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VI Semester B.A. Examination, July/August 2024

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OPTIONAL ENGLISH

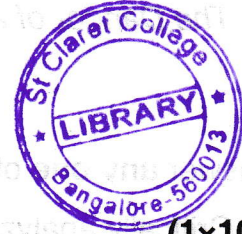
DSC A-12 : Postcolonial Studies

Time : 2½ Hours

Max. Marks : 60

Instructions : 1) Answer **all** the questions.

2) Write the **correct** question numbers.



SECTION – A

I. Answer **any one** of the following questions.

(1×10=10)

- 1) Explain the contemporary issues addressed under the purview of postcolonial literature.
- 2) Elaborate on the idea of 'White Man's Burden' as discussed by Kipling.

II. Answer **any two** of the following questions.

(2×5=10)

- 1) Explain the impact of the two World Wars on the Indian Economy as discussed by Shashi Tharoor.
- 2) Write a note on orientalism.
- 3) What is Decolonization ? Write a brief note with examples.

SECTION – B

III. Answer **any two** of the following questions.

(2×5=10)

- 1) Explain the motives behind the introduction of English literary education in British India as discussed by Gauri Vishwanathan.
- 2) Discuss the relationship between language and power.
- 3) Explain 'Cash Cow'.

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SECTION – C

IV. Answer **any two** of the following questions.

(2×5=10)

- 1) Discuss the loss of homeland in *Toba Tek Singh*.
- 2) Give reasons for Tharoor's emphasis on reparations for India.
- 3) Explain the relationship between power and stories with reference to *The Danger of a Single Story*.

SECTION – D

V. Answer **any one** of the following questions.

(1×10=10)

- 1) Critically analyze the characters of Salim Mirza and Sikander Mirza in *Garam Hawa*.
- 2) Elaborate on Abdul's reverence for Queen Victoria.

VI. Answer **any two** of the following questions.

(2×5=10)

- 1) Explain Racial Discrimination in *The Butler*.
 - 2) Write a brief note on Bertie.
 - 3) Discuss the theme of separation in *Garam Hawa*.
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