

B.A. Semester - 1 (CBCS) Examination**Oct/Nov-2025 (New Course)****ENGLISH: P1 INDIAN WRITING IN ENGLISH: SHORT STORIES(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 down a detailed note on the development of short stories in English in (14)
India.

OR

Que. 1 Discuss the major characteristics of short story form in Indian English.

Que. 2 Discuss in detail the various themes adopted by Indian short story writers in (14)
English.

OR

Que. 2 Throw light on the different techniques of short stories adopted by the Indian
English writers.

Que. 3 Write down a detailed note on the life and works of Rabindranath Tagore. (14)

OR

Que. 3 Rabindranath Tagore as a pioneer of Indian English short stories-Discuss in
detail.

Que. 4 Write down a various theme of the 'Postmaster' by Rabindranath Tagore. (14)

OR

Que. 4 Explain in detail the character sketch of Cabuliwallah.

Que. 5 Write down any two short notes. (14)

- 1) Major short story writers in Indian English.
- 2) Tragic elements in Indian English short stories.
- 3) Phatik Chakravorti as a dissatisfied man in 'The Homecoming'.
- 4) Characters sketch of Kadambini.
