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IV Semester B.A. Degree (CCSS – Reg./Supple./Imp.)

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(2010 Admission Onwards)

CORE COURSE IN ENGLISH

4 B05 ENG : Reading Poetry

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Weightage : 30

I. Answer the 4 bunches of questions choosing the right option : **(4x1=4)**

1) a) Which of the following is a figure of speech ?
a) Metaphor b) Lyric c) Pastiche d) Limerick

b) Which of the following is a literary genre ?
a) Metaphor b) Metonymy c) Parody d) Imagery

c) Tercet has _____ lines.
a) 2 b) 3 c) 4 d) 5

d) Buckle-Knuckle
a) True rhyme b) Feminine rhyme
c) Slant rhyme d) Off-rhyme

2) a) The tavern where the travellers meet
a) The tavern b) Tabard Inn
c) Travers Inn d) None of the above

b) "I choose never to stoop"
a) Fra Pandolf b) Duke of Ferrara
c) St. Thomas Becket d) None of the above

c) The proper study of _____ is man.
a) Poetry b) Mankind c) World d) Literature

d) Shakespeare compares love to _____
a) Guiding North Star b) Summer
c) Poetry d) Nature

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- 3) a) 'The fat woman' in E. V. Ramakrishnan's poem is _____
 a) Sister b) Daughter c) Mother d) Cousin
- b) Image of 'running stream' in Eliot
 a) Timelessness of journey b) Eternal wait
 c) Passing of years d) None of the above
- c) Who has alzheimers in E. V. Ramakrishnan's poem ?
 a) Father b) Mother c) Poet d) Stranger
- d) We are Going is dedicated to _____
 a) Aborigines b) Grannie Coolwell
 c) Bora ring d) None of the above
- 4) a) Agent orange is a _____
 a) Missile b) Spy network
 c) Chemical weapon d) None of the above
- b) Munay hutoo _____
 a) My identity b) It grows back
 c) Dreams of confidence d) None of the above
- c) The Search for my tongue, a metaphor for tongue is _____
 a) Flower b) Tree c) Identity d) Foreign
- d) Judith Wright is an _____ poet.
 a) British b) Canadian c) Australian d) American

II. Write a paragraph of **100** words **each** on **any five** of the following : **(5×2=10)**

- 5) Lyric
- 6) Ode
- 7) Portrayal of the father's life and death in obituary.
- 8) The title of the poem Request to a year.
- 9) Love as described by shakespeare.
- 10) Central theme in T. S. Eliot's poem.



III. Answer **any four** of the following questions in a sentence **two each** : (4x1=4)

- 11) What is a simile ?
- 12) To whom did the duke of Ferrera show the painting ?
- 13) Name two types of Odes.
- 14) What is paradox ?
- 15) What is Bora grounds ?

IV. Write an essay of **250** words on **any one** of the following : (1x4=4)

- 16) Analyse My Last Dutchess as a dramatic monologue.
- 17) Discuss John Donne as a metaphysical poet.

V. Write an essay of **250** words on **any one** of the following : (1x4=4)

- 18) Write a critical appreciation of Emily Dickinson's poem.
- 19) We are Going as a poem about the marginalized section of Australian society.

VI. Write an essay of **250** words on **any one** of the following : (1x4=4)

- 20) Critically analyze the poem by Judith Wright.
- 21) Search for My Tongue is a poem about identity. Discuss.