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M.A. (Part - I) (Semester - II) Examination, December - 2018 ENGLISH (Paper - C - 4) (CBCS)

Poetry in English: Modern and Post Modern

Sub. Code: 70367

Day and Date: Friday, 07 - 12 - 2018

Total Marks: 80

Time: 10.30 a.m. to 01.30 p.m.

Instructions:

Seat No.

- 1) All questions are compulsory.
- 2) Figures to the right indicate full marks.
- Q1) Answer in one word/phrase/sentence:

[10]

- a) What does the cruelest month breed according to Eliot?
- b) Who was Fisher King?
- c) What is place that the musicians play music on in "The Weary Blues"?
- d) What is the Harlem about?
- e) What does Dream Variations by Langston Hughes mean?
- f) How many graves are mentioned in the poem *The Abandoned British Cemetery at Balasore*?
- g) To whom dose A. D. Hope called 'A Nation of trees'?
- h) 'Sometimes a rain comes' is the opening line of the poem _____
- i) According to Jayanta Mahapatra, what is between the 'Hands'?
- j) Who is the poet of the poem 'A Time to Change' (1952)?
- Q2) Attempt any two of the following questions in about 600 words each: [30]
 - a) Discuss the significant aspects and characteristics of Modern British Poetry.
 - b) Discuss the 'New Poetry' in context of Modern Indian English Language Poetry.
 - c) Explain the poetry of Jayanta Mahapatra is 'experimental' in mode of expression.



Q3) Attempt any two of the following questions in about 600 words each: [30]

How does Eliot describe the physical "Waste Land" in this poem? What are some of its main features, and how are they connected to the symbolic wasteland that Western culture has become for Eliot?

- b) Write a detail note on Langston Hughes' The Negro Speaks of Rivers'
- c) Comment on the A. D. Hope's land and 'identity of Australian' reflecting in his poetry.
- Q4) Write short notes on any two of the following in about 200 words each:[10]
 - a) Briefly evaluate the significance of the 'Hands'.
 - b) Langston Hughes' The Weary Blues'
 - c) Write a note on 'Crossing the Frontier'.

