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IV Semester B.A. Degree (CBCSS – Reg./Supp./Imp.) Examination, April 2019
 (2014 Admission Onwards)
 Core Course in English
 4 B05 ENG : STUDIES IN POETRY

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

I. Write an essay of about **200** words on **one** of the following :

- 1) Write an essay on Gray's "Elegy" as a reflection of social conscience.
- 2) Discuss Coleridge's "Kubla Khan" with reference to his own phrase "The willing suspension of disbelief". (1×8=8)

II. Annotate **any four** of the following :

- 3) "We die and rise the same, and prove
Mysterious by this love".
- 4) This casket India's glowing gems unlocks,
And all Arabia breathes from yonder box.
- 5) A man's destination is not his destiny,
Every country is home to one man
And exile to another.
- 6) Things fall apart; the centre cannot hold;
Mere anarchy is loosed upon the world,
The blood-dimmed tide is loosed, and everywhere.
The ceremony of innocence is drowned.
- 7) A woman bends over me,
Searching my reaches for what she really is.
Then she turns to those liars, the candles or the moon.
I see her back, and reflect it faithfully.
- 8) And you, my father, there on the sad height,
Curse, bless me now with your fierce tears I pray.

(4×4=16)

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- III. Answer **any two** of the following in about **80 words each**. (2×4=8)
- 9) Metaphor and Similie
 - 10) Heroic couplet.
 - 11) Blank verse.
- IV. Answer **any eight** of the following in **a sentence or two**. (8×1=8)
- 12) What are Belinda's 'Cosmetic powers' ?
 - 13) Comment on the ending note of the poem 'To the Indians who Died in Africa'.
 - 14) What is personification ?
 - 15) On what grounds does Satan justify his claim to be the leader of the fallen angels ?
 - 16) Structure of the poem "When in Disgrace".
 - 17) Explain sprung rhythm.
 - 18) What is the poem 'Mirror' about ?
 - 19) Comment on the image of the falcon and the falconer.
 - 20) What is the Abyssinian maid's song about ?
 - 21) Explain the line "To See a World in a Grain of Sand".
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