PRABHAT KUMAR COLLEGE, CONTAI Department of English Periodical Test for Internal Assessment : 2019-20

- Mention all details at the top of the answersheet in the format already provided.
- Word Limit for answers : 250 300 words.
- Write the answers of different courses in different scripts.
- Make separate PDF files for different courses (Do not merge/combine files of different courses).
- Attach the files of all courses in one E-mail and send it to englishdept.pkc@gmail.com.

Class : ENGLISH (Hons.) : SEMESTER -IV COURSE – CC-8

1. Attempt any one of the following:-

- a) What is an Epic? Point out the characteristic features of an Epic.
- b) Briefly narrate, following Ovid, the cause of Teiresias' blindness.
- c) Attempt a brief study of Ovid's style in Metamorphoses.
- d) How does Oedipus exemplify the qualities of a Sophoclean hero in Oedipus the King?
- e) Describe the role and importance of the Chorus in *Oedipus the King*.

COURSE – CC-9

1. Attempt any one of the following:-

- a) Comment on the significance of the title of Ibsen's play, Ghosts.
- b) Who is 'Godot'? Comment on the various implications of the word.
- c) Briefly illustrate the post-War realism as reflected in Beckett's Waiting for Godot.
- d) Who are Shui Ta and Shen Te? Briefly analyze their roles in the play.
- e) What social dilemma does Brecht deal with in his The Good Person of Szechwan?

<u>COURSE – CC-10</u>

1. <u>Attempt any one of the following:-</u>

- a) What does Alice discover on the other side of the mirror? Answer with reference to Chapter 1 of *Through the Looking Glass*.
- b) Consider Dr. Shepherd as an unreliable narrator.
- c) Bring out the symbolic significance of Mah Jong.
- d) To what fictional genre does Shyam Selvadurai's *Funny Boy* belong? Attempt a brief survey of the setting and background of the novel?
- e) Give a brief analysis of the first story " Pigs can't Fly " in *Funny Boy*.

COURSE - SEC-2

1. <u>Attempt any one of the following:-</u>

- a) What do you mean by Business Communication? Point out the features of Business Communication.
- b) What are the elements of Business Communication? Describe the barriers of communications.
- c) Describe different types of business cummunication theories.
- d) What do you mean by E-Correspondence? What are the features of E-mail? Describe the advantages and disadvantages od E-mail.
- e) Write a report on an Amphaan affected Area in your district.
