SHRIMATHI DEVKUNVAR NANALAL BHATT VAISHNAV COLLEGE FOR WOMEN (AUTONOMOUS) (Affiliated to the University of Madras and Re-accredited with 'A+' Grade by NAAC) Chromepet, Chennai — 600 044. B.A. (Eng) END SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS NOVEMBER - 2023 SEMESTER - I **20UELCT1002 - Children's Literature** 

Total Duration : 2 Hrs 30 Mins.

Total Marks : 60

## Section B

Answer any **SIX** questions  $(6 \times 5 = 30 \text{ Marks})$ 

- 1. Explain the strong message conveyed to the readers by Coleridge through his poem *A Child's Evening Prayer*.
- 2. Describe how Emerson makes use of the Squirrel and the Mountain to highlight the uniqueness of every creation.
- 3. Critically examine A.G. Gardiner's views on habits.
- 4. Explain how Orwell categorizes his customers.
- 5. How is humour outlined in the short story The Weaver and the Princess Weaver goes to war?
- 6. Write your inference from the short story Raman, the thief catcher.
- 7. A.A. Milne's *The Ugly Duckling* is modelled on the theme of discrimination. Substantiate.
- 8. The narrator in the novel To Sir, with Love played a crucial role in bringing a significant change in the students. Elucidate.

## Section C

## Answer any **THREE** questions $(3 \times 10 = 30 \text{ Marks})$

- 9. 'Is this what it feels to be God?'Identify the statement and explain its significance.
- 10. How does Hillarie Belloc distinguish animal behaviour from human behaviour in his essay *A Conversation with a Cat*?
- 11. Sketch the character of the Pied Piper.
- 12. How does Jim and Silver's relationship change throughout the novel "Treasure Island"? Explain.
- 13. Analyze the symbols in *The Jungle Book* and explain how they relate to the plots and characters.

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