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**Second Year Arts Examination, 2018**

**ENGLISH LITERATURE**

Paper-II

(Poetry)

**Time allowed : Three Hours**

**Maximum Marks : 100**

**PART - A**

[Marks : 20

Answer all questions (50 words each).

All questions carry equal marks.

**PART - B**

[Marks : 50

Answer *five* questions (250 words each).

Selecting *one* from each unit. All questions carry equal marks.

**PART - C**

[Marks : 30

Answer any *two* questions (300 words each).

All questions carry equal marks.

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## PART-A

1. Answer all questions in not more than 50 words :

### UNIT - I

- (i) According to John Donne what is totally impossible to find in this world ?
- (ii) Who is the speaker in Browning's poem "My Last Duchess" ?

### UNIT - II

- (iii) How does Keats depict 'Autumn' in his poem ode to Autumn ?
- (iv) Why did the Duke not like the Duchess behaviour in "My Last Duchess" ?

### UNIT - III

- (v) What does Shelley tell about humanity in his poem "Ode to the West Wind".

- (vi) What is the most essential feature of Wordsworth's poetry ?

#### **UNIT - IV**

- (vii) What does Rabindra Nath Tagore convey in "Where the Mind is without Fear" ?
- (viii) Who can save Sarojini Naidu from any calamity ?

#### **UNIT - V**

- (ix) Write names of any three romantic poets ?
- (x) Write the definition of a Sonnet ?

#### **PART-B**

#### **UNIT - I**

2. Explain with reference to context :

Tell me where all past years are,

Or who cleft the devil's foot,

Teach me to hear mermaids singing,

Or to keep off envy's stinging

**OR**

3. Explain the following lines :

Drowsed with the fume of poppies while

the hook spares

The next swath and all its tuined flowers

**UNIT - II**

4. Explain with reference to context :

She had a heart ..... how shall I say ?....

Too soon

made glad, too easily impressed,

She liked whatever she looked on,

And her looks went everywhere.

**OR**

5. Explain the following lines :

The sea of faith,

Was once, too at the full and

round earth's

Shore lay like the folds of a bright

girdle furled.

**UNIT - III**

6. Explain with reference to context :

Where head is held high

And mind without fear

Into that heaven of freedom

My lord-let my country awake.

**OR**

7. Explain the following :

I am no more a vassal of flesh,

A slave to nature and her leaden rule,

I am caught no more in the sense's narrow mesh,

My soul unhorizoned widens to measureless sight.

**UNIT - IV**

8. Write short note on any two of the following :

(1) Lyric

(2) Sonnet

(3) Ode

(4) Simile

**OR**

9. Comment on "Go and catch a falling star" as a metaphysical poem ?

**UNIT - V**

10. What do you understand by Keats' Hellenism ?

**OR**

11. What is Coleridge's concept of nature ? Does it differ with Wordsworth ?

**PART-C**

**UNIT - I**

12. Critically evaluate the power 'Silent steps'.

**UNIT - II**

13. Attempt a critical appreciation of "The Journey of the Magi" by T.S. Eliot.

### **UNIT - III**

14. Write a critical appreciation of the poem "The Soul's Prayer" by Sarojini Naidu.

### **UNIT - IV**

15. Bring out the note of pessimism as expressed in Arnold's Dover Beach.

### **UNIT - V**

16. Analyse Wordsworth's reaction to nature on his second visit to Tintern Abbey.