(SPE 3110)

B.A. Degree (CBCS) Examinations

FEBRUARY- 2022

EXAMINATION AT THE END OF III SEMESTER

PART - II SPECIAL ENGLISH

RESTORATION AND AUGUSTAN PERIODS

TIME : Three hours

Maximum : 60 Marks

I. Answer any TWO of the following in about 150 words: **2X6=12**

a. Comment on the characteristic features of Restoration Comedy?

b. Make a note on Restoration Prose

c. Discuss the contribution of Restoration writers to the development of drama.

d. Write a note on the major writers of the Augustan Age?

II. Write a note on any THREE of the following in about 100 words each: **3X4=12**

a. Periodical Essay

b. Heroic couplet

c. Satire

d. Comedy of manners

e. Sentimental comedy

f. Mock epic

III. Answer any TWO of the following in about 150 words each: **2X6=12**

a. Trace the features of a mock epic in Pope's "Rape of the Lock"

b. How does Rape of the Lock reflect the manners of contemporary society?

c. Write a brief note on Alexander Pope as the representative poet of his age.

d. How does Belinda represent the cross section of the 18th Century women?

IV. Answer any ONE of the following in about 300 words: **1X12=12**

a. Comment on the structure of "Robinson Crusoe."

b. How does the character of Robinson Crusoe develop?

c. Comment on various hidden themes in the novel "Robinson Crusoe."

V. Answer ONE of the following in about 300 words: **1X12=12**

a. Consider "Way of the World" as a comedy of manners.

b. How does the title "Way of the World" foreshadow the action of the play?

c. Write a note on the major characters of "Way of the World."

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