

IV Semester B.A./B.Sc./B.Com./B.B.M./B.C.A./B.H.M. Examination, May 2011
 (Semester Scheme) (Repeaters only)
 ADDITIONAL ENGLISH (Paper - IV)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 90

Instructions : 1) All the three Sections must be answered.
 2) Number your questions carefully.

- I. Answer any seven of the following in one or two sentences choosing atleast one each from prose, short stories and poetry. (7×2=14)
- 1) What were the pleasures of the Elizabethans ?
 - 2) Where did the miner see the lion, conqueror ?
 - 3) Mention any two general reasons for which people read as given by L.A.G. strong.
 - 4) What did Sher Singh do when he saw the cobra ?
 - 5) Where had the father of the author gone after quarrelling with his wife in 'My Mother's Hands' ?
 - 6) Why won't Mrs. Salmon be able to sleep at night in 'A case for the Defence' ?
 - 7) Which is the one last girl the poet gives his loves in 'The Great Lover' ?
 - 8) What parts of the human body are mentioned by the poet in 'Mushrooms' ?
 - 9) How does the hawk kill its prey ?
- II. Answer any six of the following in about a page choosing one each from prose, short stories and poetry. (6×6=36)
- 1) What horrors of modern pleasures are brought by Huxley ?
 - 2) Write a brief note on the circumstances that led Harry Smidley to give up drinking liquor.
 - 3) Comment on the views of Russel on slavery.
 - 4) How was the quarrel between the parents of the author reconciled in 'My Mothers Hands' ?
 - 5) What details had Mrs. Salmon witnessed on the night of murder ?



- 6) Describe Wolfgang's background in the story "Adventures of the German Student".
- 7) What was the effect of the climate on the people in "The Pestilence in 19th Century Calcutta" ?
- 8) How does Sylvia Plath describe 'Mushrooms' in her poem ?
- 9) Comment on the poet's admiration for the hawk in 'Hawk Roosting'.

III. Answer **any four** of the following in about **two** pages choosing **one each** from prose, short stories and poetry. (4×10=40)

- 1) Comment on the views of Aldous Huxley on the pleasures that are purchased by the people in modern times.
- 2) Briefly describe what happened to the Lion after its escape in 'The Lion and The Lamb'.
- 3) What are L.A.G. Strong's views on 'Reading for pleasure' ?
- 4) Write a note on Sher Singh's experience as he carried his brother to the hospital.
- 5) Comment on the relationship of the parents of the author in 'My Mother's Hands'.
- 6) What is so extraordinary about the end of the story in 'A Case for Defence' ? Explain.
- 7) How does Daruwalla bring out the situation of Calcutta in the 19th Century ?
- 8) Describe how mushrooms are presented by Sylvia Plath in her poem.
- 9) Everything revolves around the hawk for his pleasure and consumption. How is it brought out in the poem 'Hawk Roosting' ? Explain.