

**2023**

**Time - 3 hours**

**Full Marks - 80**

*Answer both groups as per instructions.  
Figures in the right hand margin indicate marks.  
Candidates are required to answer  
in their own words as far as practicable.*

**GROUP – A**

1. Answer any four questions. [6 × 4
- (a) How did the East India Company enter into India ?
  - (b) How did the barber deduce information about Raju's life ?
  - (c) Write down caricature of patriarchy in *Final Solutions*.
  - (d) Why did the mother thank God in the poem *Night of the Scorpion* ?
  - (e) How do women enrich human life in the poem *The Bangle Sellers* ?
  - (f) Give a short note on the novel *The Guide* by R.K. Narayan.
  - (g) Give an analysis of the poem *Obituary* by A.K. Ramanujan.



GROUP – B

2. Answer any four questions.

[14 × 4

- (a) Discuss the facts of the establishment of colleges in the colonial India.
- (b) Make a critical assessment of the poem *The Bangle Sellers*.
- (c) Give an analysis of the poem *Obituary* by A.K. Ramanujan.
- (d) Give an analysis of the poem *Night of the Scorpion* by Nissim Ezekiel.
- (e) What is the moral value of the poem *Grandfather*, a poem by Jayanta Mahapatra.
- (f) Describe the post-feminists analysis of female characters in Mahesh Dattani's *Final Solutions*.



**2023**

**Time - 3 hours**

**Full Marks - 80**

*Answer both groups as per instructions.*

*Figures in the right hand margin indicate marks.*

*Candidates are required to answer  
in their own words as far as practicable.*

**GROUP – A**

1. Answer any four questions. [6 × 4
- (a) What was the position of England by the second decade of the Eighteenth Century ?
- (b) How does Wollstonecraft describe about the weakness of women ?
- (c) How is good nature born with a man ?
- (d) What is The Restoration of the 18th Century ?
- (e) Narrate the story of Travellers, considered by different persons.
- (f) Describe the Glorious Revolution of the 18th Century.



GROUP – B

2. Answer any four questions.

[14 × 4

- (a) What is about the political literature of the 18th Century ?
- (b) What are the characteristics and movement of Neoclassical literature ?
- (c) Discuss the rights and duties of mankind with regard to the society.
- (d) Write a short note on the vindication of the rights of women.
- (e) How is friendship explained in the essays form Addison edited by J.H. Fowler, the spectator ?
- (f) What are the obstructions of learning about the progress of life ?
- (g) Describe the Enlightenment of the 18th Century.