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**MAEG (M.A. English) Examination-2014-15**  
**English Communications and Usage**  
**MAEG-01**

**Max Marks: 20**

Note: The Internal Assignment has been divided into three sections A, B, and C. Write Answer as per the given instruction.

**Section-A**  
**(Very Short Answer Type Questions)**

Note: Answer all questions. As per the nature of the question you delimit your answer in one word, one sentence or maximum up to 30 words. Each question carries **1mark**.

**4x1=04**

Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions that follow in your own words:

Since the world has become industrialised, there has been an increase in the number of animal species that have either become extinct or have neared extinction. Bengal tiger, for instance, which once roamed the jungle in vast numbers, now number only 2300 and by the year 2025 their population is esteemed to be down to zero. What is alarming about the case of Bengal tiger is that this extinction will have been caused almost entirely by poachers who accordingly to some sources, are not interested in material gain but in personal gratification. This is an example of the callousness that is part of what is causing the problem of extinction. Animal like the Bengal tiger, as well as those endangered species, are a valuable part of this world's ecosystem. International law protecting these animals must be enacted to ensure their survival, and the survival of the planet. Countries around the world have begun to deal with the problem in various ways. Some countries, in order to circumvent the problem, have allocated large amount of land to animal reserves. They then charge admission to help defray the costs of maintaining the parks, and they often must also depend on world organizations for support. With the money get, they can invest in equipment and patrols to protect the animals .Another solution that is an attempt to stem the tide, of animal extinction is an international boycott of products made from endangered species. This seems fairly effective, but it will not, by itself, prevent animals from being hunted and killed.

Q.1. What is author's main concern in this passage?

Q.2. Which of the following word is closest in the passage in meaning to the word 'frightening'? and What is the meaning of the phrase 'Stem the tide'?

Q3. Why certain species are becoming extinct?

Q4. What solution does the author suggest for the protection of tigers?

### **Section-B**

#### **(Short Answer Questions)**

**Note: Answer any 2 questions. Each answer should not exceed 200 words. Each question carries 4 marks.**

**2x4=08**

**Q5** Make notes on the passage given above.

**Q6** As a staff reporter of Hindustan times, who witnessed a multiple collision of a Maruti car, a scooter and a tourist bus in a road accident, write a report .

**Q7** Write notes in 200 words each with suitable examples on the following:

1. Compounding

2. Morphology

**Q8** Write a note on Electronic Communication.

### **Section 'C'**

#### **(Long Answer Questions)**

**Note: Answer any one question. You have to delimit your each answer maximum up to 800 words. Each question carries 08 marks.**

**Q9** Write detail notes on the Morphology and Phonology and explain them with suitable examples.

**Q10** Explain the following formal structure of phrase type with examples to support your definitions and explanations:-

1. Noun phrase
2. Verb phrase
3. Adjective phrase
4. Adverb phrase
5. Prepositional phrase

**MAEG (M.A. English) Examination-2014-15**  
**Renaissance to Jacobean Age**  
**MAEG-02**

**Max Marks: 20**

Note: The Internal Assignment has been divided into three sections A, B, and C. Write answer as per the given instruction.

**Section-A**  
**(Very Short Answer Type Questions)**

Note: Answer all questions. As per the nature of the question you delimit your answer in one word, one sentence or maximum up to 30 words. Each question carries **1mark**.

**4x1=04**

- Q1 To which age did Chaucer belong?
- Q2 Who was Tranquil?
- Q3 When did Earl of Surrey died?
- Q4 What does health represent in King Lear?

**Section-B**  
**(Short Answer Questions)**

**Note: Answer any 2 questions. Each answer should not exceed 200 words. Each question carries 4 marks.**

**2x4=08**

- Q5 Chaucer's prologue to Canterbury Tales is a blend of humour and satire. Discuss.
- Q6 What do you mean by moral allegory? Illustrate it in the reference of 'Faerie Queen' Canto -I.
- Q7 Explain with reference to the context.  
"Haste therefore each degree  
To welcome destiny:  
Heaven is our heritage,  
Earth but a player's stage."
- Q8 Ben Johnson is a writer of comedy of Humour. Discuss.

**Section 'C'**  
**(Long Answer Questions)**

**Note: Answer any one question. You have to delimit your each answer maximum up to 800 words. Each question carries 08 marks.**

- Q9 Write a note on the themes and plot construction of the play "The Duchess of Malfi".
- Q10 How does Johnson reflect the society and London of his times in "The Alchemist"?

**MAEG (M.A. English) Examination-2014-15**  
**Caroline and Reformation Age**  
**MAEG-03**

**Max Marks: 20**

Note: The Internal Assignment has been divided into three sections A, B, and C. Write Answer as per the given instruction.

**Section-A**  
**(Very Short Answer Type Questions)**

Note: Answer all questions. As per the nature of the question you delimit your answer in one word, one sentence or maximum up to 30 words. Each question carries **1mark**.

**4x1=04**

- Q1 The character Sir Peter Teazle is from which novel?
- Q2 What is the full title of Moll Flander?
- Q3 Who and what has been taught by Nature in Ode to Simplicity?
- Q4 Which epic poem was written in 1667 ?

**Section-B**  
**(Short Answer Questions)**

Note: Answer any 2 questions. Each answer should not exceed 200 words. Each question carries 4 marks.

**2x4=08**

- Q5 Write a note on comedy of manners.
- Q6 Give the significance of the title '*Moll Flanders*'.
- Q 7 Write a note on the major poets of Transitional Age.
- Q8 Write a critical appreciation of Collin's *Ode to Simplicity*.

**Section 'C'**  
**(Long Answer Questions)**

Note: Answer any one question. You have to delimit your each answer maximum up to 800 words. Each question carries 08 marks.

- Q9 *The Battle of the Books* contains a satirical background of controversy between Ancient and Modern authors in England. Discuss.
- Q10 Discuss *Lycidas* as a Pastoral Elegy.

**MAEG (M.A. English) Examination-2014-15**  
**Romantic Age**  
**MAEG-04**

**Max Marks: 20**

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Write Answer as per the given instruction.

**Section-A**  
**(Very Short Answer Type Questions)**

Note: Answer all questions. As per the nature of the question you delimit your answer in one word, one sentence or maximum up to 30 words. Each question carries **1mark**.

**4x1=04**

- Q1 Who accompanied Wordsworth during his visit to the Abbey?
- Q2 Write archaic words are used in Rime of Ancient Mariner.
- Q3 What is the definition of irony?
- Q4 Who was Lady Rowena?

**Section-B**  
**(Short Answer Questions)**

Note: Answer any 2 questions. Each answer should not exceed 200 words.  
Each question carries 4 marks.

**2x4=08**

- Q5 Write a critical appreciation of the poem *Ode To Grecian Urn*.
- Q6 What are the main features of Wordsworth's poetry.
- Q7 Write a summary of the poem *Kubla Khan*.
- Q8 Write a note on ballad poetry.

**Section 'C'**  
**(Long Answer Questions)**

Note: Answer any one question. You have to delimit your each answer maximum up to 800 words. Each question carries 08 marks.

- Q9 Discuss *Pride and Prejudice* as a comedy of Manners.
- Q10 Discuss the salient features of Hazlitt as an essayist.