

PG (CBCS) M.A Semester- II Examination, 2024 ENGLISH PAPER: ENG 203

(Poetry III (19th and 20th Century Texts))

Full Marks: 40

Time: 2 Hours

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate full marks. Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

GROUP-A

A. Answer any Two questions:

 $2 \times 10 = 20$

- 1. Critically analyze the journey of the poet in "Sailing to Byzantium".
- 2. Consider D. H. Lawrence as a modernist poet with reference to the poem you have read.
- 3. Comment on the appropriateness of the title of Eliot's "Preludes".
- 4. "Church Going" encompasses the steady erosion of traditional and religious certainties. Justify.

GROUP-B

B. Comment on any **Four** of the following:

 $4 \times 5 = 20$

- 5. "Spiritus Mundi".
- 6. The allusion to 'albatross' in "Snake".
- 7. The symbol of the ship in "Marina".
- 8. "After the first death, there is no other".
- 9. "A sense of falling, like an arrow-shower/ Sent out of sight, somewhere becoming rain".
- 10.Digging as a symbol in the poem "Digging".
