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# C. U. SHAH UNIVERSITY Winter Examination-2021 

## Subject Name : English Language and Prosody

Subject Code : 4AH05ELP2
Semester: 5 Date: 13/12/2021

Branch: B.A. (English)

Time: 11:00 To 02:00 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.

## Attempt the following questions:

a) Who can be considered as indigenous to England?
A Celts
B Angels
C Saxons
D Jute
b) Who were the first invaders on England? When did the invaded?
A Norman
B Vikings
C Romans
D Greek
c) Old English is the mixture of Three languages. State the names of those languages.
A Danish, Spanish and English
B Latin, Greek and Arabic
C Hebrew, German and French
D Celtic, Scandinavian and Latin
d) The rise of old English was a result of $\qquad$ tribes.
A American
B Celtic
C Germanic
D Machiavellian
e) Which language did St. Augustine bring with him during 597 AD for the spread of Christianity?
A French
B English
C Latin
D Greek
f) During 789 AD there was a Danish invasion on England. What were they called?
A Vikings
B Normans
C Denmarkians
D Danishians
g) Which language did the Normans brought to England?
A French
B English
C Latin
D Greek
h) State the span of Old English.
A 500BC to 43BC
B 43BC to 450AD
C 450 AD to 1050 AD
D 1050AD to 1450 AD
i) State the period of Middle English.
A 449 AD-597 AD
B $\quad 597 \mathrm{AD}-789 \mathrm{AD}$
C 450 AD - 1100 AD
D 1066 AD - 1476AD
j) Who brought the printing machine to England?
A Caxton
B Dr. Johnson
C John Dryden
D Johannes Gutenberg
k) Who compiled the First English Dictionary?
A Nathan Bailey
B Dr Samuel
C Robert Cowdrey
D Noah Webster Johnson
l) Which of the following is a trisyllabic foot?
A Iambs
B Trochee
C Anapest
D spondee
m) From which language the suffix -logy/-ology has been derived in English?
A Latin
B French
C Greek
D Scandinavian
n) Which of the following is a disyllabic foot?
A Pyrrhic
B Tribrach
C Dactyl
D Anapest

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

Q-2 Summarize the development of dictionaries in English language.
Q-3 Explain the Greek influence on English language.
Q-4 State and describe the general characteristics of English language.
Q-5 Trace the development of the English language
Q-6 Explain the Latin influence on English language.
Q-7 Explain the following feet in detail
A Iamb
B Trochee

## Q-8 Determine the meter, length in feet and rhyming of the following stanza

My heart aches, and a drowsy numbness pains
My sense, as though of hemlock I had drunk,
Or emptied some dull opiate to the drains
One minute past, and Lethe-wards had sunk:

