

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS, NOVEMBER – 2017

LITERARY THEORY

SUBJECT CODE: 13P3EN14

MAJOR: M.A (English Literature)

TIME : 3 HOURS

SEMESTER : III

MAX.MARKS: 70

SECTION-A (5 x 4 = 20)Answer any FIVE Questions:

1. How did New Historicism originate?
2. What are the reactions against New Historicism?
3. How does New Historicism differ from Cultural Materialism?
4. What do Reader Response critics do?
5. What are the images of Archetypes in Literature?
6. Write a brief note on the goals of feminist literary criticism.
7. Analyse the role of the 'Other' in Postcolonial Literary Criticism.
8. What is Eco-Criticism?

SECTION-B (5 x 10 = 50)Answer any FIVE Questions:

9. Write an essay on Romantic Criticism.
10. Describe the role of Structuralism in Literary Theory and Literary Criticism.
11. Write an essay on Deconstruction.
12. Describe in detail the four major characteristics of Cultural Materialism as propounded by Dollimore and Sinfield.
13. How does Hermeneutics differ from Literary Hermeneutics?
14. What are the limitations of psychoanalytic literary criticism?
15. Write an essay on the Theorists of Marxist Literary Criticism.
