

2017

( 1st Semester )

ELECTIVE ENGLISH

Paper No. : EL ENG-102

( Poetry, Grammar and Language Skills )

Full Marks : 70

Pass Marks : 45%

Time : 3 hours

( PART : B—DESCRIPTIVE )

( Marks : 54 )

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks  
for the questions*

1. List out various forms of poetry. Write a note on the ode and its various forms. 2+8=10

Or

What is the main purpose of prosody? Give an elaborate account on any two stanza forms. 2+8=10

2. Examine John Donne's treatment of the theme of 'love' in the poem, *A Valediction : Forbidding Mourning*. 10

OR

Discuss on the two important digressions presented in *Lycidas*. 10

3. Bring out the effect of dream and imagination in the pictorial presentation of Kubla Khan's pleasure-dome. 10

Or

Write a critical appreciation of the poem, *Ode to a Nightingale*. 10

4. "To strive, to seek, to find and not to yield." Critically comment on the acclaimed last line from Tennyson's *Ulysses*. 10

Or

Give a pen-picture of the landscape as depicted by Hardy in the poem, *The Darkling Thrush*. 10

5. Answer the following questions : 7×2=14

(a) What is the scholarly style of writing?

(b) Write a note on plagiarism.

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