

CLASS: M.A. ENGLISH LIT.

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St. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) TIRUCHIRAPPALLI – 620 002

SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS – APRIL 2015

TIME: 3 Hrs.

MAXIMUM MARKS: 100

SEM	SET	PAPER CODE	TITLE OF THE PAPER
IV	2013	12PEN4112	POST-MODERN FICTION

SECTION – A

Answer any TEN questions in about one or two sentences

each:

10 x 2 = 20

1. What is Pataphysics?
2. Define Metaphor.
3. How do you understand 'Interpretation'?
4. Explain 'Permutation' of elements in a novel.
5. What is 'Indeterminacy'?
6. Define 'Black Humor'.
7. What is EST in *One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest*?
8. What does Nurse Ratched represent?
9. Who is Bromden in *One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest*?
10. Who was the founder of Macondo?
11. Name the child who was born with a pig's tail in *One Hundred Years of Solitude*.
12. Who was the gypsy leader in *One Hundred Years of Solitude*?
13. Who is Sarah Woodruff?
14. How is *French Lieutenant's Woman* concluded?
15. What is the setting of *French Lieutenant's Woman*?

SECTION – B

Answer all the questions:

5 x 8 = 40

16. a. Explain the basic principles of Dadaism.

OR

b. Differentiate Hypotaxis from Parataxis.

17. a. How do you understand 'Pastiche'? Explain it with an example.

OR

b. Delineate the key tenets of Deconstruction.

18. a. Analyze the Biblical imageries in *One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest*.

OR

b. Give a character sketch of McMurphy in *One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest*.

19. a. Sketch the character of Jose Arcadia Buendia.

OR

b. Give the act of incest and its consequence with reference to *One Hundred Years of Solitude*.

20. a. Write a note on the style and structure of *French Lieutenant's Woman*.

OR

b. Write a paragraph on the 'loss of faith in authority' in *French Lieutenant's Woman*.

SECTION – C

Answer all the questions in about 500 words each:

2 x 20 = 40

21. a. Define and delineate 'Metanarrative' with illustrations.

OR

- b. Establish *One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest* as a text of rebellion.
22. a. Attempt a critical appraisal of the magic-realistic elements in *One Hundred Years of Solitude*.

OR

- b. Analyze the major themes in *French Lieutenant's Woman*.
