

PARUL UNIVERSITY
FACULTY OF LIBERAL ARTS
B. Arts Summer 2024-25 Examination

Semester: 3
Subject Code: 15010203DS02
Subject Name: Literature and Cinema

Date: 13/05/2025
Time: 10:30am to 01:00pm
Total Marks: 60

Instructions:

1. All questions are compulsory as per instructions.
2. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
3. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
4. Start new question on new page.

SECTION A (30 Marks)

Q.1	Multiple Choice Question (1 * 5 = 5)	(5)	CO	BT		
1	What is a film adaptation?	1	1	R C Remember		
a	Original screenplay				b.	Novelization
c	Turning a literary text into a film				d.	Editing a film script
2	Which of the following is a play adaptation into a film?	1	1	U		
a	Malgudi Days				b.	Haider
c	Beauty and the Beast				d.	3 Idiots
3	Who directed the 1986 TV adaptation of Malgudi Days?	1	1	R		
a	Vishal Bhardwaj				b.	Kavitha Lankesh and Shankar Nag
c	Joe Wright				d.	Rajamouli
4	Which of these is a fairytale adaptation?	1	1	U		
a	Haider				b.	The White Tiger
c	Rapunzel				d.	Santu Rangeeli
5	What theme does 3 Idiots explore?	1	1	B Understand U		
a	War				b.	Education and self-discovery
c	Mythology				d.	Romance
Q.2	Short answer type Question (150 – 200 words). (6 * 3 = 18)	(18)				
1	Compare narrative techniques used in books and their film versions.	6	1	A		
2	Analyze the cultural impact of adapting Western texts into Indian cinema.	6	1	A		
3	How are emotions conveyed differently in cinema and literature?	6	1	A		
Q.3	Long answer type Question (1000 -1200 words). Attempt any one (1*7 = 7)	(7)				
1	Analyze <i>Malgudi Days</i> as a successful short story adaptation.	7	1	A		
2	Discuss the significance of character development in adaptations.	7	1	E		

SECTION B (30 Marks)

Q.1	Multiple Choice Question (1 * 5 = 5)	(5)	CO	BT	
1	The epistolary form involves:	1	1	R	
	a Poems				b. Emails
	c Letters				d. Plays
2	Pygmalion was adapted into which Hindi film by Basu Chatterjee?	1	1	U	
	a Haider				b. Santu Rangeeli
	c Man Pasand				d. Malgudi Days
3	The Accidental Billionaires inspired which movie?	1	1	R	
	a The Social Network				b. The White Tiger
	c 3 Idiots				d. Harry Potter
4	A dystopian film typically portrays:	1	1	U	
	a Ideal societies				b. Utopian futures
	c Oppressive systems				d. Historical events
5	Which of the following is NOT an adaptation?	1	1	A	
	a The White Tiger				b. Haider
	c 3 Idiots				d. Hamlet
Q.2	Short answer type Question (150 – 200 words). (6 * 3 = 18)	(18)			
1	What is a film adaptation? Explain in detail about it	6	1	U	
2	What is the theme of <i>The White Tiger</i> ?	6	1	A	
3	Discuss the major challenges in adapting a novel into a film.	6	1	A	
Q.3	Long answer type Question (1000 -1200 words). Attempt any one (1*7 = 7)	(7)			
1	Compare <i>Haider</i> and <i>Hamlet</i> in terms of setting and character transformation.	7	1	A	
2	Explain the significance of virtual narration in film.	7	1	A	