



UNIVERSITY OF THE PUNJAB

B.S. 4 Years Program / Seventh Semester – Spring 2022

Paper: South Asian Literature

Course Code: ENG-404

Roll No.

Time: 3 Hrs. Marks: 60

THE ANSWERS MUST BE ATTEMPTED ON THE ANSWER SHEET PROVIDED

Q.1. Answer the following short questions:

(3x5=15)

1. What is the significance of having a child narrator in Bapsi Sidwa's novel *Ice Candy Man*?
2. Discuss the fusion of cultures in Maki Kureishi's poem "Christmas Letter to my Sister".
3. Explain how friendship and families are affected in times of conflict as depicted by Shamsie in *Burnt Shadows*.

Q.2. Answer the following questions.

(3x15=45)

1. What is the role of the Naag in Girish Karnad's play *Naga Mandela*?
2. Write a critical appreciation of Zulfikar Ghose's poem "Attack on Sialkot".
3. Discuss in detail the female characterization in Arundhati Roy's *The God of Small Things*.