

101/Eng.(N) UG/1st Sem/ENG-MAJ-T-101/23

U.G. 1st Semester Examination - 2023

ENGLISH

[MAJOR]

Course Code : ENG-MAJ-T-101

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Full Marks : 60

Time : 2½ Hours

*The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.
Candidates are required to give their answers in their
own words as far as practicable.*

UNIT-1

1. Answer any **ten** of the following questions :

2×10=20

- a) Define genre as a literary term.
- b) Distinguish between public and private symbols in literature.
- c) What is 'Kunstlerroman'?
- d) Identify the type of the following novels :
 - i) *Uncle Tom's Cabin*
 - ii) *Mrs Dalloway*
- e) Cite one example each of a comedy by Aristophanes and Shakespeare.
- f) Define Comedy of Humours with an illustrative example.
- g) Explain the term *hamartia* after Aristotle.
- h) Mention two modern tragedies.
- i) What is the difference between 'round' and 'flat' characters?

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- j) What is a dramatic lyric? Give one example.
- k) State two features of a literary epic.
- l) What is a third-person narrative?
- m) What is dramatic irony?
- n) How is a story different from a plot?

2. Answer any **four** of the following questions :

5×4=20

- a) Write a note on romantic comedy.
- b) What distinguishes a social novel from a historical one? Give examples.
- c) Discuss the differences between a Classical tragedy and an Elizabethan tragedy.
- d) Describe the various kinds of lyrics with examples.
- e) Explain the different categories of epic with examples.
- f) Write short notes on narrative and narratology.
- g) State the difference between denotation and connotation.

UNIT-2

3. Answer any **two** questions : 10×2=20

- a) Specify the characteristics of effective writing.
- b) How significant is an introduction and a conclusion in a research paper?
- c) Describe the various ways of judging the authority of a printed source.
- d) How is a summary different from a paraphrase? How does one use a quotation in academic writing?