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MID TERM EXAMINATIONS, 2019

Literature
Class: XII Arts
Date:
Name:

Reading Time: 15 mins
Writing Time: 3 hours
Full marks: 80
Roll No. Class: Sec:

Invigilator’s initial

READ THE FOLLOWING DIRECTIONS CAREFULLY:

Question	For Teacher’s Use Only											Grand Total
	Section I		SECTION II									
	Q1A 10m	Q1B 15m	Q2 25m	Q3 25m	Q4 25m	Q5 25m	Q6 25m	Q7 25m	Q8 25m	Q9 25m	Q10 25m	
Award												
Teacher’s initial												
Total Marks Awarded												

1. Do **not** write for the first **15 minutes**. This time is to be spent reading the questions
2. After having read the questions, you will be given **three hours** to answer all questions.
3. This paper comprises of **TWO SECTIONS**, Section A for **WRITING** and B for **LANGUAGE**. There are **four** questions.
4. Read the directions to each question carefully and write **all** your answers in the answer sheets provided.
5. Remember to write **quickly** but **neatly**.

Full Marks-100

Section I is **compulsory**.

Answer any three questions from Section II covering all three prescribed textbooks. The intended marks for questions or parts of questions are given in bracket.

Note: Credit is given for textual detail and for the candidate's own response. Candidates

are advised to choose options with great care, keeping in view the knowledge and

understanding of the question(s) chosen. Candidates are also expected to be precise and

avoid **unnecessary details**.

SECTION I (Compulsory)

Question 1a.

(1x10)

Direction: Read the following questions carefully. Choose the correct response and write it in your answer sheet against its question number.

(i) John D'Urbeyfield , Tess' father is

A a poor haggler

B a tramp

C a businessman

D a loving father

Ans:.....

(ii) Blackmoor is

A 1 hour journey from London

B 2 hours journey from London

C 3 hours journey from London

D 4 hours journey from London

Ans:.....

(iii) An age of Alec D'Uurverville when he meets Tess is

A 23

B 24

C 25

D 26

Ans:.....

(iv) The silver spoon in Tess' house signifies

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|---|-------|---|---------|
| A | power | B | wealth |
| C | fame | D | nothing |

Ans:.....

(v) Tess leaves home to work at Tantridge

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| A | in Alec's car | B | in Alec's Spring Cart |
| C | in Alec's Gig | D | in public transport cart |

Ans:.....

(vi) "The Stag" by Ted Hugh stimulates today's conflict between

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|---|-----------------|---|--------------------|
| A | man and man | B | man and nature |
| C | man and society | D | man and technology |

Ans:.....

(vii) The shield of Achilles best talks about

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|---|-------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| A | mother's love for a son | B | victory of a hero |
| C | fall of a hero | D | glory of an extra-ordinary man |

Ans:.....

(viii) In Auden's "As I walked out one evening" time is seen as

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|---|--------------------------|---|----------------------|
| A | an adviser to the lovers | B | an arrogant dictator |
| C | a wise philosopher | D | an educator |

Ans:.....

(ix) In "The Crucible" the news Marry Warren brings from Salem in Proctor's house is that

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|---|---|---|---------------------------|
| A | Tituba has confessed | B | the witch trial has begun |
| C | Abigail has accused Elizabeth of witchcraft | | |
| D | someone has accused Elizabeth of witchcraft | | |

Ans:.....

(x) John Proctor's absence of attendance in some of Sabbath prayers in Salem owes it to his following one of the traits:

A brave trait

B reasonable trait

C revengeful trait

D irresponsible trait

Ans:.....

Question 1b

(15)

Direction: Answer **ALL** the questions in **five sentences each**.

Tess of the D'Urbervilles

(i) How did Tess feel and react when she first saw her father riding on the Chariot the Lords do? (5)

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