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Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 80

Instructions to Private candidates only: This question paper contains two sections. Answer SECTION I questions in the answer-book provided. SECTION II, Internal examination questions must be answered in the question paper itself. Follow the detailed instructions given under SECTION II

Part A

Answer any ten questions.

Each question carries 2 marks.

- 1. What would the boy do if he were with Santiago?
- 2. Describe the dying moments of the shark.
- 3. What are the choices before the fish and the old man?
- 4. What, according to the old man, must have caused the hurt?
- 5. Describe the way the dead bodies of the two friends are treated.
- 6. How does the author bring out the gray mindset of Della?
- 7. What present does Della find for Jim?
- 8. Why does the absence of his wife make Rahim Khan angrier?
- 9. What does the lady tell the knight?
- 10. What does the narrator in "After Apple Picking" see in his dream?
- 11. What has happened to the love the poet received in the past, in the poem "My Grandmother's House"?
- 12. Explain the use of the imagery of horizons coming over the jaguar's cage.



Part B

Answer any **six** questions. Each question carries **5** marks.

- 13. What is the attitude of the fishermen gathered at the Terrace towards Santiago?
- 14. Describe the morning scene when the old man bids goodbye to the boy.
- 15. What is Santiago's realisation when the fish is completely eaten away?
- 16. Discuss in detail the conversations of the two friends on politics and war.
- 17. What prompts Vicky to move out of his town?
- 18. How does Vicky stamp a victory over the savage tiger?
- 19. Comment on the heart-rending sights at the refugee camp.
- 20. How is sadness signified in the poem "Tonight I can Write the Saddest Lines"?
- 21. Discuss the key aspects of art and romance in the poem "How Simple !".

 $(6 \times 5 = 30)$

Part C

Answer any **two** questions.

Each question carries **15** marks.

- 22. Summarise the way in which Santiago catches the marlin and what happens afterwards.
- 23. What are Santiago's thoughts during the journey with the fish?
- 24. The four sparrows were Rahim Khan's only friends in the world. Discuss.
- 25. How does Walter Scott sketch the heroic act of Lochinvar against the backdrop of medieval Scottish culture and landscape?

 $(2 \times 15 = 30)$