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Roll No.....

CC1102: CRITICAL THINKING AND
STORYTELLING

Time: 2 hours Max. Marks: 30

Instructions to students:

1. Do not write anything other than your roll number on the question paper.
2. Answer any Three Questions.

Q. 1 According to John Dewey, Critical Thinking is about reflective thinking. He says "active, persistent, and careful consideration of a belief or supposed form of knowledge in the light of the grounds which support it and the furthest conclusions to which it ends." Explain the above definition. Why do you think Critical Thinking is important, with examples. 10
marks
(LO3)

Q. 2 How does critical thinking affect the quality and function of a democracy? Write in at least 150 words or more? 10
marks
(LO3)

- Q.3 Using the picture and the statement presented answer the following two questions:

10
marks

(LO1)



Blanket outrage has been observed over global media's coverage of the Ukrainian refugee crisis in the wake of the Russian invasion, with many pointing out that anchors from notable media houses are not even being subtle with their racist reportage.

Anchors from several media outlets, including Al-Jazeera and CBS, were seen comparing refugees from the multiple conflict zones in the Middle East and North Africa (MENA) region to Ukrainian ones, who have been fleeing their country in thousands amidst the ongoing Russian military operation there since Thursday.

A reporter on French channel BFM TV said, "We're not talking here about Syrians fleeing the bombing of the Syrian regime backed by Putin, we're talking about Europeans leaving in cars that look like ours to save their lives."

NBC News also spoke about how the refugees from Ukraine were white and relatable. An anchor said on screen, "To put it bluntly, these are not refugees from Syria, these are refugees from neighbouring Ukraine...these are Christian, they're white, they're very similar to people who live in Poland."

Using QFT model, formulate questions to analyze the above picture and the corresponding statement on Media Bias. Follow all the steps of QFT.

- Q.4 Using the Picture and Statement given above, build a structured argument in favour or against the claim on the theme of Media Bias. 10 marks
- (LO2, 4)
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All the best!

