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**MASTER'S DEGREE PROGRAMME IN  
ENGLISH (MEG)**

**Term-End Examination**

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**MEG-09 : AUSTRALIAN LITERATURE**

*Time : 3 Hours*

*Maximum Marks : 100*

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*Note : Answer any five questions. All questions  
carry equal marks.*

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1. Would you agree that multiculturalism has shaped contemporary Australian literature ?  
Give a reasoned answer. 20
  
2. Discuss Paterson's contribution to the growth of Australian poetry. 20
  
3. Examine the concept of the Bush, and Bush life from your readings of Lawson and Baynton. 20
  
4. How does Kath Walker's poem *We are Going*, critique modern Australia ? 20

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5. **Voss** is a complex novel with several layers of meaning. Discuss. 20
6. Comment on the social context of Les Murray's poems. 20
7. Discuss the multiple themes in *Remembering Babylon*. 20
8. Examine **The Removalists** as a portrayal of Australian society of the times. 20