

(SPE 5110-5)
B.A. Degree (CBCS) Examinations
FEBRUARY - 2022
EXAMINATION AT THE END OF SEMESTER- V
PART-II SPECIAL ENGLISH
AN OUTLINE OF 20th CENTURY LITERATURE

TIME :Three hours

Maximum : 60 Marks

1. Answer any TWO of the following questions in about 200 words each 2X10=20
 - a. Give an account of the 20th Century Literature developments.
 - b. Explain some of the major trends and developments of the 20th century Novel.
 - c. What are the salient features of the 20th century Literature?
 - d. Write an essay on the general characteristic features of 20th century poetry.
2. Write short notes for any FOUR of the following in about 100 words each 4X2 ½=10
 - a. Psychological Novel
 - b. Stream of Consciousness Novel
 - c. Bildungsroman
 - d. Setting
 - e. Point of View
 - f. Free Verse
3. Explain any TWO of the following in about 100 words each 2X5=10
 - a. Write a brief summary of the poem "Church Going" by Philip Larkin.
 - b. How do you illustrate "Church Going" as a modern poem?
 - c. Write an essay on the humorous elements in "Whitsun Weddings."
 - d. Trace the thematic development of "Whitsun Weddings."
4. Answer any TWO of the following in about 100 words each 2X5=10
 - a. What does Orwell say about the dominance of British imperialism?
 - b. How does Orwell describe the shooting of the elephant as an unwilling act?
 - c. What is Woolf's point of view of on the importance of women's writings?
 - d. Substantiate Virginia Woolf as a feminist writer from "A Room of One's Own."
5. Answer any ONE of the following in about 200 words each. 1X10=10
 - a. Discuss 'Pygmalion' as a problem play.
 - b. Comment on the thematic element in 'Pygmalion.'
 - c. Sketch the character of Professor Higgins.

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