MAEG-02

December - Examination 2016

MA (Prev.) English Examination

Renaissance To Jacobean Age

Paper - MAEG-02

Time : 3 Hours]

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[Max. Marks :- 80

Note: The question paper is divided into three sections A, B and C. Write answers as per given instructions.

Section - A

 $8 \times 2 = 16$

(Very Short Answer Questions)

- **Note:** Answer **all** these questions in one word, one sentence or maximum upto 30 words. Each question carries 2 marks.
- 1) (i) Name all the eight of Chancer's pilgrims that belong to the church.
 - (ii) What did spenser consider as the highest of the twelve virtues of mankind?
 - (iii) Who wrote the poem 'And wilt than leave me thus' and in which century?
 - (iv) How is spring addressed by Thomas Nasche?
 - (v) What do the Duchess and Bosola speak in verse?
 - (vi) What happens when Faustus stabs his arm? What does it indicate?

- (vii) 'Revenge is a kind of _____'. Complete this first sentence of Bacon's essay.
- (viii) What is 'extasie' in the poem by John Donne?

Section - B $4 \times 8 = 32$

(Short Answer Questions)

- **Note:** Answer **any four** questions in not more than 200 words. Each question carries 8 marks.
- 2) Describe Donne as a religious poet.
- 3) Lear says 'I am more sinned against than sinning'. Discuss.
- 4) Comment on Duke Senior's view of life in the Forest of Arden.
- 5) Write a short note on 'The Elizabethan Drama'.
- 6) What are the main features of Chancer's characterization?
- 7) Write a note on the peculiar qualities of Spenser's verse in Book I Canto I of 'The Faerie Queens'.
- 8) Summarize Sir Thomas Wyatt's 'Lo, What it is to Love'.
- 9) How does Thomas Nashe describe the sweet spring?

Section - C

(Long Answer Questions)

- **Note:** Answer **any two** questions in not more than 500 words. Each question carries 16 marks.
- 10) Describe 'The Duchess of Malfi' as a play in the revenge tradition.
- 11) Discuss 'The Achemist' as a moral comedy.
- 12) Discuss John Donne as a metaphysical poet.
- 13) Write an essay on Bacon's prose style with reference to the essays you have read.