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I Semester Integrated M.Sc. Degree (Reg./Supple./Imp.)
Examination, October 2024
(2020 Admission Onwards)

I Semester (B.A./B.Sc./B.Com./B.B.A./B.B.A.(R.T.M./T.T.M.)/B.T.T.M./
B.C.A./B.S.W./B.Sc. (LRP) Degree (C.B.C.S.S. – O.B.E. – Supplementary/
Improvement) Examination, November 2024

(2019 to 2023 Admission)
COMMON COURSE IN ENGLISH
1A02ENG-Readings on Kerala

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 40

- 1. Write an essay (250 250 words) on any one of the following questions: (1×8=8)
 - 1.1) The story behind the beginning of pilgrimage to Sivagiri.
 - 1.2) How does Eri questions the mainstream notions of scholarship and knowledge?
- 2. Write an essay (250 250 words) on any one of the following questions. (1×8=8)
 - 2.1) 'About my Race: A Song' as a study of Dalit life in Kerala.
 - 2.2) Edasseri's Kuttipuram Bridge as a critique on urbanization.
- 3. Write paragraph length answers on any two of the following (80 100 words).

 $(2 \times 4 = 8)$

- 3.1) Explain Sahodaran Ayyappan's coinage "Caste Disease".
- 3.2) What was the experience narrated by Raghava Pisharodi regarding his nephew?
- 3.3) What is Kelu's attitude towards Pakkanar?
- Write paragraph length answers on any two of the following (80 100 words).
 (2×4=8)
 - 4.1) What is the nature of histories according to Poykayil Appachan?
 - 4.2) Discuss the various impediments Aysha faced in her career as an actress.
 - 4.3) Describe the commencement of Vaikkom Satyagraha.

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- 5. Write short answers (one or two sentences) on four of the following: (4×1=4)
 - 5.1) Why did Eri decline the proposal of Antharjanm?
 - 5.2) In which year did the first pilgrimage to Sivagiri took place?
 - 5.3) What does the word 'dogma' mean?
 - 5.4) Describe the mode of teaching practiced by the Ezhuthassanmar.
- 6. Write short answers (one or two sentences) on any four of the following: (4×1=4)
 - 6.1) Since when did the spirit of social reform manifest in Kerala?
 - 6.2) Yesudas nearly had to drop out of music college. Why?
 - 6.3) How did Ayisha lose her hearing ability?
 - 6.4) Who according to the Poykayil Appachan are the earliest occupants of Keralam ?
 - 6.5) Who were the narrator's playmate from the time of his birth in the poem The Kuttipuam Bridge?

