

**PG CBCS**  
**M.A. Semester-II Examination, 2021**  
**DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH**  
**PAPER: ENG 203**  
**POETRY III- 19<sup>TH</sup> & 20<sup>TH</sup> CENTURY TEXTS**

**Full Marks: 40****Time: 2 Hours**

**Answer any FOUR questions from the following: 4×10=40**

1. Comment on Yeats's use of symbolism in the poem "The Second Coming".
2. How does the poet suffer from his internal crisis as reflected in his poem "Snake"?
3. How has Eliot presented moral degradation and spiritual decay of modern society in "Preludes"?
4. Discuss in brief the ambivalence of death and rebirth in Eliot's "Marina".
5. Critically analyze Philip Larkin's "Church Going" as a commentary on the role of religion in human life.
6. How does the speaker characterise weddings and marriages in the poem "Whitsun Weddings"?
7. Comment on the glorification of childhood in the poem "Fern Hill".
8. Critically analyze Seamus Heaney's "Digging" as a reflection of the speaker's feelings about his heritage.