

10. Write an essay on the prose style of Bacon with reference to the essays you have read.
11. Write a detailed note on the significance of the character of Nancy in 'Oliver Twist'.
12. Describe Addison's views about the inscriptions on the tomb stones in the Westminster Abbey.
13. How does Katherine Mansfield depict the theme of womanly jealousy in 'A Cup of Tea' ?

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[Maximum Marks : 70

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

Section-A

7×2=14

(Very Short Answer Type Questions)

Note :- Answer all questions. As per the nature of the question delimit your answer in one word, one sentence or maximum up to **30** words. Each question carries 2 marks.

1. (i) How does Bacon classify books ?

- (ii) What circumstances does Addison find common to all mankind ?
- (iii) What should be the first lesson of a woman, according to Charles Lamb ?
- (iv) How does ignorance result into prejudice, according to Hazlitt ?
- (v) Name the *six* members of the spectator club given by Richard Steele.
- (vi) How does Matilda hope to impress the guests at a high society affair given by her husband's employer in the story 'The Necklace' ?
- (vii) What advice did Philip give to Rosemary in the story 'A Cup of Tea' ?

Section-B **4×7=28**

(Short Answer Type Questions)

Note :- Answer any *four* questions. Each answer should not exceed **200** words. Each question carries 7 marks.

2. Comment on the relationship between Kiran and Nilkanta in the story 'The Castaway'.

3. Describe the changing relationship between Khushwant Singh and his grandmother.
4. How did the Talkative Man plan to move the engine from the Gymkhana grounds ? Was he successful ?
5. How does O' Henry surprise the readers at the end of the story 'Gift of the Magi' ?
6. Write a note on human behaviour depicted in 'The Boy Who Broke the Bank'.
7. Write a character sketch of Nene in the story 'Marriage is a Private Affair'.
8. How did Shahid and Amitav Ghosh react to the knowledge that Shahid is going to die ?
9. What difficulties did Washington face on reaching Richmond ?

Section-C **2×14=28**

(Long Answer Type Questions)

Note :- Answer any *two* questions. You have to delimit your each answer maximum up to **500** words. Each question carries 14 marks.