

MAEG-07
June - Examination 2017
MA (Final) English Examination
Twentieth Century
Paper - MAEG-07

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

- 1) (i) What is the full name of W. H. Auden?
- (ii) Write the five parts of 'The wasteland'.
- (iii) Who was Constance Markievicz?
- (iv) Name the poems of Dylan Thomas prescribed in your syllabus.
- (v) Who wrote 'Saint John'?

- (vi) Write atleast two major characters of the play 'The playboy of the western world'.
- (vii) Which play is a social document of the disoriented mid-1950's?
- (viii) Name the characters of 'Waiting for Godot'.

Section - B**4 × 8 = 32**

(Short Answer Questions)

Note: Answer **any four** questions. Each answer should not exceed 200 words. Each question carries 8 marks.

- 2) Comment on the setting of the play 'Waiting for Godot'.
- 3) Write the critical appreciation of the poem 'Sept. 1, 1939'.
- 4) 'Brave New world' depicts a society of false happiness. Discuss.
- 5) Give the character sketch of Clara.
- 6) Discuss the significance of the rose symbol in 'A portrait of the Artist as a young Man.'
- 7) Throw light on the theme of the novel 'Mrs Dalloway'.
- 8) Critically analyse the poem 'This Bread I Break'.
- 9) Throw light on the influence of 'Wasteland' on modern poetry.

Section - C**2 × 16 = 32**

(Long Answer Questions)

Note: Answer **any two** questions. Delimit the answer in 500 words.

- 10) Elucidate Orwell's views on Imperialism and socio political circumstances of his age.
 - 11) What is stream of consciousness? How does Virginia woolf employ this skill for the portrayal of life and characters? Explain.
 - 12) Elucidate 'The playboy of the western world' is a comedy or a tragedy or both.
 - 13) What is Freudian Oedipus complex? Comment on the use in 'Sons and Lovers'.
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