

TIME:
01:30
Hours

M.A. English Sem 1
Paper No. 101/Code No. 22392
Paper Name: Literature of the Elizabethan and Restoration
Periods

TOTAL
MARKS:42

17 FEB 2021

Attempt any THREE Questions out of Four:

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| Q.1. (A) | What is Aristotelian concept of Tragedy? How far does 'Macbeth' fit in the Aristotelian concept of Tragedy? | 14 |
| | Or | |
| Q.1. (A) (i) | What sort of artistic liberties are taken by William Shakespeare in 'Macbeth'? | 7 |
| Q.1. (A) (ii) | Significance of the Scenes of Three Witches. | 7 |
| Q.2. (A) | 'Absalom and Achitophel' is the greatest English Political satire. Illustrate this proposition with your reading of the poem. | 14 |
| | Or | |
| Q.2. (A) (i) | What is the purpose of Dryden's <i>Absalom and Achitophel</i> ? | 7 |
| Q.2. (A) (ii) | Describe the adverse effects of the Popish Plot. | 7 |
| Q.3. (A) | What is metaphysical poetry? Discuss John Donne, George Herbert and Andrew Marvell as metaphysical poets. | 14 |
| | Or | |
| Q.3. (A) (i) | Critical appreciation of "To his Coy Mistress" | 7 |
| Q.3. (A) (ii) | Critical analysis of "Death be not Proud" | 7 |
| Q.4. (A) | 'Hellena is perhaps the most independent and outspoken of all female characters in "The Rover," but the theme of female agency can also be seen in other female characters'. Write a note on other female characters with reference to the theme of 'Female Agency' in the play 'The Rover'. | 14 |
| | Or | |
| Q.4. (A) (i) | Write short answer on the English Cavaliers and the Spaniards in 'The Rover'. | 7 |
| Q.4. (A) (ii) | Although not a particularly romantic topic, the issue of money runs throughout <i>The Rover</i> . Illustrate with your reading of the play 'The Rover'. | 7 |