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**BEGE-108**

**BACHELOR'S DEGREE PROGRAMME  
(B. D. P.)**

**Term-End Examination**

**June, 2023**

**ELECTIVE COURSE : ENGLISH  
BEGE-108 : READING THE NOVEL**

*Time : 3 Hours*

*Maximum Marks : 100*

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

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1. Write short notes on any **two** of the following :

10×2=20

- (a) Defining the English Novel
- (b) Characterisation
- (c) Plot and Story
- (d) Bildungsroman

2. Bring out the sociological aspects of the novel

*A Tale of Two Cities.* 20

3. To what extent does the title *Things Fall Apart* anticipate the tragedy of the oppressed ? 20

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4. Discuss any *two* historical situations that shape and take forward Hosain's *Sunlight on a Broken Column*. 20
5. Mohanty's *Paraja* throws light on some distinctive features of tribal life. Write about some of those features. 20
6. Write briefly on the contribution of any *two* Indian English women novelists. 20
7. *The Awakening* explores the hidden emotions of characters. Discuss with reference to any *one* character. 20
8. Discuss the conditions that may be attributed to the rise of the English Novel. 20