

### UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

B.A. Honours 6th Semester Examination, 2021

# **CC14-ENGLISH**

## POSTCOLONIAL LITERATURES

Full Marks: 60

## **ASSIGNMENT**

The questions are of equal value. The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

# Answer any *three* questions (700-750 words each), taking at least *one* from each group

 $20 \times 3 = 60$ 

#### **GROUP-A**

- 1. How far does Okonkwo measure up to your idea of a tragic hero? Argue your answer with suitable examples from the text.
- 2. Comment on Achebe's portrayal of the Igbo society in *Things Fall Apart*.

#### **GROUP-B**

- 3. Comment on Neruda's treatment of love and nostalgia in 'Tonight I Can Write'.
- 4. Examine the plight of the women of Ghana as portrayed in Aidoo's 'The Girl Who Can'.
- 5. Bring out the significance of the 'Castration Episode' in Bessie Head's 'The Collector of Treasures'.
- 6. Show how Mamang Dai engages with the people, places and politics of North-East India with reference to the poems on your syllabus.

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