



# THE AMERICAN COLLEGE, MADURAI

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## Backlog Arrear Examination, March 2021

ENG/ENS2561/3453/  
ENS2565

Indian Literatures in English

Marks:75 Max  
Time: 3hrs.

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**I. Write essays on ANY FIVE of the following in about 300 words.**

**15X5=75**

1. Discuss the narrative technique of R.K.Narayan's novel *The Guide*.
2. Attempt a critical analysis of Mamta Kalia's *Tribute to Papa*.
3. Write a note on the Indian images in the poetry of Kamala Das.
4. How does Karnad dramatize the qualities of human personality in *Hayavadana*.
5. Discuss Khushwant Singh's *Train to Pakistan* as a postcolonial text.
6. 'Imperfection is an inevitable human condition'. Discuss with reference to *Hayavadana*.
7. Discuss the symbolic significance of the title in the story *Glory at Twilight* by Bhabani Bhattacharya.