



KU-1009

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B. A. (Sem. II) Examination

April/May - 2013

English (Main) : C.C. - 103

*(Introduction to The Age of Shakespeare &
Jacobean Age)*

Time : 3 Hours]

[Total Marks : 70

- 1 (a) Write a detailed note on the impact of Renaissance on English literature. 16

OR

- (b) Discuss salient features of the Elizabethan Drama. 16

- 2 (a) Discuss the characteristics of the Jacobean Age. 12

OR

- (b) What is Metaphysical poetry ? 12
Write a detailed note on its characteristics.

- 3 (a) Discuss the theme of 'A Mid Summer Night's Dream'. 12

OR

- (b) Illustrate with examples the elements of romanticism as displayed by Shakespeare in 'A Mid Summer Night's Dream'. 12

4 Show your acquaintance with the following writers : (any four) 20

- (i) Edmund Spenser
- (ii) Christopher Marlowe
- (iii) Ben Jonson
- (iv) John Webster
- (v) Thomas Kyd
- (vi) Philip Sidney

5 Find out the correct option from those given below and rewrite the answer. 10

- (i) Who was called 'Poet's poet' ?
 - (a) John Milton
 - (b) Edmund Spenser
 - (c) John Donne
 - (d) Philip Sidney
- (ii) To which language does Renaissance originally belong ?
 - (a) Greek
 - (b) Latin
 - (c) Spanish
 - (d) English
- (iii) John Donne revolted against the tradition of .
 - (a) Shakespeare
 - (b) Ben Jonson
 - (c) Spenser
 - (d) Samuel Daniel

- (iv) Philip Sidney belonged to
- (a) The Elizabethan Age
 - (b) The Age of Milton
 - (c) The Age of Dr. Johnson
 - (d) The Age of Wordsworth
- (v) Who is a Metaphysical poet ?
- (a) Shakespeare
 - (b) John Dryden
 - (c) Herbert
 - (d) Milton
- (vi) Sidney's 'Arcadia' is a
- (a) romance
 - (b) tragedy
 - (c) masque
 - (d) satire
- (vii) What is the life-span of John Donne ?
- (a) 1572-1631
 - (b) 1573-1662
 - (c) 1573-1631
 - (d) 1571-1662
- (viii) What is Ben Jonson famous for ?
- (a) Comedy of Manners
 - (b) Dark Comedy
 - (c) Comedy of Humour
 - (d) None

- (ix) John Lyly was born in _____
- (a) 1554
 - (b) 1540
 - (c) 1560
 - (d) 1544
- (x) Who is the author of 'Astrophel and Stell' ?
- (a) Philip Sidney
 - (b) Ben Jonson
 - (c) Edmund Spenser
 - (d) John Milton.
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