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Programme: M.A. English 4th Semester
Course: Literary Criticism and Theory-II (MAEN401CCT)
2023 Admitted Batch

Assignment No. 2 (Units 9 to 16)

Max Marks: 15

Part-A
Short Answer Questions

Attempt any **two** questions from the following. Each question carries **4** marks. **(2x4=8)**

1. Briefly explain different waves of feminism.
2. Discuss two qualities that define African American literature, according to Toni Morrison.
3. Discuss the notion of ‘objective history’ in light of White’s essay.
4. Why does Antoinette feel like an outsider in Jamaica?

Part-B
Long Answer Questions

Attempt any **one** question from the following. Each question carries **7** marks. **(1x7=7)**

1. Critically evaluate Gayatri Spivak’s essay ‘Three Women’s Texts and a Critique of Imperialism’.
2. Explain the differences between word-for-word and sense-for-sense translation approaches.
3. Critically analyse Talal Asad’s essay on ‘cultural translation’.

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Programme: M.A. English 4th Semester
Course: Dalit Literature: An Introduction (MAEN402CCT)
2023 Admitted Batch

Assignment No. 2 (Units 9 to 16)

Max Marks: 15

Part-A
Short Answer Questions

Attempt any **two** questions from the following. Each question carries **4** marks. **(2x4=8)**

1. What does the title *Untouchable Spring* symbolize in the context of the Dalit community's struggle?
2. What are common themes in Dalit poetry?
3. List out any five Dalit autobiographies along with their authors.
4. Discuss Dr. Ambedkar's primary education in India.

Part-B
Long Answer Questions

Attempt any **one** question from the following. Each question carries **7** marks. **(1x7=7)**

1. Describe the role of Christianity in the lives of Dalits as portrayed in *Untouchable Spring*.
2. Discuss the themes of love, sacrifice and empathy in the poem, “Mother”.
3. Emphasize the distinctive traits of untouchability, as outlined by Dr. Ambedkar.

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Programme: M.A. English 4th Semester
Course-3: Urdu Literature in Translation (MAEN403CCT)
2023 Batch

Assignment No. 2 (Units 9 to 16)

Max Marks: 15

Part-A
Short Answer Questions

Attempt any **two** questions from the following. Each question carries **4** marks. **(2x4=8)**

1. Write on a short note on the growth of novel as a genre.
2. Write a short note on Nazir Ahmad’s novel *Ibn-ul-Waqt*.
3. What are the characteristics of Akbari and Aghari.
4. What is the relevance of *Mirratt-ul-Uroos* today?

Part-B
Long Answer Questions

Attempt any **one** question from the following. Each question carries **7** marks. **(1x7=7)**

1. Describe the characteristics of the main characters of *Anarkali*.
2. Why has Imtiaz Ali Taj named the climax of the play *Anarkali* as ‘Death’? Discuss.
3. Describe the different forms of internal and external conflict in the drama *Anarkali*.

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Programme: M.A. English 4th Semester
Course-4: Introduction to Cultural Studies (MAEN401DST)
2023 Batch

Assignment No. 2 (Units 9 to 16)

Max Marks: 15

Part-A
Short Answer Questions

Attempt any **two** questions from the following. Each question carries **4** marks. **(2x4=8)**

1. How does language function as a marker of cultural identity?
2. Comment on the language politics in India.
3. Briefly discuss the status of Urdu in the 18th Century.
4. Describe the main social issues Jyotiba Phule addresses in "A Gardener in the Wasteland".

Part-B
Long Answer Questions

Attempt any **one** question from the following. Each question carries **7** marks. **(1x7=7)**

1. Examine the role of ethical virtues such as forgiveness, humility, and patience in "40 Sufi Comics." How are these virtues portrayed through the actions and teachings of the characters? Discuss the impact of these virtues on the characters' spiritual journeys and the lessons they offer to readers.
2. What are the different stages of film making?
3. What kind or types of films were being made in India in the silent era?

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Programme: M.A. English 4th Semester
Teaching and Learning
Generic Elective Paper
2023 Batch

Assignment No. 2

Max Marks: 15

Part-A
Short Answer Questions

Attempt any **two** questions from the following. Each question carries **4** marks. **(2x4=8)**

1. What is meant by Insightful Learning? Explain with reference to Köhler’s experiment.
2. Explain any two environmental factors that influence the development of personality.
3. Discuss the importance of Instructional Objectives.
4. Write down the factors that influence the Professional Development of Teachers.

Part-B
Long Answer Questions

Attempt any **one** question from the following. Each question carries **7** marks. **(1x7=7)**

1. What are the different levels of the learning process? Explain each level in detail.
2. Discuss in detail the factors affecting the learning process.
3. Explain the Constructivist Approach. Discuss its advantages and disadvantages.