

2020

ENGLISH — GENERAL

Paper : LCC-1(2)

(Language, Imagination and Creativity)

Full Marks : 65

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

*Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words
as far as practicable.*

1. Identify the figures of speech (**any ten**) : 1×10
- (a) Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose made a fiery speech.
 - (b) Death lays his icy hands on kings.
 - (c) When I visited my friend, he offered me a cup.
 - (d) I wandered lonely as a cloud.
 - (e) Man proposes, God disposes.
 - (f) The boy in the hospital is in good hands.
 - (g) O wild west wind! Thou breath of Autumn's being.
 - (h) When President Abdul Kalam died, the whole town went to his funeral.
 - (i) Our sweetest songs are those that tell of saddest thought.
 - (j) He is the vulture of the state.
 - (k) This class is more intelligent than the last one.
 - (l) Her mother too, upon this occasion, felt pleasing distress.
2. Answer **any two** questions : 15×2
- (a) Poem 50 of Rabindranath Tagore's *Gitanjali* is an allegorical poem. Discuss.
 - (b) What image of the sea is presented in the different stanzas of Tennyson's poem, 'Break, Break, Break'?
 - (c) How does Wordsworth use the language of the common man in his poem, 'Three Years She Grew in Sun and Shower'?
3. Write a story on **any one** of the following outlines : 10×1
- (a) A wealthy businessman – on his 30th birthday sits alone – a thief enters – he gives the thief food, drinks and money – thanks him for his company – thief leaves – on his 60th birthday the businessman sits alone – he is now a poor man after his business collapsed – no food or drinks – bell rings – a man enters – the old thief – he comes with food, drinks and presents.
 - (b) It was a dark and cold night in December. I was walking down a moonlit path when ...

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4. Write a travelogue on **any one** of the following : 10×1
- (a) A day-trip to any historical place in West Bengal.
 - (b) A visit to the Himalayas.
5. Answer **any one** of the following : 5×1
- (a) You have started a new bakery. Create an advertisement highlighting some of your products.
 - (b) Write an advertisement about fitness products, promising amazing results.
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