

11. How many grave diggers are mentioned in the play, Hamlet?
 - a. One
 - b. Two
 - c. Three
 - d. Four
12. What is the name of the flower used to make the magical juice poured in Titania's eyes?
 - a. Love in the mist
 - b. Love in idleness
 - c. Pease blossom
 - d. Deadly nightshade
13. How does Gertrude die in the play, Hamlet?
 - a. Poison
 - b. Suicide
 - c. Murder
 - d. Disease
14. Polonius is killed by.....
 - a. Claudius
 - b. Hamlet
 - c. Laertes
 - d. Gertrude
15. Which of the following characters sees the ghost of Hamlet's father first?
 - a. Claudius
 - b. Hamlet
 - c. Horatio
 - d. Marcellus
16. Who said, "Brevity is the soul of wit"?
 - a. Marcellus
 - b. Polonius
 - c. Claudius
 - d. Hamlet
17. What is the title of the play within a play in Hamlet?
 - a. Murder of Gonzago
 - b. Murder of King Hamlet
 - c. The trap mouse play
 - d. Murder in the Castle
18. Who says, "The course of true love never did run smooth"?
 - a. Lysander
 - b. Oberon
 - c. Bottom
 - d. Puck
19. Who made the statement, 'Now cracks a noble heart'?
 - a. Horatio
 - b. Polonius
 - c. Claudius
 - d. Gertrude
20. Identify the speaker of the following lines:
"A little more than kin less than kind".
 - a. Hamlet
 - b. Claudius
 - c. Laertes
 - d. Polonius

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(Descriptive)

Time : 2 hr. 30 mins.

Marks : 50

[Answer question no.1 & any four (4) from the rest]

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| 1. a) Throw light on the role of the fairies in a Midsummer Night's dream. | 7+3=10 |
| b) What significance do forests have in this play? | |
| 2. a) Give a character sketch of Helena from the play, A Midsummer Night's dream. | 4+6=10 |
| b) Show how the characters play their roles appropriate to men and women. | |
| 3. Critically examine the dramatic significance of the Ghost in Hamlet. | 10 |
| 4. a) "So long as men can breathe or eyes can see
So long lives this and this gives life to thee"-
What and who is referred to as by 'thee'? | 5+5=10 |
| b) How does 'this' give life? | |
| 5. a) In Sonnet 130, how does Shakespeare describe the lady he loves? | 5+5=10 |
| b) Provide an explanation of the last two lines of this sonnet. | |
| 6. a) What does the word Shakespearean comedy mean? | 4+6=10 |
| b) Give the characteristics of a Shakespearean comedy with examples. | |
| 7. a) Who is Ariel and why does he work for Prospero? | 4+6=10 |
| b) Why does Prospero give us magic? | |
| 8. a) What is the impact of the masque to the overall structural unity of the play <i>The Tempest</i> ? | 5+5=10 |
| b) How does the masque differ from the rest of the play in theme? | |

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