

Paper IV : INDIAN WRITING IN ENGLISH

MM 100 MARKS

The Pattern of question paper will be as follows :

Section – A : Ten very short type questions – Two from each Unit (20 marks)

Section–B: Explanations of given passages from all prescribed poems (Five out of them in 250 words), two from each unit. (50 Marks)

Section – C : Two full length analytical questions (Two out of five questions.) (30 Marks)

Unit A

R.K.Narayan : *Man Eater of Malgudi*
Anita Desai : *Cry the Peacock*

Unit B

Vikram Seth : *A Suitable Boy*
Arundhati Roy : *God of Small Things*

Unit C

The following poems from R. Parthasarthy's: *Ten Twentieth Century Indian Poets*

Nissim Ezekiel (1) Poet, Lover, Bird Watcher
(2) Good bye Party for Miss Pushpa T.S.

Kamala Das (1) **The Dance of Eunuchs**
(2) The Invitation

Dalit Poetry (1) Arjun Dangle: I will belong to it.
(2) Waman Nimbalkar: Mothe (3) Namdev Dhasal: Hunger
(4) Meena Gayavhiye: Light Melted in Darkness

R. Parthasarthy : (1) From Exile
(2) From Homecoming

A.K. Ramanujan : (1) A River (2) Obituary

Unit D

Manjula Padmanabhan : *The Harvest*
Mahesh Dattani : *Final Solutions*

Section E

Aijaz Ahmad : 'Indian Literature': Notes Towards the Definition of a Category
Partha Chatterjee : Chapter I – Whose Imagined Community and Chapter IV: Nation and its Past
(From *The Nation and its Fragments*)