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Name of the Paper : **Ecology and Literature**

Name of the Course : **Value Addition Course (VAC)**

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Question No. **1** is compulsory.

Answer any *two* questions from Question Nos. 2 to 4.

All questions carry equal marks.

1. Attempt any *two* out of three : 5×2=10

- (a) Resilience of Nature as seen in Gieve Patel's on "On Killing a Tree"
- (b) The idea of Man *vs.* Machine in *The Waterfall* by Rabindranath Tagore.
- (c) The central concern of the poem "Small Towns and the River" by Mamang Dai.

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2. “Dali, Hussain, or Odour of Dream, Colour of Wind” by Thangjam Ibopishak Singh reflects the deep-rooted anxieties of the poet. Do you agree ? 10
3. Through the folktale “A Flowering Tree” A.K. Ramanujan draws a parallel between women and environment. Do you agree ? 10
4. In the first part of *The Great Derangement* Ghosh addresses the challenge of climate change. Discuss. 10