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BACHELOR'S DEGREE EXAMINATION, OCTOBER 2025
2025 ADMISSIONS REGULAR
SEMESTER I - MAJOR (ENGLISH)
EN1DSCA01B24 - Introducing Literary Genres - I

Time : 1.5 Hours

Maximum Marks : 50

Part A

Answer all questions. Each question carries 1 mark.

(1x10=10)

1. Analyse how Shakespeare presents the idea of eternal beauty in the poem "Sonnet 18".
[CO1,Analyse]
2. Analyse the significance of Lochinvar riding "all unarm'd" as mentioned in the first stanza.
[CO1,Analyse]
3. Analyse the irony in the inscription on the statue's pedestal in "Ozymandias."
[CO1,Analyse]
4. Evaluate the philosophical theme conveyed in "The Snow Man".
[CO2,Evaluate]
5. Evaluate the depiction of the Blessed Damozel's longing from Heaven.
[CO2,Evaluate]
6. Estimate the function of the line "Nothing that is not there and the nothing that is" with reference to "The Snow Man".
[CO2,Evaluate]
7. Describe the plot of the short story "The Necklace".
[CO3,Apply]
8. Identify the term used for the 'wonder tale'.
[CO4,Remember]
9. Define the fairytale.
[CO4,Understand]
10. Explain the main purpose of the stories in the *Panchatantra*.
[CO4,Understand]

Part B

Answer any 2 questions from the bunch of CO1. Each question carries 5 mark.

(5x2=10)

11. Analyse the narrative frame of the traveller recounting the story and its effect on the poem's meaning in "Ozymandius".
[CO1,Analyse]
12. Analyse the symbolism of the "frown, and wrinkled lip, and sneer of cold command" on the statue's face in "Ozymandius".
[CO1,Analyse]
13. Explain the core ideas of metaphysical poetry.
[CO1,Analyse]

Part B

Answer any 2 questions from the bunch of CO2. Each question carries 5 mark.

(5x2=10)

14. Evaluate the concluding couplet of the poem "The Sun Rising" and its function in reinforcing the poem's central message.
[CO2,Evaluate]
15. Evaluate the features of modernist poetry.

[CO2,Evaluate]

16. Evaluate Rossetti's use of time and space in the poem "The Blessed Damozel".

[CO2,Evaluate]

Part B

Answer any 2 questions from the bunch of CO4. Each question carries 5 mark.

(5x2=10)

17. Explain the role of the magical dogs in the soldier's rise to power in "The Tinder-Box".

[CO4,Remember]

18. Explain the conventions of fairy tales in terms of plot and structure.

[CO4,Understand]

19. Describe the usual setting and time of fairy tales.

[CO4,Understand]

Part C

Answer any 1 question from the bunch of CO3. Each question carries 10 mark.

(10x1=10)

20. Debate how the theme of pride influences Madame Loisel's fate.

[CO3,Evaluate]

21. Evaluate how Trysdale's arrogance and sense of superiority contribute to his heartbreak.

[CO3,Evaluate]