

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

B.A. Honours 5th Semester Examination, 2020

## CC11-ENGLISH

## WOMEN'S WRITING

Full Marks: 60

## ASSIGNMENT

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

- 1. Answer any *one* question from the following (700-750 Words):  $20 \times 1 = 20$ 
  - (a) What picture of daddy do you get in Sylvia Plath's 'Daddy'?
  - (b) Assess 'Advice to Women' as a representative poem of Eunice De Souza.
  - (c) Assess Dickinson as a confessional poet with reference to her poems on your syllabus.
- 2. Answer any *one* question from the following (700-750 Words):  $20 \times 1 = 20$ 
  - (a) How does Alice Walker address the issues related to racism and gender in *The Color Purple*?
  - (b) Examine *The Color Purple* as an epistolary novel.
- 3. Answer any *one* question from the following (700-750 Words):  $20 \times 1 = 20$ 
  - (a) Analyze the significance of the Pear tree in *Bliss*.
  - (b) Would you consider *Draupadi* as a tale of exploitation? Elaborate.
  - (c) How does Rasasundari Debi depict the plight of the women in 'Amar Jibon'?
  - (d) Do you think that Mary Wollstonecraft has obliquely referred to the reasons why women are subjugated, in the first chapter of *A Vindication of the Rights of Woman*? Explain.

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