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C.U.SHAH UNIVERSITY

Winter Examination-2018

Subject Name : History of English Literature : The Age of Chaucer

Subject Code : 4AH01HEL2

Branch: B.A. (English)

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Date : 30/11/2018

Time : 02:30 To 05:30

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 Choose the correct alternative from those given below each statement: (14)

- a) The Age of Chaucer covers one of the following periods
 - a. 1350-1400
 - b. 1440-1500
 - c. 1550-1620
- b) Literary works of Chaucer had an influence of
 - a. Italy
 - b. France
 - c. German
- c) Chaucer's *Romaunt of the Rose* is
 - a. An epic
 - b. An allegory
 - c. A romance
- d) The Legend of Good Women are the stories of women who were
 - a. True to love
 - b. True to their lovers
 - c. True to their country
- e) At Canterbury there is a shrine of
 - a. Saint Francis
 - b. Saint Augustine
 - c. Saint Thomas A Backet
- f) In Canterbury Tales Chaucer could finish only _____ tales out of planning one hundred twenty eight tales.
 - a. 28
 - b. 24
 - c. 30
- g) _____ is Chaucer's unfinished poem
 - a. The House of Fame
 - b. The Legend of Good Women
 - c. The Book of Duchess
- h) Translations of the Bible into English is a work by
 - a. Geoffrey Chaucer



- b. William Langland
 - c. John Wycliffe
- i) _____ was written in Midland dialect - the first literary language of England and hence was known as the first prose in modern English.
 - a. Mandeville's Travels
 - b. Piers Ploughman
 - c. The Legend of Good Women
- j) *For gold in phisik is cordial
Therefore he loved gold in specia*
These lines are related with one of the following characters in Chaucer's *Prologue to the Canterbury Tales*.
 - a. Doctor of Phisik
 - b. The Legend of Good Women
 - c. Troilus and Cryseyde
- k) _____ is drawn an ideal character in Chaucer's The Prologue to the Canterbury Tales.
 - a. The Monk
 - b. The Doctor of Phisik
 - c. The Poor Parson of the Taun
- l) The author of *Condessiion Amantris* is
 - a. Geoffrey Chaucer
 - b. John Wycliffe
 - c. John Gower
- m) The pilgrims to Canterbury stayed at _____ for a night.
 - a. Horizon hotel
 - b. Tabard Inn
 - c. Paradise Inn
- n) The meter used in Chaucer's *Troilus and Cryseyde* is
 - a. Rime Royal
 - b. Heroic Couplet
 - c. Blank Verse

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

- Q-2** Elaborate salient literary characteristics of the Age of Chaucer. (14)
- Q-3** Why Geoffrey Chaucer is called "The Father of English Poetry"? (14)
- Q-4** a) Write short notes on the following: (14)
 1. The Framework of the Canterbury Tales.
 2. The Character Sketch of The Knight.
- Q-5** Evaluate The Prologue to the Canterbury Tales as a picture of the Fourteenth century England. (14)
- Q-6** Write notes of the following: (14)
 a. Wife of Bath
 b. The Monk



Q-7 Write short notes on the following (14)
a. Chaucer's *The Legend of Good Women*
b. John Wycliffe's *Translations of the Bible into English*
c.

Q-8 Show your Acquaintances: (any two) (14)
a) Piers Ploughman
b) The House of Fame
c) The Book of the Duchess
d) Troilus and Cryste

