

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

B.A. Honours Part-II Examination, 2021

ENGLISH

PAPER-IV (New Syllabus)

Full Marks: 100

ASSIGNMENT

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.
All questions are of equal value.

Answer any *four* questions taking at least *one* from each group (within 800-1000 words each)

 $25 \times 4 = 100$

GROUP-A

- 1. What impact did the French Revolution have on English literature?
- 2. Write an essay on the importance of Nature in Romantic poetry.
- 3. Attempt a comparative study of Wordsworth and Coleridge as Romantic poets.

GROUP-B

- 4. Compare and contrast 'The Lamb' and 'The Tyger'.
- 5. Do you think the Ancient Mariner's punishment for killing the Albatross is justified? Give reasons for your answer.
- 6. Consider Shelley as a lyric poet with reference to the poems on your syllabus.
- 7. Attempt a critical appreciation of 'Ode on a Grecian Urn'.

GROUP-C

- 8. Analyse Lamb's prose style with special reference to his essays prescribed in your syllabus.
- 9. Critically appreciate Hazlitt's 'On Pedantry'.
- 10. Comment on the Emma-Knightly relationship in *Emma*.
- 11. Show how Scott intermingles the personal and the political in *The Heart of the Midlothian*.

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