

B.A. Semester - 1 (CBCS) Examination

Oct/Nov-2025 (New Course)

ENGLISH: P1 BRITISH FICTION(ELECTIVE-1)

Time: 2:30 Hours

Marks: 70

Instructions:

1. All questions are compulsory.
 2. Figures to the right indicate marks.
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Que. 1 Write a detailed note on the characteristics of a Novel form. (14)

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Que. 1 Discuss the literary contribution of female novelists of the 19th century.

Que. 2 Evaluate the character sketch of Emma as presented in the novel. (14)

OR

Que. 2 Examine the themes of love, marriage, and social class in *Emma*.

Que. 3 Describe the major characteristics of the Victorian Age in English literature. (14)

OR

Que. 3 Explain how the novels of Victorian male writers reflect the social, moral, and economic conditions of their time.

Que. 4 Discuss the plot construction of the novel *A Christmas Carol*. (14)

OR

Que. 4 Justify the title of Charles Dickens' novel *A Christmas Carol*.

Que. 5 Write short notes. (Any Two) (14)

- 1) Jane Austen as a 19th-century female novelist
- 2) Character sketch of Mr. Knightley
- 3) Realism in Victorian fiction
- 4) Opening of *A Christmas Carol*
