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(SLM Scheme) (CBCS)
ENGLISH (Course - IV)
HC-2.4: Modern Indian Poetry in English

Time : 3 Hours **Max. Marks : 80**

SECTION - A

Answer any four of the following: **[4 × 5 = 20]**

Q1) The Mother in "The Night of the Scorpion".

Q2) Chief Characteristics of Modern Indian Poetry in English.

Q3) Ecological Concerns in "On Killing a Tree".

Q4) Status of women in "Indian Women".

Q5) Imagery in "My Grandmother's House".

Q6) Chintamani Christian grandmother in Jayanta Mahapatra's poem.

SECTION - B

Answer any three of the following: **[3 × 10 = 30]**

Q7) "Night of the Scorpion" captures the conflict between tradition and rationality". Elucidate.

Q8) Attempt a critical appreciation of Kamala Das' "Punishment in Kindergarten".

Q9) "A.K. Ramanujan's "River" portrays the spirituality and -passage of time". Discuss.

Q10) Bring out the plight of the elderly in "An Old Woman".

SECTION - C

Answer any three of the following: **[3 × 10 = 30]**

Q11) 'Jayant Mahapatra's 'Freedom' captures the plight of the marginalized'. Discuss.

Q12) How does Shiv K. Kumar's "Pilgrimage" critique the loss of faith and the raise of scepticism in contemporary India?

Q13) Consider Adil Jussawalla's "Sea Breeze Bombay" as a poem on partition.

Q14) Bring out the significance of the title "The Year of the Dragon"

