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IV Semester B.A. Degree (CCSS – Supple./Imp.) Examination, May 2016

Core Course in English

4B05 ENG : READING POETRY

(2010-13 Admissions)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Weightage : 30

I. Answer the 4 bunches of questions choosing the right option : (4×1=4)

1) a) Which of the following is a figure of speech ?

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| a) Metonymy | b) Lyric |
| c) Parody | d) Elegy |

b) Which of the following is a literary genre ?

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| a) Metaphor | b) Imagery |
| c) Metonymy | d) Lyric |

c) Horatian and Pindaric _____

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| a) Lyric | b) Ode |
| c) Elegy | d) Ballad |

d) "I choose never to stoop"

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| a) Fra Pandolf | b) St. Thomas Becket |
| c) Duke of Ferrara | d) None of the above |

2) a) Canterbury Tales have _____ travellers.

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| a) 10 | b) 20 | c) 29 | d) 19 |
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b) Love is described as _____ by Shakespeare.

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| a) Spring | b) Guiding north star |
| c) Sun | d) Compass |

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- c) The speaker in Donne's poem is talking to
a) Wife b) Son c) Husband d) Self
- d) Shakespeare wrote _____ sonnets.
a) 150 b) 160 c) 164 d) 154
- 3) a) Quartz contentment is an example of _____
a) Oxymoron b) Paradox
c) Simile d) Metaphor
- b) "Old White horse" in T.S. Eliot's poem
a) Tunelessness b) Rebirth of Christ Symbolises
c) Journey of the Magi d) None of the above
- c) Bora grounds are _____
a) Residential areas b) Sacred places
c) Nature d) None of the above
- d) The poem Obituary talks about the death of the _____
a) Father b) Mother
c) Son d) Sister
- 4) a) Middle section of the poem Search for my Tongue is in _____
a) Hindi b) Gujarati
c) English d) Diagram
- b) Tree is described as a _____ in Killing a Tree.
a) Parasite b) Strength
c) Power d) Energy
- c) Alpenstock is _____
a) Tree b) Walking stick
c) Man d) None of the above
- d) Agent Orange Knife speaks of _____
a) Nature b) Vietnam war
c) Aborigines d) Symbolism



- II. Write a paragraph of **100** words **each** on **any five** of the following : **(5×2=10)**
- 5) Narrative poetry.
 - 6) Ballad.
 - 7) Remembering the father in Obituary.
 - 8) The title of the poem Killing a tree.
 - 9) Paradox in Donne's poetry.
 - 10) Love as described by Shakespeare.
- III. Answer **any four** of the following questions in a sentence or **two each**. **(4×1=4)**
- 11) What is alliteration ?
 - 12) Who painted the last Dutchess ?
 - 13) The central theme in Dickinson's poem.
 - 14) How many children does the great-great-grand mother have ?
 - 15) What is hyperbole ?
- IV. Write an essay of **250** words on **any one** of the following : **(1×4=4)**
- 16) Critically analyze Popes Poetry.
 - 17) My Last Dutchess as a dramatic monologue.
- V. Write an essay of **250** words on **any one** of the following : **(1×4=4)**
- 18) Critically analyze the poem by Emily Dickinson.
 - 19) We are Going as a poem on the aborigines in Australia.
- VI. Write an essay of **250** words on **any one** of the following : **(1×4=4)**
- 20) Write a critical appreciation of the poem by Judith Wright.
 - 21) Search for My Tongue is about the experience of the migrants. Discuss.
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