

Time : 2 hrs

CODE - XYLAN

Mark : 50

- N.B. :**
- 1) All questions are compulsory
  - 2) Figures to the right indicate marks.

**Q.1** Comment on the theme of patriotism, nationalism and spiritualism with context to Tagore, Aurobindo and Sarojini Naidu's poetry. 20

OR

**Q.1** What are the problems of Indian writer in English.

OR

**Q.1** Write short notes on any Two of the following.

- a) Indianness in Indian writing
- b) Women poets of 20<sup>th</sup> cen. Pre-Independence poetry.
- c) Patriotism in Tagore's works.

**Q.2** Write a note on Plot - construction in the novel, 'The Binding Vine' 15

OR

**Q.2** Comment on the theme of the novel, 'The Binding Vine'

OR

**Q.2** Write short notes on any Two of the following.

- a) The character of Vandana
- b) Kalpana's tragedy
- c) The title of the novel 'The Binding Vine'.

**Q.3** Comment on Eunice de souza's poetry which you have studied.

OR

**Q.3** Comment on Vikram seth's poetry which you have studied.

OR

**Q.3** Write short notes on any Two of the following 15

- a) 'Soon' a poem by Vikram Seth
- b) Eunice de Souza as a woman poet
- c) Theme of 'Golden Gate'

