

## M.A (ENGLISH) Semester - 3 (CBCS) Examination

Oct/Nov-2022 (NEW COURSE)

## Indian English Literature- Post 1980s (Elective-5 (New))

Time: 2:30 Hours

Marks: 70

## Instructions:

1. All questions are compulsory.
2. Figures to the right indicate marks.

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Q.1 Discuss in detail magical realism and post-colonial elements in *Midnight's Children*. (14)

OR

Q.1 Discuss in detail all the important themes of *Midnight's Children* by Salman Rushdie.

Q.2 Explain how the relationship between Ashoke, Ashima, and Gogol develops throughout the novel *The Namesake*. (14)

OR

Q.2 Discuss in detail the feelings of alienations and search for self –identity and sense of loss as depicted in *The Namesake* by Jhumpa Lahiri.

Q.3 What is the importance of Rajkumar's character in Amitav Ghosh's novel *The Glass Palace*? (14)

OR

Q.3 Evaluate the relationship between *Feminine Domesticity* and *Empire* with Special Reference to all the female characters depicted by Amitav Ghos in His Novel *The Glass Palace*.

Q.4 Discuss in detail the clashes of culture, search for Identity, and sense of loss as the central themes of Chitra Divakaruni's short stories. (14)

OR

Q.4 Evaluate the portrait of women as a powerful force in Chitra Divakaruni's short stories.

Q.5 Write short note (Any Two) (14)

1. Shiva
2. Sumita From *Clothes*
3. *Gogol*.
4. Character of Dolly

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