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**BA DEGREE EXAMINATION,AUGUST 2023
Second Semester
BA English Language and Literature
B21EG02DC - Introduction to Literary Genres I : Poetry and Drama
2022 ADMISSIONS**

**Time: 3
Hours**

Max Marks: 70

Section A

Answer any ten questions in a word or sentence each. Each question carries 1 mark.

1. How is poetry classified broadly?
2. Where is the word poetry derived from?
3. Give an example for a mock-epic.
4. Name the two parts of an Italian Sonnet?
5. Name the allegorical novel written by John Bunyan.
6. Who introduced the verse form Heroic Couplet into English?
7. How many sonnets did Shakespeare write?
8. In which genre does the poem, Lycidas belong to?
9. What does the term valedicere mean?
10. What trait of romanticism is expressed in the poem Ode to the West Wind?
11. Name the first real comedy
12. What is the poem "The Thought Fox" about?
13. Name a play by Christopher Marlowe
14. Who were the major tragedians of the Elizabethan Age
15. Name the 18th century writers who made major contributions to the genre" one-act plays?

(1x10=10)

Section B

Answer any five questions in one or two sentences each. Each question carries 2 marks.

16. What is apostrophe ?
17. Dramatic Monologue
18. Blank verse
19. Morality plays
20. University Wits

21. Character of Nora in Ibsen's The Doll's House.
22. What are the arguments made by Brecht in the poem, Questions from a Worker Who Reads?
23. Comedy of Humours
24. Major theme of the poem, Telephone Conversation.
25. Philosophy conveyed through the poem, Resolution and Independence.

(2x5=10)

Section C

Answer any six questions in one page each. Each question carries 5 marks.

26. Define Ballad
27. Lycidas as a pastoral elegy
28. Animal imagery in The Thought Fox.
29. What is an ode.
30. The major romantic traits in the poem, Ode to the West Wind
31. Soliloquy and Aside
32. Briefly define the Poetic devices
33. Structure of the poem, Sonnet 116.
34. Autobiographical elements in My Grandmother's House
35. Briefly describe the major dramatic genres
36. Critical perspectives on the Ibsen's play, The Doll's House
37. Origins of English drama

(5x6=30)

Section D

Answer any two questions in three pages each. Each question carries 10 marks.

38. Comment on the characterisation in Julius Caesar
39. Elaborate on the literary genre, epic
40. Modern English Drama
41. My Last Duchess as a Dramatic Monologue

(10x2=20)