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Unique Paper Code : 12037610

Name of the Paper : DSE Partition Literature

Name of the Course : BA (H) English LOCF

Semester : VI

Duration: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 75

Instructions for Candidates

1. Write your Roll No. on the top immediately on receipt of this question paper.

2. Answer both parts.

Part A

Attempt any three. All questions carry 10 marks (10×3=30)

- 1. Write a critical note on Sabirah.
- 2. Elaborate on the setting of the novel Arjun.
- 3. In Border Stories, the characters who inhabit the borderland both make and unmake the division. Discuss.

- Write a note on Lahore as depicted in Taunsvi's memoir.
- 5. Discuss Ritu Menon and Kamla Bhasin's essay in the context of a gendered history of the Partition.

Part B

Attempt any three. All questions carry 15 marks $(15\times3=45)$

- 6. How does language reflect the cultural and social tensions present in the narrative of *Basti?*.
- 7. Explain Gangopadhyay's use of mythology in *Arjun* as a postmodern experiment.
- 8. Short stories on the Partition use a form of narrative that try to capture the trauma of the event. Elaborate with reference to any two stories in your course.
- 9. Discuss Kaloi Bibi's contribution to the Nankar rebellion.
- 10. Comment on Urvashi Butalia's idea of the silences in our Partition's history.