

S.No. 5712

RACEN 2 A

(For candidates admitted from 2008–2015 Batch)

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2021.

Part III — Allied

LITERARY FORMS

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

PART A — (20 Marks)

Answer ALL questions. (10 × 1 = 10)

Choose the correct answer:

1. Personal Poetry is _____
 - (a) Meditative
 - (b) Neutral
 - (c) Subjective
 - (d) Common
2. _____ is an art.
 - (a) Character
 - (b) Personality
 - (c) Poetry
 - (d) Feelings
3. Lyric poetry is sung to the accompaniment of _____.
 - (a) Violin
 - (b) guitar
 - (c) harp
 - (d) drum
4. A _____ is meant to be sung.
 - (a) epic
 - (b) lyric
 - (c) ballad
 - (d) elegy
5. _____ Essays reveal the character of the author
 - (a) Narrative
 - (b) Descriptive
 - (c) Aphoristic
 - (d) Personal
6. Criticism means _____.
 - (a) acknowledge
 - (b) classification
 - (c) coding
 - (d) judgement
7. Catharsis in tragedy is _____.
 - (a) Animal
 - (b) Wheel of Fortune
 - (c) Purging of Emotion

- (d) Fatal flow
8. In an one-Act play there are no breaks in the _____.
- (a) action (b) length
(c) time (d) layer
9. _____ was a writer of science fiction.
- (a) words worth (b) shakespeare
(c) chaucer (d) H.G.Weels
10. _____ is called the father of his torical novel.
- (a) R.K. Narayan (b) Walter Scott
(c) Graham Greene (d) Vikram Seth

Answer the following questions in about 50 words:

(5 × 2 = 10)

11. What is meant by an ode?
12. Define the term 'Essay'
13. Comment on the role of 'Chorus' in drama.
14. What is Subjective poetry.
15. What do you mean by Historical Novel.

PART B — (5 × 5 = 25)

Answer the following in about 150 words choosing either (a) or (b)

16. (a) What is poetry? What are the two kinds of poetry? Discuss.

Or

- (b) What are the chief elements of Poetry? Explain with examples.

17. (a) Write a short note on "Postoral Elegy"

Or

- (b) Discuss the salient features of the Ballad.

18. (a) Define Biography with examples.

Or

- (b) What are the various steps in writing an Autobiography.

19. (a) Comment on the significance of characterisation in drama.

Or

- (b) Trace the characteristics of Tragedy.

20. (a) Bring out the Salient features of the Elements of Fiction.

Or

(b) What are the basic themes in 'Picaresque Novel'

PART C — (3 × 10 = 30)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b)

21. (a) What is a lyric? Bring out the salient features of it.

or

(b) Define Elegy? What are the Conventions of Pastoral Elegy.

22. (a) Trace the Origin and Growth of Periodical Essays.

or

(b) Trace the Evolution of Thought in Drama.

23. (a) What are the distinguishing features of a Tragic Comedy.

or

(b) Elaborate the significance of plot in a novel
