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**M. A. English 4th Semester
CBCS Scheme (w.e.f. May-2023)
Examination – November, 2023**

POST COLONIAL STUDIES-II

Paper : 22ENG24D7/D12/22ENG510C9

Time : Three hours]

[Maximum Marks : 80

Before answering the questions, candidates should ensure that they have been supplied the correct and complete question paper. No complaint in this regard, will be entertained after examination.

Note : Attempt *five* questions in all. In Questions 2 to 9, attempt *one* question from each Unit. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Write short notes on any *two* in about 150 words each from Part (I) and (II) out of the given four from each part.

Part -I

- (a) Paigham Afaqui
- (b) Zaddie Smith
- (c) Wole Soyinka
- (d) Derek Walcott

Part – II

- (a) Benedict Anderson Imagined Communities
- (b) Kamau Braithwaite The History of Voice
- (c) Leela Gandhi Postcolonial Theory
- (d) Bill Ashcroft The Empire writes Back

UNIT – I

- 2. "Benang deals with the theme of forced acculturation". Discuss.
- 3. Write an essay on the role of minor characters in Benang.

UNIT – II

- 4. Discuss the plot structure of *Children of our Alley*.
- 5. Discuss various thematic patterns as evolved in *Children of our Alley*.

UNIT – III

- 6. Discuss the effect of the Biafra War on the characters of Olana, Ugwu and Richard in *Half of a Yellow Sun*.
- 7. Discuss the art of narration as employed in *Half of a Yellow Sun*.

UNIT – IV

8. Discuss the art of characterisation as employed by Atwood in *Surfacing*.
 9. Write an essay on the use of imagery and symbols in *Surfacing*.
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