

**PG-AN-123**

**MEGN-11**

**P.G. DEGREE EXAMINATION —  
JULY, 2022.**

**English**

**(From CY – 2020 Onwards)**

**First Year**

**WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE**

**Time : 3 hours**

**Maximum marks : 70**

**SECTION A — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)**

**Answer any FIVE questions out of Eight questions in  
300 words.**

**All questions carry equal marks.**

- 1. How did Shakespeare become famous? What are his contributions to English Literature?**
- 2. What are the major themes of Shakespearean Sonnets?**
- 3. Why was theatre so important to the Elizabethans?**

4. Is the Ghost real in Hamlet?
5. Who is Caliban in The Tempest?
6. Describe about the Young Man Sonnets of Shakespeare.
7. Analyze the character of Hermia in A Midsummer Night's Dream.
8. How does music function in Twelfth Night?

SECTION B — (3 × 15 = 45 marks)

Answer any THREE questions out of Five questions in 1,000 words.

All questions carry equal marks.

9. Shakespeare's writing change and develop overtime — Justify.
10. Discuss the theme of love in Shakespeare's Sonnets. Do the Young man sonnets express a different idea of love than the dark lady sonnets?
11. Write on Shakespeare's Problem Plays.
12. Discuss A Midsummer Night's Dream as a Romantic Comedy.
13. How many separate plots are there in the play Twelfth Night? How can each be related to the other?

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**MEGN-12**

**P.G. DEGREE EXAMINATION —  
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**English**

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**First Year**

**MODERN ENGLISH LITERATURE**

**Time : 3 hours**

**Maximum marks : 70**

**SECTION A — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)**

**Answer any FIVE questions out of Eight questions in  
300 words.**

**All questions carry equal marks.**

- 1. Write a brief note on Stream of Consciousness Technique.**
- 2. Discuss how Yeats explores the search for meaning in Among School Children.**
- 3. Why does D.H. Lawrence say that the Bible as a great confused novel?**

4. Analyze The Birthday Party as an Absurd Play.
5. Why is Jim lucky in Lucky Jim by Kingsley Amis?
6. What is the main theme of Riders to the Sea?
7. Discuss A Doll's House as a Feminist Play.
8. Examine the author's tone in the play Murder in the Cathedral by T.S. Eliot.

SECTION B — (3 × 15 = 45 marks)

Answer any THREE questions out of Five questions in  
1,000 words.

All questions carry equal marks.

9. What is an Absurd Theatre? Trace the history of Absurd Theatre with suitable examples.
10. Make a critical analysis of the poem Church Going by Philip Larkin.
11. What are D.H. Lawrence's views on Why the Novel Matters?
12. Write a note on the Natural and Supernatural elements in J.M. Synge's Riders to the Sea.
13. Summarize the story Time Machine by H. G. Wells.

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**MEGN-13**

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**English**

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**First Year**

**WOMEN'S WRITING IN ENGLISH**

**Time : 3 hours**

**Maximum marks : 70**

**SECTION A — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)**

**Answer any FIVE questions out of Eight questions in  
300 words.**

**All questions carry equal marks.**

- 1. List out the characteristic features of Women's Writing in English.**
- 2. How does Yasmin highlight the tragic elements of racial violence in Big Match 1983?**
- 3. Examine Rasundari Debi's Amar Jiban as a spiritual autobiography.**

4. Write a note on the feminist issue in *Night Mother*.
5. Discuss Virginia Woolf's narrative technique in the novel *Mrs. Dalloway*.
6. What is the theme of *Towards a Feminist Poetics* by Elaine Showalter?
7. What makes the poet Mamta Kalia as a rebellious daughter in the poem *Tribute to Papa*?
8. What do blue eyes symbolize in *The Bluest Eye* by Toni Morrison?

SECTION B — (3 × 15 = 45 marks)

Answer any **THREE** questions out of Five questions in 1,000 words.

All questions carry equal marks.

9. Trace the history of Women's Writing in English.
10. Critically examine the poem *Lady Lazarus* by Sylvia Plath.
11. What are the major themes in *The Madwoman in the Attic*?
12. Highlight the miserable position of backward class women in rural India through the play *Rudali*.
13. Justify the title *Sense and Sensibility*.

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**MEGN-14**

**P.G. DEGREE EXAMINATION —  
JULY, 2022.**

English

(From CY – 2020 onwards)

First Year

**AMERICAN LITERATURE**

Time : 3 hours

Maximum marks : 70

**SECTION A — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)**

Answer any FIVE questions out of Eight questions in  
300 words.

All questions carry equal marks.

1. Who are Puritans and why did they come to America?
2. How does Robert Frost present nature in his poem Birches?
3. How Whitman expresses his connection with nature in his Preface?

4. What is the meaning of the title Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf?
5. Discuss on the theme of symbolism in The Colour Purple.
6. Summarize Emerson's ideas in The American Scholar.
7. Give the substance of the poem O Captain! My Captain!! by Whitman.
8. Write a note on the theme of The Murders in the Rue Morgue.

SECTION B — (3 × 15 = 45 marks)

Answer any THREE questions out of Five questions in 1,000 words.

All questions carry equal marks.

9. Trace the History of American Revolution.
10. Compare and Contrast the Wife and Husband's ways of grieving in the poem Home Burial by Robert Frost.
11. Is Thoreau's conception of Civil Disobedience compatible with democratic government: Why or Why Not?



12. What are the major conflicts in the play *The Long Day's Journey into the Night*? How are they resolved?
  13. How does the setting — the location and time period- of *Young Goodman Brown* affect the plot?
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**MEGN-15**

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**First Year**

**(From CY – 2020 Onwards)**

**English**

**APPLIED LINGUISTICS (ELT)**

**Time : 3 hours**

**Maximum marks : 70**

**SECTION A — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)**

**Answer any FIVE questions out of Eight questions in  
300 words.**

**All questions carry equal marks.**

1. Enumerate the characteristic features of the Direct Method.
2. What are the basic skills of Listening?
3. Define the role of learner and teacher in CLT.
4. What is the purpose of Code-mixing and Code-switching?

5. What is Test and list the types of it?
6. Write a note on Bilingualism.
7. Analyze the key features of Suggestopedia.
8. List the stages included in Product Testing.

SECTION B — (3 × 15 = 45 marks)

Answer any THREE questions out of Five questions in  
1,000 words.

All questions carry equal marks.

9. Explain in detail :
  - (a) Audio-Lingual Method
  - (b) Naturalistic Method
  - (c) Cognitive -code Method
  - (d) Cognitive Anti- Method
10. How can LSRW (Listening, Speaking, Reading, Writing) skills be taught in a classroom?
11. Communicative Language Teaching is best considered an approach rather than a method — Analyze.
12. What is the difference between Language Acquisition and Language Learning?
13. Write an essay on Approaches to Testing and Measurement.