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BACHELOR OF ARTS EXAMINATION, 2024

First Year First Semester

DEPARTMENT OF FILM STUDIES

(BA Multi-Disciplinary Course)

HISTORICAL STYLES IN CINEMA

Time: Two Hours

Full Marks: 30

Answer any two questions. All questions carry equal marks. Answers can be written either in English or in Bengali, but all answers should be in the same language.

1. The classical Hollywood narrative is dominated by clearly defined causal linkages and character motivation. Discuss with reference to any film of your choice.
2. The aesthetics of early French New Wave cinema is highly influenced by the cinephiliac orientation of its filmmakers. Comment with suitable examples.
3. Citing suitable examples discuss surrealism and its relationship with cinema.
4. What are the stylistic characteristics of Italian Neorealism? Answer with reference to the Neorealist films you have watched.