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PAPER C 5

Answer **all** questions.

1. How will you prove that “The Portrait of A Lady” deals with the theme of human isolation? 15

OR

How are women and their situations portrayed in the novel “The Portrait of A Lady”? Does Henry James take a critical stance towards the opportunities provided to them?

1. How does the novel “Sons and Lovers” deal with the theory of Oedipus Complex? 15

OR

What are the elements of Freudian psychoanalysis in “Sons and Lovers”?

1. Discuss the themes of the novel “To the Lighthouse”.

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OR

What is the significance of Virginia Woolf’s varying depictions of time in “To the Lighthouse”? When and how do these depictions change?

1. Describe Lolita and other women as victims in the novel “Lolita” by Vladimir Nobokov. 15

OR

Write about the themes of the novel “Lolita”.

1. Answer any **one** of the following : 10
2. Explain Sigmund Freud’s psychoanalytical theory of Oedipus Complex with reference to any work of 20th century English literature.
3. Explain symbolism and the purpose of symbolism in English literature.
4. What are the main features of the 20th century literary writings?