

**2020**

**ENGLISH — GENERAL**

**Paper : DSE-A-1**

**(British Literature)**

**Full Marks : 65**

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.*

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

**Day 1**

**Group - A**

1. (a) Examine Wordsworth's philosophy as communicated in his poem 'Tintern Abbey'. 15

*Or,*

- (b) Discuss 'Ode to a Nightingale' as a representative Romantic poem. 15

**Group - B**

2. (a) What aspects of the Victorian Age do you find in Tennyson's 'Ulysses'? 15

*Or,*

- (b) Examine the significance of the title of 'The Second Coming' by W. B. Yeats. 15

**Group - C**

3. (a) Write a note on the character of Banquo in *Macbeth*. 15

*Or,*

- (b) Analyse the significance of the Sleep-walking Scene (Act V, scene i) in *Macbeth*. 15

**Group - D**

4. (a) Analyse *The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde* as a novel dealing with the victory of good over evil. 15

*Or,*

- (b) Examine the appropriateness of the title of the novel, *The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde*. 15

**Please Turn Over**

**Group - E**

5. Answer the following questions :

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- (a) What is an abbey?
  - (b) Name a water-body mentioned in 'Ode to the West Wind'.
  - (c) Who was Sophocles mentioned by Arnold in the poem, 'Dover Beach'?
  - (d) How much money does Richard Enfield force Edward Hyde to pay for having trampled a young girl?
  - (e) What was the third prophecy of the witches meant for Macbeth?
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