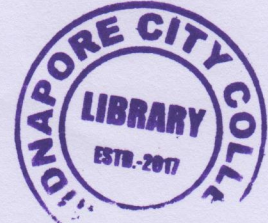


**Second Semester Examination-2018****M.A. English**

Paper Code: ENG-203

Poetry III(19<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> Century Texts)

Full Marks : 40



Time: 2 Hours

1. Answer any two of the following questions. 2×14=28
- a) How does the poem, The Second Coming allegorically present the Apocalypse of the world? 14
- Or
- b) Discuss how Queen presents the pity of war in his poems, 'Strange Meeting' and 'Spring Offensive' 14
- c) Comment on T.S. Eliot's use of imagery in the portrayal of modern urban life 'Prelnes' 14
- Or
- d) Comment on Anden's depiction of human suffering through the 'fall of Icarus' in the poem, Mureedes Beaux Arts? 14
- e) Consider Seamus Heavey's 'Digging' as a symbolic poem describing poetic oration. 14
- Or
- f) Explore the issue of the church as the basis of spirituality in the poem, "Church Going". 14
2. Comment on the following: 3×4=12
- a) "I mean the truth untold". 4
- Or
- b) "Monuments of unageing intellect".
- c) "Six O clock.  
The burnt out ends of smoky days"  
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- d) The imagery of rain in the concluding stanza of Whitsur Weddings.
- e) Last stanza of the poem Digging. 4
- Or
- f) "Valley of sack cloth"