



FD-208

M.A. 1st Semester
Examination, Dec.-Jan., 2021-22

ENGLISH

Paper - IV

Fiction - I

Time : Three Hours] [*Maximum Marks* : 80

Note : Answer **all** questions. All questions carry equal marks.

Unit-I

1. Discuss 'The Pilgrims Progress' as a masterpiece of Puritanism.

OR

Describe the journey of Robinson Crusoe in 'The Island of Despair'.

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Unit-II

2. Write a note on Fielding's Joseph Andrews as a picaresque novel.

OR

Write a note on Goldsmith's sense of humour as revealed in 'The Vicar of Wakefield'.

Unit-III

3. "Scotts personages are not free. They are almost exclusively products of their heredity, their environment, and their profession; they are dominated by these influences." Critically examine the statement in relation to Ivanhoe.

OR

Analyse the theme of 'Pride and Prejudice' bringing out the appropriateness of the title of the novel.

Unit-IV

4. Discuss Dickens' role as a social critic in 'The Great Expectations'.

OR

In what sense does Hardy call Tess "a pure woman"? Do you agree?

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Unit-V

5. Write short notes on any **two** of the following :
- (a) The Biblical element in “The Pilgrim’s Progress”.
 - (b) Write an essay on Fielding as a novelist.
 - (c) Autobiographical element in Dickens’s novels.
 - (d) Justify the title ‘Pride and Prejudice’ by Austen.
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