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B. A. (Sem. I) (CBCS) (W.E.F.-2016) Examination

March – 2021

English (Core) : CCE-1

(Literary Form : Short Story)

(Old Course)

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

[Total Marks : 70

Instructions :

- (1) All questions carry equal marks.
- (2) Answer any five of the following questions.
- (3) Figures to the right indicate marks.

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| 1 | Define short story and discuss its main characteristics. | 14 |
| 2 | Discuss the similarities and differences between the short story and the novel. | 14 |
| 3 | Write a note on the various types of short story. | 14 |
| 4 | Discuss the importance of characterization in the short Story. | 14 |
| 5 | Comment on the title of the story 'The Open Window'. | 14 |
| 6 | Discuss Summerset Maugham's philosophy of life as presented in his story 'The Ant and the Grasshopper'. | 14 |
| 7 | Critically evaluate the story 'The Gift of the Magi'. | 14 |

- 8 Comment on the central idea of the story 'How Much Land Does A Man Need ?' 14
- 9 Write short notes : 14
- (1) Plot construction in short story
 - (2) 'Setting' in short story.
- 10 Write short notes : 14
- (1) The central idea of 'Living or Dead'
 - (2) Monsteur Loisel.
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