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Examination, April 2021

(2014 - 2018 Admissions)

CORE COURSE IN FUNCTIONAL ENGLISH
6B13FNG: Introduction to Creative Writing

Time: 3 Hours Total Marks: 40

- I. Answer the following questions in a word or phrase : (4×1=4)
  - 1) Write an example for oxymoron.
  - 2) What does Homodiegetic mean?
  - 3) What is biography?
  - 4) Give an example for creative non-fiction.
- II. Answer seven of the following questions in not more than 3 sentences each:
  (7×2=14)
  - 5) What is poetic license?
  - 6) Define short story.
  - 7) How do you differentiate critical writing from creative writing?
  - 8) What are the features of radio plays?
  - 9) What does the term collocation stand for ?
  - 10) What are the major types of writing?
  - 11) What is flash fiction?
  - 12) What are the features of a script?
  - 13) Significance of coinage and construction in creative writing.
  - 14) Distinguish between simile and metaphor.

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- 15) Define protagonist.
- 16) Distinguish between metonymy and synecdoche.
- 17) How does hyperbole differ from eulogy?
- 18) Give an example for idiomatic expression.
- III. Answer four of the following questions in a paragraph of about 80 words: (4x3=12)
  - 19) Write a short note on descriptive writing.
  - 20) Use of antonyms and synonyms in creative writing.
  - 21) Compare and contrast formal and informal styles in writing.
  - 22) What is creative non-fiction? Give examples.
  - 23) Can fiction be realistic? How?
  - 24) Cohesion and coherence.
  - 25) The creative elements in travel writing and life writing.
  - 26) Write a note on characterization.
- IV. Answer any one of the following about 250 words:

(1×5=5)

- 27) Write an essay on the processes involved in creative writing.
- 28) Write a script for a radio-play on the importance of social distancing and use of mask during Covid pandemic.
- 29) Figurative/imaginative dimensions of creative writing.
- V. Attempt any one of the following about 250 words:

 $(1 \times 5 = 5)$ 

- 30) Prepare a script for an edutainment programme for secondary level students.
- 31) Explain how does creative writing differ from other forms of writing.
- 32) Write a travelogue on a journey you have undertaken.