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Total Duration : 2 Hrs. 30 Mins.

Total Marks : 60

Section B

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

- 1. Explain how COVID-19 pandemic impacted the film business, particularly in terms of its sustainability and revenue generation post-pandemic.
- 2. What role do film critics typically play in the film industry and its audience's reception?
- 3. Explain about editing technique of Sergi Eisenstein.
- 4. Explain the art of storytelling in the film Pather Panchali.
- 5. Explain about Pioneers of Tamil Film Industry
 - a. Nataraja Mudaliar
 - b. S.S. Vasan.
- 6. Explain on the trend, pros and cons of making films in multiple languages.
- 7. Explain how folk heroes in the Tamil film industry articulated the cultural heritage of Tamil Nadu, with suitable examples.
- 8. Explain the impact of OTT platforms blurring the language barrier, and its implications on the global audience's cinematic experience.

Section C

- I Answer any **TWO** questions $(2 \times 10 = 20 \text{ Marks})$
- 9. Examine the techniques employed by the Lumiere Brothers in their early film making efforts, and analyse how their contributions shaped the landscape of cinema.
- 10. Prepare a film review as a film critic, considering film elements for a movie of your choice.

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- 11. Explain in detail about Development of Film Making in India.
- 12. Elaborate the distinction between studio-produced films and those filmed outdoors with suitable examples.

II - Compulsory question $(1 \times 10 = 10 \text{ Marks})$

13. Examine a movie you recently watched from the perspective of Marxist Film Theory. Provide specific examples from the film to support your views and analysis.
