

M.A. Semester-II
Assignment
Subject: English
Core Paper (Compulsory)
PAPER-202
Total Marks: 25

GROUP-A

Answer *any one* of the following questions: (1200 words)

[15 Marks]

- 1) Critically analyse Dorothea's relationship with Casaubon as depicted in *Middlemarch*.
- 2) Hardy's novel, *Tess of the d'Urbervilles* is subtitled as, 'A Pure Woman'. Do you think it is appropriate? Critically explain your answer.

GROUP-B

Answer *any one* of the following questions: (700 words)

[10 Marks]

- 1) Comment on the appropriateness of the names of the two houses, 'Wuthering Heights' and 'Thrushcross Grange' as used in *Wuthering Heights*.
- 2) Comment on the setting of *Tess of the d'Urbervilles*.