



PJ-205

Seat No. _____

B. A. (Sem. VI) Examination

April / May - 2016

CC-606 : English : Paper - VI

(Introduction to Romantic & Victorian Age)

Time : 3 Hours]

[Total Marks : 70

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

1 (a) Define Romanticism and discuss its chief characteristics.

OR

(b) Write a note on social and literary features of Victorian age.

2 (a) Matthew Arnold's Dover Beach is 'at once religious and sceptical, philosophical and emotional. - Discuss.

OR

(b) Critically appreciate Shelley's poem Ode to a Skylark.

3 (a) Discuss Dickens as a social reformer with special reference to Hard Times.

OR

(b) Draw a character sketch of Thomas Gradgrind.

- 4 Show your acquaintance with any four of the following :
- (i) Lyrical Ballads
 - (ii) The Rime of the Ancient Mariner
 - (iii) Don Juan
 - (iv) Wuthering Heights
 - (v) Kenilworth
 - (vi) Jane Eyre.
- 5 Answer briefly any seven of the following questions :
- (a) How did Victor Hugo describe the term romanticism ?
 - (b) When was the Lyrical Ballads published ? Who were the contributors ?
 - (c) Who was the real founder of the oxford movement ? What was he ?
 - (d) Write full name of P.B. Shelley.
 - (e) How many stanzas and lines does the poem 'The Last Ride Together' have ?
 - (f) Correct the following names of the poets.
Alfred Browning, Robert Wordsworth, William Tennyson.
 - (g) In which periodical and when did Hard Times appear in weekly instalments ?
 - (h) Which are the three divisions of the novel 'Hard Times' ?
 - (i) Who reported and to whom that Sissy had no aptitude for arithmetic ?
 - (j) Name any two novels written by Charles Dickens.
 - (k) What is the genre of The Rime of the Ancient Mariner ? What is its theme ?
 - (l) Write names of the Bronte sisters.