

**M.A. II Semester Degree Examination, October - 2023****ENGLISH****Indian Literature in English Translation****(NEP)**

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 70

**I.** Answer the following.

1. Distinguish between context free and context sensitive thinking. **14**

**II.** Answer **any four** of the following.

2. What are the special features of Sangam poetry ? Discuss with reference to the poems you have studied. **14**

3. What challenges does Khamitkar face to get educated in India of the Nineteenth century ? **14**

4. Does the resilience of Simon appear natural in the novel *Tsunami Simon* ? Discuss. **14**

5. Discuss *Tughlaq* as a political allegory. **14**

6. Answer **any one** :

- (a) Can you investigate the element of resistance to the caste and feudal values in the poetry of Janabai and Sule sankavva ? **14**

**OR**

- (b) How are the women portrayed in "Oorakali" ? Discuss.

7. Answer **any one** :

- (a) How does *Tsunami Simon* show the response of fishing community to the changing times ? Substantiate. **14**

**OR**

- (b) Analyse the role of religious leaders play during the political upheaval of *Tughlaq*.

8. (a) Deconstructing popular Buddha in "Buddha". **5**

- (b) Significance of the transformation of Oorakali as a bonded labourer. **5**

- (c) Dulcin in *Tsunami Simon*. **4**

**OR**

- (d) Aziz as a babu in the court of *Tughlaq*.

