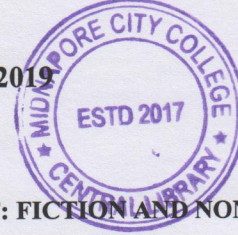


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SPECIAL PAPER - I



(LITERATURE OF THE INDIAN SUB-CONTINENT: FICTION AND NON-FICTION IN ENGLISH)

Full Marks: 40

Time: 2 Hours

Option A:

1. Answer any two questions from the following:

2×14=28

- a) Discuss "Home and the World" as a political novel dealing with the theme of nationalism.
Or
- b) Critically examine Gandhi's notion of 'Satyagraha' as propounded in "My Experiments with Truth."
- c) Critically comment on Narayan's treatment of irony and humour in "The Guide".
Or
- d) How does Anand's novel Coolie reinforce the theme of exploitation?
- e) Contrast the characters of Pranesacharya and Naranappa in the context of orthodox Brahmin society in Samskara.
Or
- f) Comment on Premchand's portrayal of the economic condition of the poor peasants in Godan.

2. Comment on any three of the following:

3×4=12

- a) The ending of the novel Home and the World.
Or
- b) Influence of Ruskin's Unto the Last on Gandhi.
- c) The East-West encounter in Coolie.
Or
- d) Character of Velan in The guide.
- e) Role of Chandri in Samskara.
Or
- f) Presentation of zaminder class in Godan.
