

2021

Time : 3 hours

Full Marks : 100

Pass Marks : 45

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

*Answer **all** questions.*

1. Explain with reference to the context, any **three** of the following : 10×3 = 30

(a) I made my song a coat

Covered with embroideries

Out of old mythologies

From heel to throat ;

(b) And indeed there will be time

For the yellow smoke that slides along the

street,

Rubbing its back upon the window-panes ;
There will be time, there will be time
To prepare a face to meet the faces that you
meet ;

- (c) I can't turn your soul on. Leave me those feelings ; and you can take away the voice and the face. They are not you.
- (d) You see I learnt at an early age what it was to be angry-angry and helpless. And I can never forget it.
- (e) He felt that she wanted the soul out of his body and not him. All his strength and energy she drew into herself through some channel which united them.
- (f) Friendship is something in the soul. It is a thing one feel. It is not a return for something.

2. Answer any **three** of the following : $20 \times 3 = 60$

- (a) 'Among School Children' deals with the anxieties of old age and decay. Elucidate.
- (b) Critically analyse the main theme of 'The Love Song of J. Alfred Prufrock'.

- (c) Comment on the transformation of Eliza in Shaw's 'Pygmalion'.
- (d) Jimmy Porter is rightfully the angry young man of the play 'Look Back in Anger' by Osborne.
- (e) Critically analyse the theme of marriage in 'Sons and Lovers' by Lawrence.
- (f) Henry Skofic is the true protagonist of the 'Heart of the Matter.' Comment.

3. Choose the correct answer of the following :

2×5 = 10

- (a) W. B. Yeats belonged to which century ?
 - (i) 19th Century
 - (ii) 21st Century
 - (iii) 20th Century
 - (iv) 18th Century
- (b) Who is the listener in the epigraph of 'The Love song of J. Alfred Prufrock' ?
 - (i) Prufrock
 - (ii) Dante
 - (iii) Michelangelo
 - (iv) Montefeltro

- (c) Higgins claims that English is the language of :
- (i) The Queen
 - (ii) All Mankind
 - (iii) The noblest race
 - (iv) Shakespeare, Milton and the Bible
- (d) What does the first, part of 'Sons and Lovers' focus on ?
- (i) Mrs. Morel's unhappy marriage
 - (ii) Paul's relationship with Mrriam
 - (iii) William's death
 - (iv) Paul's relationship with Morel
- (e) Which character does Graham Green introduce first in 'Heart of the Matter' ?
- (i) Louis
 - (ii) Harris
 - (iii) Wilson
 - (iv) Scobie

