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# B.A. DEGREE (C.B.C.S.S.) EXAMINATION, MARCH 2017

## Fourth Semester

# B.A. English

Complementary Course—EVOLUTION OF LITERARY MOVEMENTS: THE CROSS CURRENTS OF CHANGE.

(2013 Admission onwards)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 80

### Part A

Answer all the questions. Each question carries 1 mark.

- 1. Who coined the term "Magic Realism?"
- 2. Which word did Locke use to define mind?
- 3. Who wrote "The Spirit of Laws?"
- 4. Name the organization that was founded by Poykayil Yohannan.
- 5. Whose name is associated with the First People theory?
- 6. What did Ambedkar mean by Brahmanism?
- 7. Explain SPEW.
- 8. Give the name of a writer who belonged to the pre-boom period.
- 9. Who wrote Gyn/Ecology?
- Name the indigenous tradition prevalent in Australia.

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### Part B

Answer any eight of the following questions in two or three sentences each.

Each question carries 2 marks.

- 11. How did Diderot define a philosophe?
- 12. What was the division of the 18th century French society?
- 13. What was the trajectory of the Enlightenment?
- 14. What is the theme of "Jathikkummi?"
- 15. What are the three phases of feminism?
- 16. What are the contributions of Harriet Taylor Mill to Feminist movement?

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- 17. Why was Ambedkar fascinated to Buddhism?
- 18. What is the recurrent theme of much of the Dalit writing in Tamil Nadu?
- Explain cross-cultural interaction.
- 20. What is the target of Decolonization?
- 21. Write short notes on the key features of Borges' short stories.
- 22. In what ways did Luis de Gongora influence Latin American poetry?

 $(8 \times 2 = 16)$ 

#### Part C

Answer any six of the following in about 100 words each.

Each question carries 4 marks.

- 23. Write a short note on Rousseau's theory of education.
- 24. Impact of Mary Wollstonecraft's treatise.
- 25. Poetry and feminist movement.
- 26. What is Dalit Sahitya Movement?
- 27. Pandit Karuppan's contributions to the upliftment of the depressed classes in Kerala.
- 28. Montesquieu's treatment of the history of the Roman Empire.
- 29. Female characters in "One Hundred Years of Solitude."
- 30. Vakkom Abdul Khader Moulavi.
- Write a short note on Rushdie's "Midnight's Children."

 $(6 \times 4 = 24)$ 

#### Part D

Answer any two of the following in about 300 words each.

Each question carries 15 marks.

- Write an essay on the impact of European Enlightenment on British literature.
- 33. "Renaissance in Kerala was not a retrieval of a precious thing from the past." Discuss.
- Evaluate the pro-woman activism in the West up to the First Wave Feminism.
- 35. Discuss the intellectual insurgency that culminated in what is now called Dalit Movement in India...

 $(2 \times 15 = 30)$