

## End-sem format

Exam will have four sections.

### I.

10 Fill in the blanks (like in Quiz 2)

10 X 0.5=5 marks

### II.

5 short questions (like in Quiz 2)

5X 2=10 marks

### III

3X paragraph answers (like in Quiz 2)

3X5=15 marks

### IV

1 X page-long answer

10 marks

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For Sections I and II, questions will address basic familiarity with texts, information surrounding the texts included in lectures notes and power-points shared with you, as well as interpretive answers.

In Sections II, leaning more among others, expect short questions directed to specific quotes:

For example:

Gordimer writes, ““The house that surrounds me while I sleep is built on undermined ground; far beneath my bed, the floor, the house's foundations, the stopes and passages of gold mines have hollowed the rock, and when some face trembles, detaches and falls....” Comment on the significance of underlined word. (2).

Note that spellings carry marks for sections I and II specifically for key-words in your answers and more generally in III and IV (while we are at it, be sure to know the difference between outcast and outcaste and when to use which).

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## What's on the end-sem (updated)

1. All texts listed in the course-outline that appears at the beginning of the course-binder (and included in the binder) except the poem on the last page and "The Dog of Tetwal." There will be a bit of additional emphasis on texts not included in Quiz 2, but question paper will cover everything done after the mid-sem.
2. Pay attention to the binder itself, to titles of texts, authors, years of publication, how texts are arranged in modules, quotes inserted between texts.
3. Skills you should have learnt from the first half, though not the texts that Prof. Shastri taught.

4. My lecture notes, prompts, ppts posted in your course Moodle (you have to sign-in and check for the posts; most have not been emailed to you individually). Any document I have sent as attachments in Announcement section. Look at these in addition to your class notes.
5. The document that is titled "Quiz and end-sem: tips and guidelines." Attention to these guidelines will be rewarded.
6. Any feedback you received via comments and marks: certainly Quiz 2, which was a rehearsal for the end-sem exam, but also Quiz 1 and Mid-sem scripts.