

**MAEG-03**

June - Examination 2016

**MA (Prev.) English Examination****Caroline to Reformation Age****Paper - MAEG-03****Time : 3 Hours ]****[ 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 × 2 = 16**

(Very Short Answer Questions)

**Note:** Attempt all the 8 (eight) very short answer type questions (one word, one sentence and definitional type item). Each question carries 2 (two) marks and the word limit is 30 (thirty). The weightage of this section is 16 (sixteen) marks.

- 1) (i) Who can be called the first English novelist?
- (ii) Who was the first critic to use the term metaphysical?
- (iii) What does the poem 'The Echoing Green' celebrate?
- (iv) How does the poet describe the clouds in 'Ode to Evening'?
- (v) On what does poetry exercise 'Self Control'? (Progress of Poesy)

- (vi) What does 'Matrimonial Whoredom' refer to in 'Moll Flanders'?
- (vii) Name the uncle to Tristram and brother of Walter in the novel 'Tristram Shandy'.
- (viii) How did Baron feel after cutting the lock in 'The Rape of the Lock'?

### Section - B

4 × 8 = 32

(Short Answer Questions)

**Note:** This section contains 8 (eight) short answer type questions. Answer any 4 (four) questions. Each question carries 8 (eight) marks. The weightage of this section is 32 (thirty two) marks. Delimit each answer in maximum 200 words.

- 2) Discuss Satan as the hero of Paradise Lost Book I, especially on the basis of his speeches made to Beelzebub.
- 3) Critically analyse the poem 'To Daffodils' by Robert Herrick.
- 4) Discuss the allegorical significance of the spider and bee episode in 'The Battle of the Books'.
- 5) Discuss 'The Rape of the Lock' as a satire on society.
- 6) Fielding tries to give a broad moral perspective in Tom Jones. Discuss.
- 7) Write a note on any three pen portraits in 'Absalom and Achitophel'.
- 8) Describe the character of Lady Teazle in 'The School for Scandal'.
- 9) Discuss the conflict between city and country values with reference to 'She stoops to conquer'.

**Section - C****2 × 16 = 32**

(Long Answer Questions)

**Note:** This section contains 4 (four) long answer type questions. Each question carries 16 (sixteen) marks. Answer any 2 (two) questions. The weightage of this section is 32 (thirty two) marks. Delimit each answer in maximum 500 words.

- 10) Critically evaluate the novel 'Tristram Shandy' or 'Moll Flanders'.
- 11) Discuss Thomas Gray as a Transitional poet with reference to the poems you have read.
- 12) Write a critical appreciation of 'Ode to Evening' or 'Ode to Simplicity'.
- 13) Blake was a romantic not only in his passion for liberty but in his love of nature. Discuss with reference to Blake's poems that you have read.

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