



UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

B.A. Honours 5th Semester Examination, 2020

DSE2-PHILOSOPHY

Full Marks: 60

ASSIGNMENT

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

**The question paper contains DSE-2A and DSE-2B.
The candidates are required to answer any *one* from *two* courses.
Candidates should mention it clearly on the Answer Book.**

DSE-2A

PHILOSOPHY OF MIND

Prepare Assignment on any *three* of the following within 800 words

20×3 = 60

1. Explain Reductive Materialism. 20
2. Explain critically the problem of other mind after Paul M. Churchland. 20
3. Write a note on artificial intelligence after Paul M. Churchland. 20
4. Explain dualism critically after Paul M. Churchland. 20
5. Explain the Piecemeal Approach after Paul M. Churchland. 20
6. Explain Philosophical Behaviourism. 20

DSE-2B

PROBLEMS OF PHILOSOPHY

Prepare Assignment on any *three* of the following within 800 words

20×3 = 60

1. Explain in detail the nature of our knowledge about the nature of general principle. 20
2. Define the principle of Induction after Russell. Explain how can we justify the principle of Induction. 20

3. Explain after Russell the controversy between the empiricist and rationalist philosophers concerning the origin and nature of logical principle. 20
4. People fail to see the fact that 'nearly all the words to be found in dictionary stands for the universals'— Explain after Russell. 20
5. Explain after Russell how 'relations' prove the existence of universals. 20
6. Explain after Bertrand Russell the possibility of a-priori knowledge.

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