

Seat No. : _____

XB-101

T.Y.B.A.

March-2013

ENGLISH (Paper-VIII)

(Forms of Literature)

Time : 3 Hours]

[Max. Marks : 70

Instruction : All Questions carry equal marks.

1. (A) Write a detailed note on the origins of the novel form.
OR
(B) Discuss some of the salient features of the novel form.
OR
(C) Evaluate the development of the novel form from Henry Fielding to the present.
2. (A) What are some of the characteristics of tragedy ?
OR
(B) Comment in detail on Aristotle's prescriptions for tragedy.
OR
(C) Outline the history of the tragedy form.
3. (A) "Death of a Salesman is a sharp comment on the American Dream." Comment.
OR
(B) Analyse Death of a Salesman as a modern tragedy.
OR
(C) Discuss the dramatic techniques Miller uses in Death of a Salesman.
4. (A) Comment on the Lord of the Flies as an exploration of the nature of evil.
OR
(B) "Golding deconstructs all our illusions about the essence of childhood." Discuss with reference to The Lord of the Flies.
OR
(C) Write a detailed note on forms of leadership and power in The Lord of the Flies.
5. Write any **two** short notes :
 - (1) The death of Piggy
 - (2) Biff
 - (3) The psychological novel
 - (4) Ralph's thoughts about thinking.