

THIRD SEMESTER B.A./B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2013**(UG–CCSS)****Common Course—English****A 05—LITERATURE AND CONTEMPORARY ISSUES****(Common for B.A./B.Sc./Afzal-Ul-Ulama)****(2009 Admissions)****Time : Three Hours****Maximum : 30 Weightage****I. Answer the following bunches of questions****A. 1 Whose essay deals with seed-saving and organic farming ?**

- (a) Vandana Shiva. (b) Arundhati Roy.
(c) Both (a) and (b). (d) None of these.

2 _____ globalization makes representative democracy becomes dead democracy.

- (a) Corporate. (b) Indiscriminate.
(c) Controlled. (d) None of these.

3 The free market undermines

- (a) Imperialism. (b) Colonialism.
(c) Democracy. (d) All these.

4 Bangalore was singled out as a threat to American interests by :

- (a) Bush. (b) John Kerry.
(c) Obama. (d) All these.

B. 5 _____ ran a cover story on the rise of India.

- (a) Indian Newspapers. (b) New York Times.
(c) Business Week. (d) None of these.

6 The concept of sine reached Europe from India through the

- (a) Arabs. (b) Chinese.
(c) English. (d) None of these.

7 Macaulay was afraid of the diversity of _____ in India.

- (a) Plants. (b) Animal life.
(c) Languages. (d) Rituals.

8 The enthusiasts for globalization argue that it is _____ to the poor.

- (a) Unfair. (b) Fair.
(c) Anti. (d) None of these.

C. 9 Imperialism needs courts that pretend to dispense _____

- (a) Justice. (b) Injustice.
(c) Compensations. (d) None of these.

10 On a quiet day I can hear her breathing. Who was breathing ?

- (a) Arundhati Roy. (b) Vandana Shiva.
(c) The new possible world. (d) None of these.

11 Which place was situated in what was once called India's Orange Country ?

- (a) Lehgaon. (b) Vidarbha.
(c) Shingnapur. (d) None of these.

12 The camera is almost invariably a male _____

- (a) Master. (b) Tyrant.
(c) Voyeur. (d) None of these.

(12 x $\frac{1}{4}$ = 3 weightage)

II. Answer the following in two *or* three sentences each :-

13 What do you mean by "a society of the spectacle" ?

14 How do globalization and internationalism differ in the matter of colonization ?

15 How can we defeat the corporate revolution ?

16 What is said to have no nationality in Kumar Vikal's poem ?

17 What is the settlement of Baudrillard against globalization ?

18 How does Shashi Deshpande look upon childbirth ?

19 What is at the core of *The Dark Holds no Terrors* ?

20 What is Shamnath's boss want the mother to do ?

21 What does Aruna mean when she says she was married off ?

(9 x 1 = 9 weightage)

III. Answer any *five* of the following questions in a *paragraph* of 100 words each :-

22 Navdhanya.

23 Sufferings of the cotton farmers.

24 Ela Bhatt's marriage.

25 Ministers and the Tree of Violence.

26 The title "Dinner for the Boss".

27 Aruna's children.

28 The children in "Medea".

(5 x 2 = 10 weightage)

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31 hat Shashi Deshpande through her article ?

11 Th issue of

(2 × 4 = 8 weightage)