



**MBF-1601070201010100** Seat No. \_\_\_\_\_

**B. A. (Sem. I) (CBCS) Examination**

**November / December – 2016**

**English : CCE - 01**

*(The Short Story) (Optional - I) (New Course)*

Time :  $2\frac{1}{2}$  Hours]

[Total Marks : **70**

**Instructions :**

- (1) Attempt all questions.
- (2) Figures to the right indicate marks.

1 Define the short story and discuss the various elements 14 of it.

OR

1 Write a detailed note on the importance of plot in the 14 short story.

2 Discuss the various types of the short story. 14

OR

2 "The short story is not a novel cut down". Discuss. 14

3 Give a critical account of "A work of Art". 14

OR

3 Discuss the theme of Greed for wealth as revealed 14 in the story "How Much Land Does a Man Need".

4 Discuss the narrative skills employed by the writer in 14 "One Ant and the Grasshopper".

OR

4 Compare and contrast the characters of George and Tom. 14

5 (a) Write a short note : (any two) 14

(1) The ending of “The Diamond Necklace”.

(2) Jim and Della’s love.

(b) Write a short note : (any one)

(1) Reasons for the popularity of the short story in the Modern Age.

(2) Characterization in a short story.

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