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B.A. /B.Ed. (FIRST YEAR) EXAMINATION, 2018

ENGLISH LITERATURE

(A Background to English Literature)

Paper – CC-1 (I)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 60

Instructions:

*Attempt **five** questions in all, selecting at least **one** question from each Unit.*

*The answer of essay type questions should not be more than **400** words and short answer type of questions in not more than **150** words. All questions carry equal marks.*

UNIT – I

Q.1 Describe the main characteristics of Modern English literature. What is the gradual difference between Middle and Modern age literature? [12]

OR

Q.1 (a) Discuss the influence of Latin language on old English language. [6]

(b) How is English language important as an international language? [6]

UNIT – II

Q.2 What are the General forms of prose? Write a brief note on its types. [12]

OR

Q.2 (a) What is Sonnet? Describe the types of sonnets with examples. [6]

(b) What is the difference between One-act play and Dramatic monologue? [6]

UNIT – III

Q.3 What do you mean by Personification? How is it different from metaphor? Explain it with examples. [12]

OR

Q.3 (a) Differentiate the terms Wit and Humors with suitable examples. [6]

(b) Write short notes on the following (any - 2) [6]

(1) Onomatopoeia

(2) Soliloquy

(3) Alliteration

(4) Conceit

UNIT – IV

Q.4 Describe the characteristics of Neo-classical poetry. Discuss its difference from Pre-romantic periods. [12]

OR

Q.4 (a) What are the essential Qualities of Metaphysical poems? [6]

(b) Write a short note on Elizabethan lyrics and sonnets. [6]

UNIT – V

Q.5 What are the main features of poetry of The Romantic revival? Explain it with examples. [12]

OR

Q.5 (a) Discuss Victorian age with reference to Victorian Novels. [6]

(b) Describe the chief characteristics of Early Nineteenth Century Novel. [6]
