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### M A DEGREE (CSS) EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2021

### **First Semester**

## **CORE - EN010104 - 19TH CENTURY ENGLISH LITERATURES**

M A ENGLISH, M A ENGLISH (SF)

2019 ADMISSION ONWARDS

2DF050DA

Time: 3 Hours

Part A (Short Answer Questions)

Answer any eight questions.

Weight 1 each.

- 1. Why is the Victorian poetry considered as double poem?
- 2. "Our sweetest songs are those that tell of a saddest thought"- Explain.
- 3. Describe the scene of pagan sacrifice depicted on the urn in Keats's poem
- 4. The tiger as a sensual image in Blake's poem
- 5. What is the reaction of the Lotos Eaters to death?
- 6. Pre-Raphaelite poetry.
- 7. Carlyle's views on Dante.
- 8. How are the two cities characterized at the beginning of the novel A Tale of Two Cities?
- 9. Examine the marital conflicts in Wuthering Heights and how are they related to the central theme?
- 10. Latin phrases in the essay 'A Dissertation upon Roast pig"

(8×1=8 weightage)

#### Part B (Short Essay/Problems)

Answer any six questions.

Weight 2 each.

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- 11. Why did the Romantics reject the Lockean explanations of the physical world?
- 12. What are the five major points by Raymond Williams to evaluate Romantic writers ?
- 13. The romantic elements present in Coleridge's "Dejection :An Ode"
- 14. Briefly discuss how Andrea compares himself with his contemporary painters.
- 15. Discuss Mansfield Park as a social document.







Weightage: 30



- 16. Thornfield Hall as a colonial mansion.
- 17. How did Thomas Arnold change the face of Rugby school?
- 18. Analyse the difference between the two settings of London and the Country in Oscar Wilde's play?

(6×2=12 weightage)

#### Part C (Essay Type Questions)

Answer any **two** questions. Weight **5** each.

- 19. Trace the evolution of thought in "Ode on Intimations of Immortality".
- 20. Comment on F.R. Leavis's view that The Scholar Gypsy is an escapist piece as the Scholar is allowed to enjoy "an eternal week-end in total disregard of the problems of adult daily living".
- 21. Tragic fate is inescapable. Express your opinion in relation to Thomas Hardy's novel.
- 22. Irony in William Hazlitt's essay.

(2×5=10 weightage)