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Part III
Test Examination 2018-19
English General
Paper IV**

Full Marks: 50

Time: 1hour 30minutes

1. Answer any three of the following questions, each in about 250 words. (3x10)
 - a. What does Kamala Das say about her preference for English language in her poem, "An Introduction?"
 - b. Write a short note on Ramanujan's attitude to the poets who eulogise the floods in the river but who ignore the destructive aspects of the river. What is ironical in it?
 - c. Give an analytical summary of the poem 'The Golden Light'.
 - d. Sketch the character of 'Iswaran' highlighting the contemporary social settings.
 - e. Reproduce the critical estimate of the poem 'Sita'
2. Your local High school is going to appoint a part-time teacher in English (Pass). Send your C.V to the Secretary giving your candidature. (10)
3. Read the following passage and answer the questions below: (10)

If you strike a child, take care that you strike it in anger, even at the risk of maiming it for life. A blow in cold blood neither can nor should be forgiven.

If you beat children for pleasure, avow your object frankly, and play the game according to the rules, as a fox-hunter does, and you will do comparatively little harm. No fox-hunter is such a cad as to pretend that he hunts the fox to teach it not to steal chickens, or that he suffers more acutely than the fox at the death. Remember that even in child beating there is the sportsman's way and the cad's way.

- A. What is the main theme of the passage? (3)
- B. According to the author, when should a child not be beaten? (3)
- C. Make a precis of the passage (4)