**MODEL QUESTION PAPER**

**(I YEAR ) (M.A\_ENGLISH)**

**MAEN14 - NINETEENTH CENTURY LITERATURE**

**TIME : 03 HOURS MAX.MARKS : 90**

***Note*** *: i) Answer* ***five*** *questions without omitting* ***any*** *section.*

*ii)* ***Do not*** *answer more than* ***two*** *questions from any Sections.*

*iii)* ***All*** *questions carry* ***equal*** *marks.*

**GROUP A**

Q.1 a) Discuss The prelude Book – I as a spiritual autobiography. **OR**

b) Do you agree that “Tintern Abbey” is a characteristic poem of

Wordsworth? Substantiate. (15)

Q.2 Comment on the treatment of the supernatural in “The Ancient

Mariner”. (15)

Q.3 From the poems you have studied, what impression have you

formed of Blake as a poet? (15)

Q.4 How is the contrast between life and art developed in the “Ode on

a Grecian Urn”? (15)

Q.5 Trace the sequence of thought in “Ode to the West Wind”. (15)

Q.6 Estimate the greatness of Browning as a post based on your

reading of any two poems prescribed for your study. (15)

Q.7 Comment on the theme and form of “Ulysses”. (15)

**GROUP B**

Q.8 a) Discuss the rich variety of women characters in Emma.

**OR**

b) Discuss Emma – Knightley relationship. (10)

Q.9 a) Examine Dickens’ humour and pathos in Great Expectations.

**OR**

b) Comment on Pip’s boyhood experiences in Great Expectations. (10)

Q.10 a) “Egdon Heath is a character in its own right” Comment.

**OR**

b) Comment on the appropriateness of the title The Return of the

Native. (10)

Q.11 a) Sketch the character of Heathcliff.

**OR**

b) Critically the examine the love-hate relationship in Wuthering

Heights. (10)

**GROUP C**

Q.12 a) Evaluate Arnold’s understanding of culture.

**OR**

b) “Culture and Anarchy diagnoses the ills of Arnold’s society and

offers remedies”. Discuss. (05)

Q.13 Why Mill’s Autobiography is called “one of the vital documents

for the study of the nineteenth century”? (05)

Q.14 Critically assess either Lamb’s Hazhitt’s contribution to English

essay. (05)

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