

BA ENGLISH
FIFTH SEMESTER [SPECIAL REPEAT]
THE MODERN PERIOD (1900-2000): PROSE
BEN-503

SET
A

Duration: 3 hrs.

Full Marks: 70

(Objective)

Time: 30 mins.

Marks: 20

Choose the correct answer from the following:

1 × 20 = 20

1. Cultural stuff takes up a great deal of.....
 - a. Room and Time
 - b. Attention
 - c. Accommodation
 - d. Money
2. According to Forster faith makes one.....
 - a. Kind
 - b. Noble
 - c. Unkind
 - d. Knowledgeable
3. Sir Richard Terry was an organist in.....
 - a. The Buckingham Palace
 - b. Westminster Cathedral
 - c. The British Museum
 - d. St. Paul's Church
4. Most people never have cared for.....
 - a. The Classics
 - b. Popular Culture
 - c. Cinema
 - d. Books
5. Cultivated people are a.....
 - a. Dime a dozen
 - b. Once in a blue moon
 - c. Drop of ink in the ocean
 - d. A minority
6. The Common Reader was first published in.....
 - a. 1925
 - b. 1919
 - c. 1940
 - d. 1950
7. A writer must write what he chooses and not what he:
 - a. Must
 - b. Can
 - c. Hopes
 - d. Receives
8. Life is not a series of.....
 - a. Lamp posts
 - b. Gig lamps
 - c. Incidents
 - d. Adventures
9. A G Wells falls in the category of:
 - a. Materialist
 - b. Spiritual
 - c. Religious
 - d. Historical
10. The Portrait of an Artist as a Young Man was written by:
 - a. Virginia Woolf
 - b. Galsworthy
 - c. Thomas Hardy
 - d. James Joyce

11. Who among the following was a representation of Christ figure?
a. Simon
b. Jack
c. Ralph
d. Piggy
12. Who are the 'flies' referred to in the title 'Lord of the Flies'?
a. Piggy and Ralph
b. Simon and Ralph
c. Ralph and his team
d. Jack and his team
13. How the twins were referred to in the novel 'Lord of the Flies'?
a. Samneric
b. Samneric
c. Sam and Eric
d. Sameric
14. Who tried to commit suicide?
a. Catherine
b. Margaret
c. Christine
d. None
15. Where does Jim go at the end?
a. London
b. Scotland
c. America
d. France
16. What was the name of Mr. Welch's son?
a. Bertrand
b. Jim
c. Brandon
d. Johnny
17. In which year the novel 'Heart of Darkness' was published?
a. 1895
b. 1899
c. 1888
d. 1890
18. Statement A: The novel 'Heart of Darkness' deals with the theme of colonization.
Statement B: It is a novel that shows all the colonizers are same as they never understand the emotions of the colonized.
a. Both the Statements are True
b. Only A is true
c. Only B is true
d. Both the Statements are false
19. The novel 'Heart of Darkness' involves about:
a. Ivory business
b. Coal mining
c. Diamond selling
d. Air craft making
20. 'Lucky Jim' was published in.....
a. 1954
b. 1955
c. 1956
d. 1960

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(Descriptive)

Time : 2 hr. 30 mins.

Marks : 50

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

1. Justify the title of the novel 'Heart of Darkness'. 10
 2. Give a character sketch of Simon and Jack. 5+5=10
 3. What are the ways in which culture gets affected in the Modern era?
Write with examples from the prescribed essay. 10
 4. Comment on the theme of struggle for existence present in the novel
'Lord of the Flies'. 10
- Or
- Critically comment on the title of the chapter 'Beast from the air' present
in the novel 'Lord of the Flies'.
5. How does Woolf differentiate between Materialist and Spiritual Fiction?
Answer with reference to Woolf's essay. 10
 6. Make a critical estimate of Forster's concerns regarding Culture. 10
 7. How does the novel 'Lucky Jim' present the post war world? Critically
comment. 10
 8. "Our quarrel then is not with the classics." Explain with reference to
Modern Fiction. 10

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