



WEST BENGAL STATE UNIVERSITY
B.A. Honours/Programme 4th Semester Examination, 2022

ENGHGEC04T/ENGGCOR04T-ENGLISH (GE4/DSC4)

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 50

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

1. Answer any **two** questions in about 500 words each: 15×2 = 30

- (a) Comment on the use of symbolism and imagery in the poem 'The Road not taken'.

OR

- (b) How did the song of the 'solitary poet' impress the poet? Discuss.
- (c) What idea of Sir Roger's personality do you get from the essay 'Sir Roger at Home'?

OR

- (d) Can Lynd's 'Seaside' be called a reflective essay? Give reasons for your answer.
- (e) Appreciate 'The Tiger in the Tunnel' as a short story.

OR

- (f) Justify the title of the short story 'The Last Leaf'.

2. Answer any **ten** from the following questions: 2×10 = 20

- (a) How was Baldeo killed?
- (b) Why was Tembu proud of his father?
- (c) Explain the following lines:
"The music in my heart I bore
Long after it was heard no more".
- (d) What does Lynd comment on the butterflies?
- (e) Who was Behrman?
- (f) Comment on the relationship between Johnsy and Sue.
- (g) How did Sir Roger treat the servants of his house?
- (h) What is the meaning of 'melancholy strain'?
- (i) Name the games mentioned by Lynd in 'Seaside'.
- (j) What season does the expression 'Yellow wood' suggest?

- (k) Why did Frost select one of the two roads? Answer with reference to 'The Road not taken'.
- (l) What do you understand by the expression 'farthest Hebrides'?
- (m) What role did Sir Roger play as a host?
- (n) What weapon did Baldeo carry with him?
- (o) What were the sauveteurs doing on sea beach?

N.B. : *Students have to complete submission of their Answer Scripts through E-mail / Whatsapp to their own respective colleges on the same day / date of examination within 1 hour after end of exam. University / College authorities will not be held responsible for wrong submission (at in proper address). Students are strongly advised not to submit multiple copies of the same answer script.*

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