. Ayer)

Answer any	<i>two</i> que	estions fro	om the	followi	ng		$20 \times 2 = 40$

- 1. Distinguish between philosophical and scientific skepticism. On what ground 5+7+8 does Ryle attempt to refuse philosophical skepticism? How does Ayer reply to Ryle?
- 2. Does the Cartesian view 'I think, therefore I am' represent a statement that is 20 beyond doubt. Discuss with reference to Ayer's view.
- 3. Give a critical estimate of Ayer's view on knowledge.

GROUP-B

(Introduction to Set Theory)

Answer any two questions from the following	$20 \times 2 = 40$
1. (a) Explain with examples the differences between membership (\in) and identity (=).	10

- (b) What are the grounds to accept 'empty set' as a set? Discuss.
- 2. Suppose: $A = \{1, 3, 5\}$ $B = \{2, 4, 6\}$ $C = \{2, 5\}$

Full Marks: 40

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- $D = \{1, 3\}$
- $E = \{2, 6\}$

Find the following:

- (a) $A \sim (C \cup D)$
- (b) $(B \sim A) \cap D$
- (c) $(C \cup D) \sim E$
- (d) $(D \cup E) \sim A$
- (e) $(A \cup B) \cap (C \sim D)$
- 3. Which of the following statements are true (for all sets A, B and C)? $5 \times 4 = 20$
 - (a) If $A \subseteq B$ and $B \subseteq C$, then $A \subseteq C$
 - (b) If $A \in B$ and $B \subset C$, then $A \subset C$
 - (c) If A = B and B = C, then A = C
 - (d) If $A \in B$ and B = C, then $A \in C$

GROUP-C

(Vedāntasāra)

	Answer any two questions from the following	$20 \times 2 = 40$
1.	Discuss the nature of nitya karma following Yogīndra's Vedāntasāra.	20
2.	What are the characteristic features of <i>ajñāna</i> ? Is it one or many? Discuss.	15+5
3.	Write the Śriguru Bandanā verse and explain the meaning of it.	20

GROUP-D

(Jaina Epistemology)

Answer any *two* questions from the following $20 \times 2 = 40$

- 1. What is *Anekāntavāda*? Why *Jaina* says that the knowledge of the reality is 4+10+6 partial? How do Buddhist and Vedantist prove that the *Jaina* theory is not satisfactory?
- 2. How many types of '*naya*' are mentioned in *Jaina* Philosophy? Discuss each type 2+12+6 of '*naya*' with examples. Mention the reaction of Buddhist and Vedantist.
- 3. Describe the main features of *Jaina* epistemology.

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POLITICAL SCIENCE

WOMEN IN MODERN INDIA: POWER AND POLITICS

DSE-4

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

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	Answer any two questions from the following	$20 \times 2 = 40$
1.	Discuss women participation in Indian Electoral Politics. What is your opinion on reservation for women in legislature?	15+5
2.	Write a note on importance of 73 rd and 74 th Constitution Amendment Acts with regard to political empowerment of women in India.	20
3.	Discuss the main features of Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace Act (2013). Write a critique of this Act.	10+10



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Under Revised and Old Syllabus

ECONOMICS

FINANCIAL ECONOMICS

DSE-4

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

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	Answer any two questions from the following	$20 \times 2 = 40$
1. (a)	Write a brief note on commercial bill market in India.	20
(b)	Briefly discuss functions of stock market in India.	
2.	Discuss the role of NBFIs in Economic Development in India.	20
3.	Analyse the working of capital market and SEBI.	20

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