

PARUL UNIVERSITY
FACULTY OF ARTS
B.A , Winter 2017 – 18 Examination

Semester: 1

Subject Code: 15193105

Subject Name: Forms of English literature-I

Date: 21/12/2017

Time: 10:30am to 1:00pm

Total Marks: 60

Instructions:

1. All questions are compulsory.
2. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
3. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
4. Start new question on new page.

Q.1 Do as directed.**(08)****A. State whether the following statement are true or false.**

1. Meter is a stressed and unstressed syllabic pattern in a verse or within the lines of a poem.
2. The study of different types of versification and meters is known as prosody.
3. Iambic pentameter contains first unstressed syllable and second stressed one.
4. Refrain is a type of repetition of stanzas.
5. Cacophony is opposite to Euphony.
6. A soliloquy is a speech that a character makes in a work of drama to himself.
7. John Milton's poem "On his blindness" is an autobiographical sonnet.
8. All sonnets have 16 lines which can be broken down into four sections.
9. O Captain My Captain by Walt Whitman is an example of elegy.
10. An elegy is a poem of praise and joy.
11. The word ballad comes from Latin word "ballare" which means dancing song.
12. The famous work Paradise Lost by John Milton is written in blank verse.
13. Biography narrates the life story of a person written by another person.
14. In "End rhyme" two consecutive lines may rhyme.
15. Prose is written in words, phrases, sentences, paragraphs and chapters.
16. "Canonization" is an example of metaphysical poetry.

B. Define the following terms:**(07)**

1. Canonization
2. Hamartia
3. Documentary theatre
4. History play
5. Bourgeois tragedy
6. Iambic Pentameter
7. Euphony

Q.2 Answer the following questions in brief.A. What is a good literature? Why is literature important? **(04)**B. Define meter and its function. **(04)**C. What do you mean by poetic justice? Give common examples of poetic justice. **(04)****OR**C. What is the difference between the writing style of Bacon and Montaigne? **(04)****Q.3 Answer the following questions.**A. Define Ballad. What are the characteristics of Ballad? Give one example. **(05)**B. Define Ode and its type **(05)**C. Define Elegy? What are its characteristics? Give examples. **(05)****OR**C. Discuss Travelogue as an important genre of literature **(05)****Q.4 Answer the following questions in detail.**A. Write down the plot overview of "As you like it" by William Shakespeare **(06)**B. Write down the summary and critical analysis of "The canonization :John Donne" **(06)**C. Elaborate "Development of Biography as a literary form." **(06)****OR**C. Summarize Bacon's "of Love" in your own words. **(06)**