

2020

M.A.

1st Semester Examination

ENGLISH

PAPER- ENG-103

Full Marks: 50

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.

Answer any **four** of the following questions.

10 X 4

1. Do you think that Henry Fielding's novel *The History of Tom Jones, a Foundling* is a Bildungsroman? Explain.
2. Comment on the relationship between Tom Jones and Sophia Western.
3. Attempt a study on Defoe's *Robinson Crusoe* as a Post-colonial novel.
4. Critically discuss Robinson Crusoe's relationship with Man Friday.
5. Write a short note on Dickens's portrayal of the Victorian society with a reference to his novel *Great Expectations*.
6. Describe the elements of symbolism and imagery used in Dickens's novel *Great Expectations*.
7. Discuss the prose style of Joseph Addison with reference to the essays you have gone through in *Coverley Papers*.
8. What are Dr. Johnson's main objections against the Metaphysical poets, as found in *The Life of Cowley*?

(Internal Assessment-10)