2021

ENGLISH — GENERAL

Paper: SEC-B-2

(Creative Writing)

Full Marks: 80

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

1. Answer any two of the following questions:

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- (a) What is the importance of creative writing in development of personality and identity?
- (b) How does reading shape the individual writer and why is reading important for writing?
- (c) How do writers find and develop ideas?
- (d) What are the seven processes of creative writing?
- 2. Answer briefly any two of the following questions:

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- (a) What is Free Writing?
- (b) Comment on the role of language in creative writing.
- (c) What is the role of influence and imitation in creative writing?
- (d) Consider the role of effacement in creative writing.
- **3.** Answer *any three* of the following questions :

 10×3

- (a) Keeping in mind structure, form, plot, scene, character, setting and time compose an original short story.
- (b) Briefly write a note on creative writing and the publishing industry.
- (c) Who are known as 'The saints of the small press'?
- (d) What are the habits of mind and principles of practice a creative writer needs to keep in mind while writing?
- (e) What are the salient features one needs to keep in mind while writing poetry?