

P.R.GOV.T.COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), KAKINADA  
SPECIAL ENGLISH  
V SEMESTER – PAPER – III (A)  
(w.e.f. 2013 – 2014)

Time : 3 hrs.

Max.Marks : 70

SECTION I

1. Answer any one of the following in 200 words

1x7=7M

- What is the better world to live according to Tagore?
- How does Aurobindo rightly compare the quality of Tamo and Rajo gunas with that of the Tiger and the deer?
- Harp of India is a Patriotic poem - Discuss.

2. Answer any two of the following in 75 words.

2x4=8M

- Patriotism in Indian English poetry.
- Lyrical quality in the poetry of Sarojini Naidu.
- Myth in Indian English poetry.
- Tagore's contribution to Indian poetry.

3. Annotate any two of the following.

2x4=8M

- Some are meet for a maiden's wrist,  
Silver and blue as the mountain-mist
- Into that heaven of freedom, my Father, let my country awake.
- The mighty perish in their might, The slain survive the slayer.
- Those hands are cold but if thy notes divine  
May be by mortal wakened once again,  
Harp of my country, let me strike the strain!

SECTION II

4. Answer any one of the following in 200 words.

1x7=7M

- Write an essay on the significance of the Post Office.
- The Post Office is more about feeling than action. Discuss.
- How does Tagore present Amal in The Post Office?

5. Answer any two of the following in 75 words.

2x4=8M

- Indian English drama before independence.
- Indian English drama and its limitations
- Tagore's plays are more for reading than acting.
- Influence of freedom struggle on Indian English drama.

6. Annotate any two of the following.

2x4=8M

- Wish I were a squirrel!--it would be lovely.
- It seems to me because the earth can't speak it raises its hands into the sky and beckons. And those who live far and sit alone by their windows can see the signal.

- c) Some say time has not yet come, and some say time has gone by! But surely your time will come the moment you strike the gong!
- d) "I am calling on you shortly; you had better arrange puffed rice offerings for me.-- Palace fare is quite tasteless to me now."

### SECTION III

7. Answer any one of the following in 200 words.

1x8=8M

- a) Home Coming is about the child's longing to return to his house. Discuss.
- c) What are the experiences of Gandhi in Tolstoy Farm?

8. Answer any two of the following in 75 words.

2x4=8M

- a) Influence of Indian languages on Indian English.
- b) Short story before independence.
- c) Philosophical outlook of Indian English writers.
- d) Development of autobiography in Indian English.

### SECTION IV

9. Answer in 75 words.

2x4=8M

- a) Lord Macaulay's famous minute.
- b) The early Indian English Poetry
- c) Freedom struggle in Indian English works, I.W.E fiction?
- d) Mythology in Indian English prose.

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