

2024
SRMUJ
M.A. Semester-I Examination
Music & Performing Arts
MPA-102
Interdisciplinary Approach to Performing Arts

Full Marks: 40

Time: 2 Hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks. Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

1. Short Answer Questions (Answer any two) – $5 \times 2 = 10$

- a) What is meant by *Interdisciplinary Study*? Discuss its significance. (2+3)
- b) Compare and contrast *Classical Music* and *Folk songs*.
- c) Briefly explain the influence of *Folk songs* on *Rabindra Sangeet*.
- d) Describe the contributions of *Indian Tribal Communities* to *Performing Arts*.

2. Long Answer Questions (Answer any three) – $10 \times 3 = 30$

- a) Which Indian state is renowned for *Kajri* music and dance? Provide a detailed discussion on *Kajri songs* and *dance forms*. (1+9)
- b) Explain the interrelationship between *Performing Arts* and any five academic disciplines (*Science, Arts, Humanities, etc.*).
- c) What is *Baul* music? Discuss the *melodic characteristics* of *Baul Gaan*. (3+7)
- d) Provide a comprehensive account of *Bhatiyali Songs*, including their themes, structure, and significance.
- e) Discuss the impact of *Classical Music* on *Rabindra Sangeet*.