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# M.A. Semester-III Examination-2019

Paper Code: ENG-303

(COLONIALISM AND POST-COLONIALISM)

Full Marks: 40

Times: 2 Hours

## **GROUP: A**

## Answer any four of the following:

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- 1. What is the significance of bridge party in 'Passage to India'?
- 2. What is 'cultural bomb' in 'Decolonizing the Mind' by Ngugi?
- 3. Who are the 'monstorous tribes' in Derek Walcott's 'Far Cry from Africa'?
- 4. What is 'Gikuyu' language?
- 5. 'The Empire writes back to escape'- Explain.
- 6. 'Our real problem in India is not political. It is society.'- comment.
- 7. What is Europocentricism discussed by Said?
- 8. What exactly is the crisis mentioned in 'Orientalism'.

#### **GROUP: B**

# Answer any four of the following:

4×4=16

- 9. How does A. D. Hope present Australia as the 'last of lands, the emptiest' in the poem 'Australia'?
- Comment on the Mau Mau uprising in Kenya in reference to the poem 'A Far Cry from Africa'.
- 11. Critically comment on Tagore's statement- 'India is no beggar to the West'.
- 12. Discuss in brief the significance of the 'Maravar Caves' in 'Passage to India'.
- 13. How does Said describe the textual attitude in 'Orientalism'?
- 14. What is subversion of language in post colonial writings due to imperial oppression in 'The Empire Writes Back'?
- 15. Describe in brief the character of Dr. Aziz.
- 16. Assess the significance of the 'Trial scene' in 'A Passage to India'.

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## **GROUP: C**

# Answer any two of the following:

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- 17. Give an estimate of Tagore's assessment of the concept of nationalism in 'Nationalism'.
- 18. Discuss how Edward Said elaborate his theory on 'Orientalism'.
- 19. Briefly illustrate Foster's treatment of East-West relationship in 'A Passage to India'.
- 20. How does Derek Walcott present Africa as 'corpses scattered through a paradise'?

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