

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE  
(AUTONOMOUS)

MA DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2018  
(First Semester)

Branch - ENGLISH

**INDIAN WRITING IN ENGLISH**

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

**PART-A**

**SECTION - A**

**I Annotate the following lines:**

**(3 x 6 = 18)**

- 1 a I dream of an English  
lull of the words of my language  
"OR  
b The poets sang only of the floods
- 2 a A spiritually strong and sound man will be string in every other respect,  
if he so wishes.  
OR  
b The miseries of the world cannot be cured by physical help only.
- 3 a You (baa) know why i can't have children, you won't let me. That's why.  
OR  
b Baa, this important. Will you give me the house if I send her back for  
good this time?

**SECTION - B**

**II Write short notes on the following :**

**(2 x 6 = 12)**

- 4 a Justify the title 'That Long Silence'.  
OR  
b Discuss the influence of the spices in the character of the novel 'the  
Mistress of Spices'.
- 5 a Discuss the definition of Essay by Sujit Mukerjee.  
OR  
b Bring out the uniqueness of Indian poetry in English.

**PART-B**

**III Answer any five of the following :**

**(5 x 9 = 45)**

- 6 How does A.K Ramanujam record his nostalgia in his poem?
- 7 How does Gokhale influence the students?
- 8 Discuss the mythology in Girish Karnard play - The Fire and the Rain.
- 9 Discuss the love affair of Tilo.
- 10 Write the views of David McCutcheon about Indian poetry in English.
- 11 The theme of agony and suffering in the dance of Eunuch - Elucidate.
- 12 Discuss the Mahesh Dattani as an Indian dramatist.