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MFC–009

**M. A. IN FOLKLORE AND CULTURAL
STUDIES (MAFCS)**

Term-End Examination

June, 2024

MFC-009 : APPROACHES TO FOLKLORE

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : *Answer any five questions. All questions carry equal marks. Question No. 1 is compulsory.*

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

2×10=20

- (a) Functionalism
- (b) Feminist, queer and disability approaches to folklore
- (c) Urban folklore
- (d) Folklore and gender

2. Explain the function Propp discussed in his work 'Morphology of the Folktale'. 20

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3. Elucidate Oedipus complex and its significance in folk literature. 20
4. 'Folklores may serve as carriers of tradition, especially in the urban contexts.' Discuss. 20
5. Discuss the typology of material culture and its classification. 20
6. Describe contemporaneity of folk poetics. Write your answer with reference of any *two* texts from your course. 20
7. Epic narratives are strongly linked to memories. Elucidate. 20