## Bachelor of Arts Examination, 2022 Second Year Fourth Semester Department of English Literature and the Other Arts

Time: Two Hours Full Marks: 30

Answer *any* two questions from Group A and one from Group B. Do not repeat material across questions.

## GROUP A (2 x 12=24)

- 1. How are the arts of theatre and cinema blended in Kurosawa's *Throne of Blood*? Explain with examples.
- 2. Is pop music a space where diversity can flourish? Answer with reference to two artists you have studied.
- 3. Discuss how recitation was used in the field of pedagogy in 19th century Bengal.
- 4. Critically comment on the aesthetic and pragmatic use of the mask in ancient Greek theatre.
- 5. Comment on the following panel from Gaiman's 'A Midsummer's Night's Dream'. What does it tell us about Gaiman's storytelling?



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## **GROUP B**

Write short notes on any one of the following (1x6=6)

- 1. Semiotics
- 2. Woodstock
- 3. Biblia pauperum
- 4. Dionysus
- 5. The city in Maqbool