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Gender and caste form a nexus to doubly marginalise and oppress Dalit women. Elucidate using Bhimayana.

(For visually challenged students in lieu of Bhimayana).

What, according to you, makes Ambedkar's narrative an instance of Popular Literature.

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SECTION A

Each question carries 10 marks.

Write a short note on Humpty Dumpty in Carroll's Through the Looking Glass.

OR

The Looking-Glass world.

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Explain how Bhimayana breaks the popular conventions of graphic novels?

OR

Justify the title of Bhimayana.

(For visually challenged students in lieu of Bhimayana):

Discuss the challenges faced by the children while undertaking the journey in Ambedkar's Waiting for a Visa.

OR

Comment on any one instance describing the discrimination faced by Ambedkar as discussed in Waiting for a Visa.

Write a note on the use of the first person narrative in The Murder of Roger Ackroyd.

OR

The game of "Bride-Bride".

SECTION B

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Each question carries 15 marks.

Discuss Funny Boy as a counter-Bildungsroman.

OR

'The microcosm of the family mirrors the discourse of the nation'. Examine this statement in the context of Selvadurai's Funny Boy.

Critically examine the view that Christie betrays the reader's trust in The Murder of Roger Ackroyd.

OR

"You must have indeed been sent from the good God to replace my friend Hastings." Examine Poirot's assessment of Doctor Sheppard in The Murder of Roger Ackroyd.

6. Carroll's Through the Looking Glass marks a departure in the history of Victorian children's literature. Discuss.

OR