Time: Three hours

Maximum: 75 marks

SECTION A —  $(10 \times 1 = 10)$  marks)

Answer any TEN of the following in about 50 words each.

- 1. Define Stream of Consciousness.
- 2. What do you mean by the expression 'internal conflict' in a character?
- 3. What are the similarities between the natives and pilgrims in *Heart of Darkness*?
- 4. What effect does introducing the idea that Kurtz has a fiancée create at the end of the novel?
- 5. What does the doctor advice Aunt Reed about Jane?
- 6. What does Jane do with the inheritance she receives from her uncle John Eyre?
- 7. What two major life choices govern the narrative of *Middlemarch*?
- 8. Describe Mr. Morel's alcohol problem.

- 9. Why does Septimus go to the doctor?
- 10. What does Lady Bradshaw tell Clarissa at the Dalloways' party?
- 11. What made Stephen travel to Cork with his father?
- 12. How does Stephen react to Father Arnall's sermons?

SECTION B —  $(5 \times 5 = 25 \text{ marks})$ 

Answer any FIVE of the following in about 200 words each.

- 13. Discuss the characteristic traits of realism.
- 14. Comment on the importance of the Congo River in the narrative of *Heart of Darkness*.
- 15. How do Jane's feelings for Rochester develop and change over time?
- 16. How does *Middlemarch* represent the rise of the middle class?
- 17. Comment on the autobiographical elements in Sons and Lovers.
- 18. In what way are Peter Walsh and Sally Seton similar?
- 19. What did Joyce mean by the term "epiphany"?

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## SECTION C — $(4 \times 10 = 40 \text{ marks})$

Answer any FOUR of the following in about 500 words each.

- 20. Bring out fully the impact of French Revolution on English writers.
- 21. Why does *Heart of Darkness* have two competing heroes? Make the case for either Marlow or Kurtz as the true "hero" of the book.
- 22. Consider Jane Eyre a feminist novel.
- 23. Justify the appropriateness of the title Sons and Lovers.
- 24. How powerful is *Mrs. Dalloway* as a work of social criticism?
- 25. Discuss the importance of 'epiphany' in Stephen's development as an artist.