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# BHARATA MATA COLLEGE, THRIKKAKARA FIRST INTERNAL EXAMINATION JANUARY 2020 M.A. English Language Literature, Semester - 2

# **POSTMODERNISM AND BEYOND**

TIME: 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>Hrs Max. Weight: 15

### Section A

Answer any 4 Questions Each question carries 1 weight

- 1. Intertextuality
- 2. How does the setting of the poem "The Day Lady Died" contribute to the tone and elegiac nature of the poem?
- 3. Corruption of upper class in the poem "National Trust"
- 4. Modernism vs. Postmodernism
- 5. What do the private asylum for female criminals in the novel structurally symbolises?

(4 X1 = 4)

### **Section B**

Answer any 3 Questions Each question carries 2 weight

- 6. How does the theme of loss, memory and modern life depicted in the poem "The Day Lady Died"
- 7. Examine Nights at the Circus in a Post-feminist light?
- 8. How does Carter presents the problems and pleasure of the female body as spectacle?
- 9. The poem "National Trust" is the poet's embodiment of his frustrations at the British social- class system. Explain

(3X2 = 6)

## **Section C**

Answer any 1 Question Each question carries 5 weight

- 10. Nights at the Circus as a postmodern novel
- 11. "The Day Lady Died" as a postmodern poem

(1X 5 = 5)

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