4/H-1 (iv) Syllabus-2015

2025

(May-June)

ENGLISH

(Honours)

(Language and History of English Literature)

Marks : 75

Time: 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

SECTION—I

Answer any *four* from the following questions: $15 \times 4 = 60$

- 1. What is Chaucer's influence on English and English literature?
- What are the characteristics of Elizabethan drama? Discuss with special reference to any of William Shakespeare's works.
 7+8=15
- 3. Who are considered the four wheels of the English novel? Elaborate on the contribution of any one of them.

 5+10=15
- **4.** Discuss the Romantics' views on Nature with reference to any Romantic poet. 15

- What are the most common themes of the Victorian novel? Elaborate with reference to any one Victorian novelist.
- **6.** Why is the Modern Age called the Age of Anxiety and Interrogation?
- 7. Discuss the characteristics of modernist poetry with reference to any one of the poets.

 7+8=15
- **8.** What is the stream of consciousness technique? Discuss the contribution of Virginia Wolf to the development of the stream of consciousness novel. 5+10=15

SECTION-II

- **9.** Give the phonetic transcription of any *five* of the following: $1 \times 5 = 5$
 - (a) Motivate
 - (b) Imminent
 - (c) Errand
 - (d) Relic
 - (e) Usurp
 - (f) Barrel
 - (a) Pleasure
 - (h) Genre

- **10.** Define any *five* of the following terms with examples: $2 \times 5 = 10$
 - (a) Interlude
 - (b) Ode
 - (c) Poetic justice
 - (d) Simile
 - (e) Elegy
 - (f) Ballad
 - (g) Conceit
 - (h) Hyperbole
