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V Semester B.A. Degree (C.B.C.S.S. CHO.B.E. – Regular/Supplementary/
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(2019 to 2022 Admissions)
CORE COURSE IN ENGLISH

5B09ENG: Post Colonial Literatures in English

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 40

- I. Write an essay in 250 words on any one of the following: (1x8=8)
  - 1) What are the distinctive features of post colonial writings?
  - 2) Discuss the modes of decolonisation and its impact on the commonwealth.
- II. Write an essay in 250 words on any one of the following: (1×8=8)
  - 3) Analyse Wide Sargasso sea as a post colonial novel.
  - 4) Narrative techniques employed in Weep Not, Child.
- III. Answer any four of the following in about 100 words each. (4×4=16)
  - 5) Neo colonialism.
  - 6) Memory in The Clear Light of Day.
  - 7) The concept of reincarnation and transmigration in The Arrivants.
  - 8) Motifs of the Empire.
  - 9) Language as a tool of oppression.
  - 10) The scramble for Africa.
- IV. Answer any eight of the following in not more than two sentences: (8x1=8)
  - 11) In which year was Things Fall Apart published?
  - 12) Mention any two works by Salman Rushdie.
  - 13) Name two African writers who won the Nobel Prize for literature.
  - 14) Who wrote Sozaboy?

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- 15) What is hybridisation?
- 16) Name two historical figures that appear in The Arrivants.
- 17) Where is the first part of Wide Sargasso Sea set ?
- 18) Who is Mira Masi in Clear Light of Day?
- 19) What is Commonwealth Literature?
- 20) Which rebellion is featured in Weep Not, Child?

