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		English Com	·		
CC1	7U ENG2 A04 –	ZEITGEIST: READI		IPORARY CULTURE	
т.		(2017 Admiss	ions Regular)		
I ime:	Three Hours			Maximum : 80 Marks	
A. An	swer <i>all</i> the follow	wing questions by choos	ing the correct answe	er:	
1.	Who was the ch	airman of the Constituer	nt Assembly?		
	a. Dr. S. Radhak	a. Dr. S. Radhakrishnan		b. Dr. Rajendra Prasad	
c. Dr. B.R. Ambedkar		bedkar	d. H.C.Mukherjee		
2.	In which language did Chief Seattle make his speech?				
	a. French	b. English	c. Lushootseed	d. Spanish	
3.	In which year did Tagore win the Nobel Prize?				
	a. 1903	b. 1913	c. 1923	d. 1933	
4.	Identify the figure of speech: 'My tiny body drooping like a question mark				
	all over the wooden pew.'				
	a. Simile	b. Metaphor	c. Metonymy	d. Personification	
5.	What, according to Pearl S. Buck, is the only common sense of human happiness?				
	a. Violence	b. Fearlessness	c. Non-violence	d. Silence	
				(5 x 1 = 5 Marks)	
B. An	swer <i>all</i> the follow	wing questions in a word	or phrase:		
6.	What is the meaning of the term, "Amnesty"?				
7.	Which was the game played by Wani and Brahmin boys during the picnic?				
8.	What was the real name of Toba Tek Singh?				
9.	Which tree blossoms every spring anew in Auden's poem?				
10	. Who does Chief	Seattle address as Great	t Chief in Washingto	n?	
				(5 x 1 = 5 Marks)	
I. An	swer any <i>ten</i> of th	ne following questions in	a sentence or two:		
11	. What is the diffe	erence between 'to claim	an education' and to	o 'receive an education'?	
12	. What was Mrs.	Mallard's immediate rea	ction, when she hear	d the news of her	
	husband's death	?			

- 13. What was the content of the 'such a good letter' sent by the protagonist from the prison in "Amnesty"?
- 14. What does Gieve Patel mean by the last line: 'And then it is done'?
- 15. Why did Zlateh trust the human beings?
- 16. Expalin: 'I was the mystery of an anatomy'.
- 17. In what context is the question 'where shall we go today' asked?
- 18. Why is the Preamble called the 'identity card of the Constitution'?
- 19. What are the words added to the Preamble to the Constitution of India in the 42<sup>nd</sup> amendment?
- 20. Comment on the symbol of the open window in "The Story of an Hour"?
- 21. What made Girmallya's farm quiver in the narrator's stomach?
- 22. Explain: 'She had died of heart disease- of joy that kills.'

## (10 x 2 = 20 Marks)

- III. Answer any *four* of the following questions in a paragraph of 100 words:
  - 23. Comment on the politics of food in "The Outcaste".
  - 24. Patriotism as a theme in Tagore's poem, "Freedom".
  - 25. Comment on the ending of "Toba Tek Singh".
  - 26. How does Adrienne Rich elaborate concept of responsibility to oneself?
  - 27. Kate Chopin's treatment of marriage and family in 'The Story of an Hour'.
  - 28. The identity crisis in "What it's like to Be Transgender"?

## (4 x 5 = 20 Marks)

IV. Write essays on any *two* of the following questions in 300 words:

- 29. Chief Seattle's speech is a powerful plea for respect of Native Americans' rights and environmental values. Substantiate.
- 30. "Refugee Blues" is a documentation of the denial of human rights of the migrant population of the world. Discuss.
- "The Meaning of Life" is a critique of the present perception about human happiness. Discuss.
- 32. Explain the salient features of the Preamble of the Constitution of India.

## (2 x 15 = 30 Marks)