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ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), BANGALORE-27
SEMESTER EXAMINATION: ' JANUARY = 2021
BVOC DIGITAL MEDIA & ANIMATION – 1 SEMESTER
VOA 1119: Short Stories

Time – 2 ½ hrs

Max Marks-70

This paper contains ONE printed page and FOUR parts

- I. Identify the Author of the following works (1x10 = 10 marks)**
1. Patol Babu, Film Star
 2. The Umbrella Man
 3. Patmugi
 4. Out of Business
 5. The Woman on Platform Number 8
 6. In the South
 7. Khol Do
 8. The Post Master
 9. My Aunt Gold Teeth
 10. Lottery
- II. Answer any FOUR of the following questions in 150 words. (4X5 = 20 marks)**
11. Write a short note on the portrayal of life and death in the story *In the South*.
 12. What is Munshi Premchand's take on superstitious practices?
 13. Compare the characters of the woman on the platform and Satish's mother.
 14. How did the teachings of Gandhiji and Shankara influence Patmugi?
 15. What make the Panchathantra tales great educational tools?
- III. Draw any scene/write a short script based on any scene from TWO of the following stories (2x10=20 marks)**
16. Patmugi
 17. Brahmin's Dream
 18. Postmaster
 19. The Woman on Platform 8
- IV. Write an essay on ANY ONE of the following in about 300 words (1x20 =20 marks)**
20. The effects of blind faith in My Aunt Gold Teeth
 21. The Character of Patol Babu
 22. Why do critics believe that Khol Do is a mirror held towards partition?