



MAA-105

Seat No. _____

B. A. (English) (Sem. III) Examination

October / November - 2018

British Fiction : CC-303

(Core Compulsory)

Time : 3 Hours]

[Total Marks : 70

Instructions : (1) All questions carry equal marks.
(2) Indicate your options clearly.

1 (a) Define novel as a form of literature and discuss its essential characteristics. 14

OR

(b) Describe in detail the different methods of narration developed by various novelists.

2 (a) "Parson Adams is an erudite but guileless man who expects the best of everyone and is frequently the victim of deceit." Illuminate. 14

OR

(b) Evaluate Joseph Andrews as a picaresque novel.

3 (a) "Animal Farm is a satire on the degeneration of communist ideals into dictatorship." Examine. 14

OR

(b) Bring out symbolism in George Orwell's novel Animal Farm.

4 Show your acquaintance with the following 14

writers : (any **four**)

(i) Samuel Richardson

(ii) Virginia Woolf

(iii) Thomas Hardy

(iv) D. H. Lawrence

(v) Daniel Defoe

(vi) Henry Fielding

5 Answer in brief : (any **seven**) 14

(1) What is "Stream of Consciousness"?

(2) Which is the first picaresque novel in English?
Who wrote it?

(3) Who defined novel as a "Comic Epic in
Prose"?

(4) To whom does Joseph marry at the end of
the novel?

(5) What is Parson Adams greatly proud of?

(6) Who are Mr. and Mrs. Wilson'?

(7) Which political personality is represented by
Old Major in Animal Farm?

(8) Who was the owner of the farm before the
animals over took it?

(9) How is the revolutionary slogan "All Animals
are Equal" finally amended in Animal Farm?

(10) Which is the first novel of D. H. Lawrence?
When was it published?

(11) Who wrote Tess of the D'Urbervilles?

(12) Which literary age does William Thackeray
represent'?