

SIXTH SEMESTER B.A./B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, MARCH 2020

(CUCBCSS—UG)

English

ENG 6B 03—WOMEN'S WRITING

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

I. Answer the following bunches of questions :

- 1 _____ is the name of the theatre manager who took pity on Judith and by whom she found herself with a child.
 - (a) Nick Greene.
 - (b) Graham Greene.
 - (c) Prof Trevelyn.
 - (d) Oscar Browning.
- 2 Male pseudonym was used in _____ phase.
 - (a) Feminine.
 - (b) Feminist.
 - (c) Female.
 - (d) None of these.
- 3 _____ is a campaigner for Australian aboriginal rights.
 - (a) Emily Dickinson.
 - (b) Adrienne Rich.
 - (c) Noonuccal Oodgeroo.
 - (d) Kamala Das.
- 4 Who is known as 'the Belle of Amherst' ?
 - (a) Emily Dickinson.
 - (b) Adrienne Rich.
 - (c) Noonuccal Oodgeroo.
 - (d) Kamala Das.
- 5 Tigers symbolize _____.
 - (a) Freedom.
 - (b) Death.
 - (c) Marriage
 - (d) Fear.
- 6 _____ was waiting at the railway station to receive the girl and family.
 - (a) Maami.
 - (b) Maama.
 - (c) Naani.
 - (d) Baabu.
- 7 _____ was killed by the horse.
 - (a) Laurie.
 - (b) Sheridan.
 - (c) kitty.
 - (d) Scott.

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8 _____ is the name of the unseen dog to whom Chandidasi speaks.

- (a) Tukni. (b) Tolu.
(c) Jhumra. (d) Molu.

9 The bicycle race symbolizes _____.

- (a) Speed. (b) Travel towards freedom.
(c) Problems. (d) Experiencing difficulties.

10 _____ enacted the role of Lakshmi in the movie *Mitr : My Friend*.

- (a) Revathy. (b) Shobana.
(c) Shabana Azmi. (d) Beena Paul.

(10 × 1 = 10 marks)

II. Answer any *ten* of the following questions in two or three sentences :

- 11 Where Shakespeare's sister's body is buried ?
- 12 What is feminine and feminist invalidism ?
- 13 Why does Kamala Das attribute the term "everyman" to her husband ?
- 14 What is bora ring ?
- 15 What happen to the tigers after Aunt Jennifer's death ?
- 16 "You are born a girl and you will have to bend for the rest of your life". What is the occasion ?
- 17 What is death according to Laura ?
- 18 What is the reason for Malinder telling his son that he has no mother ?
- 19 What does the *chador* symbolize ?
- 20 Why did Divya decide to leave the house ?
- 21 Why did the women in Emily Dickinson's poem drop all the playthings of her life ?
- 22 Why does Annette is embarrassed that Antoinette is so unpresentable ?

(10 × 2 = 20 marks)

III. Answer any *four* of the following questions in a paragraph of 100 words :

- 23 Why did female writers of Elizabethan age write under male pseudonym ?
- 24 What is the story of Lyndall ?

- 25 Discuss the title of the poem "She rose to His Requirement".
- 26 How do the Tigers made by Aunt Jennifer look like ?
- 27 Why do people fear Chandidasi ?
- 28 Character sketch of Christophine Dubois.

(4 × 5 = 20 marks)

IV. Answer any *two* of the following questions in 300 words :

- 29 Discuss the major theme of 'The Garden Party'.
- 30 Substantiate the title of the film *The Day I Became a Woman*.
- 31 Discuss the circumstances that led to the self discovery of Lakshmi.
- 32 Consider the role of parent-child relationships in *Wide Sargasso Sea*, examining themes of power, identity, and abandonment.

(2 × 15 = 30 marks)