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Summer Examination-2017

Subject Name : History of English Literature: Elizabethan Age

Subject Code : 4AH02HEL1

Branch: B.A.(English)

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Date : 09/05/2017

Time : 02:00 To 05:00

Marks : 70

Instructions:

- (1) Use of Programmable calculator & any other electronic instrument is prohibited.
 - (2) Instructions written on main answer book are strictly to be obeyed.
 - (3) Draw neat diagrams and figures (if necessary) at right places.
 - (4) Assume suitable data if needed.
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Q-1

Attempt the following questions:

(14)

- a) Marlowe's first play was
 - A. The Jew of Malta
 - B. Doctor Faustus
 - C. Tamburlaine, Part I
 - D. Dido, Queen of Carthage
- b) Faustus asks two magicians to aid him in summoning the devil. What are their names?
 - A. Valdes and Cornelius
 - B. Rosencrantz and Guildenstern
 - C. Troilus and Cressida
 - D. Pyramus and Thisbe
- c) What famous beauty does Mephistophilis present to Faustus in scene 12?
 - A. Joan of Arc
 - B. Eleanor of Aquitaine
 - C. Catherine the Great
 - D. Helen of Troy
- d) To which Greek mythological character is Faustus compared in the Prologue?
 - A. Hercules
 - B. Perseus
 - C. Icarus
 - D. Theseus
- e) The term 'moor' used in the subtitle of the play has been interpreted as which of the following words:
 - A. Warrior
 - B. Fairy tale
 - C. Brave heart
 - D. African
- f) Who has called Othello as 'most romantic of all of Shakespeare's heroes'?
 - A. Alfred de Vigny



- B. William Hazlitt
 - C. Bradley
 - D. R. Leavis
- g)** Whose testimony proved Iago to be the real culprit for Desdemona's death?
- A. Emilia
 - B. Cassio
 - C. Bianca
 - D. None of these
- h)** Othello's gift to Desdemona that was used by Iago against Desdemona was:
- A. Handkerchief
 - B. Bracelet
 - C. Scarf
 - D. Necklace
- i)** What was it that Queen Elizabeth said she was married to?
- A. Parliament
 - B. France
 - C. Her country
 - D. The theatre
- j)** Which of the following was NOT a body of the government of England during the Elizabethan Era?
- A. Privy Council
 - B. House of Lords
 - C. House of Commons
 - D. Senate
- k)** What was the Privy Council?
- A. A group of advisors to the monarch
 - B. A group of commoners who voted on laws
 - C. An English acting company
 - D. A Renaissance singing group
 - E. One of the two houses of parliament
- l)** What type of plays were performed at the English theatre?
- A. History plays
 - B. Comedies
 - C. Tragedies
 - D. All of the above
- m)** Faustus has a servant named
- A. Rafe
 - B. Pat
 - C. Wagner
 - D. Meme
- n)** Who has written Dutches of Malfi _____.
- A. John Webster
 - B. Marlow



- C. Spenser
- D. Ben Johnson

Attempt any four questions from Q-2 to Q-8

- Q-2** “Doctor Faustus is the tragedy of an aspiring intellect that is doomed to failure.” Discuss. (14)
- Q-3** Evaluate: Socio-Political conditions of Elizabethan Period. (14)
- Q-4** Discuss. Christopher Marlow as Elizabethan dramatist. (14)
- Q-5** Do you think Iago as a Villain or hero of *Othello*? Discuss with examples. (14)
- Q-6** Who are University Wits? Explain the contribution of University Wits during the Elizabethan period. (14)
- Q-7** Write short notes:
- A** Renaissance elements in Dr. Faustus (07)
 - B** Character Sketch of Emilia. (07)
- Q-8** Write short notes:
- A** Character Sketch of Desdemona. (07)
 - B** The birth of Elizabethan Literature. (07)

