



‘समाचो मन्त्रः समितिः समानी’

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

B.A. Honours 4th Semester Examination, 2024

CC9-PHILOSOPHY

PHILOSOPHY OF RELIGION

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 60

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

SECTION-I

1. Answer any *four* questions from the following: 3×4 = 12
- (a) What do you mean by Philosophy of Religion? 3
 - (b) What does it mean by the term ‘Mana’? 3
 - (c) What is revelation? 3
 - (d) What is Nirvāna? 3
 - (e) What are the five pillars of Islam? 3
 - (f) What do you mean by bhakti according to Purva-Mimāṃsā? 3

SECTION-II

2. Answer any *four* questions from the following: 6×4 = 24
- (a) Briefly discuss the fundamental features of Philosophy of Religion. 6
 - (b) Is Buddhism a kind of universal religion? 6
 - (c) Is religious knowledge intuitive? 6
 - (d) Explain cosmological argument for the existence of God. 6
 - (e) Critically explain the role of mysticism in the domain of Religion. 6
 - (f) Explain the concept of vidhi and niṣedh according to Purva-Mimāṃsā. 6

SECTION-III

3. Answer any *two* questions from the following: 12×2 = 24
- (a) Explain the main anthropological theories of the origin of Religion. 12
 - (b) Is Religion without God possible? Discuss. 12
 - (c) State the main thesis of Christianity. 12
 - (d) Compare and contrast between Saṅkara’s concept of God and that of Rāmānuja. 12