

2022

M.A.

2nd Semester Examination (CCAЕ)

PHILOSOPHY

PAPER—PHI-203

MODERN INDIAN PHILOSOPHY

Full Marks : 40

Time : 2 Hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

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

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary.

Answer any four questions.

4×2

1. What is higher hemisphere, according to Sri Aurobindo ?

(Turn Over)

2. What is the meaning of the word 'ahimsā' in the Gandhian sense ?
3. Can evolution be possible without prior involution ?
4. Provide any one distinction between "matured I" (*pākā āmi*) and "immatured I" (*kācā āmi*).
5. 'Not everything is God but God is everything' — what is meant by this statement of Rabindra Nath Tagore.
6. What is the source of the term '*manermānuṣ*' in Rabindranath's philosophy ?

Answer any *four* questions.

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7. What do you understand by *Saccidānanda* ? Explain briefly after Sri Aurobindo.

8. Write a short note on the Gandhian concept of *Sarvodaya*.
9. Briefly explain Sri Aurobindo's notion of two negations.
10. What did Rabindranath Tagore mean by 'Unmeasured Man' (*amitamānava*)?
11. Write a brief note on Vivekananda's Materialism.
12. Briefly state why is a man called 'twice-born' (*dwija*)?

Answer any *two* questions. 2×8

13. Explain the nature of Sri Aurobindo's Integral Yoga. Why is it called 'Integral'? 6+2
14. Explain the Gandhian ethics of non-violence. 8

15. What is to be understood by "*surplus in man*"?
Discuss following Rabindranath Tagore. 8

16. What are the characteristic features of practical
Vedanta? Discuss following Swami Vivekananda. 8
