M.Phil 1st Semester Examination, 2019 ENGLISH

PAPER -ENG-111

Full Marks: 40

Time: 2 hours

The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary

1. Answer any two questions:

 2×14

(a) (i) Write a short essay on the significance of ethnographic research method in English studies.

Or

(ii) Comment on different types of interview for the retrieval of research data. How do you analyse your interview data?

(b) (i) Write a brief essay on the use and accuracy of Quotations in a research paper with suitable examples.

Or

- (ii) Explain with examples the implications of different kinds of plagiarism.
- (c) (i) Write a brief essay on the methodology of citing books in the list of works cited.

Or

(ii) Attempt an essay justifying the necessity for documentation of works referred to while preparing a dissertation.

2. Answer all questions:

 4×3

(a) (i) Write a short note on the ethical issues in field based interviews.

Or

(ii) What is auto-ethnography?

(b) (i) Mention some of the characteristic features of a scholarly journal.

Or

- (ii) How would you maintain consistency in spelling in a research paper? Discuss with a couple of examples.
- (c) (i) What are the consequences of plagiarism?

Or

(ii) Where do you find information relevant to citation of a book? What will you do if the place, publisher and date of its publication are missing?