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SECOND SEMESTER B.Voc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2019

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CC17U ENG1 A02/CC18U GEC2 EG04 –

WAYS WITH WORDS: LITERATURES IN ENGLISH

(Common Course)

(2018 Admission Regular)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 80 Marks

I. Answer the following questions. Each question carries 1 mark.

Choose the correct answers:

1. The "Lark" as a symbol appears in the poem
 - a) Sonnet 29
 - b) House of my Child
 - c) The Roadside Stand
 - d) Ode to Autumn
2. How did the fruits become 'holey'?
 - a) The rotten parts were dug out
 - b) They were blessed by a priest
 - c) Someone shot through them
 - d) None of these
3. Where did Jerome's father die?
 - a) Burma
 - b) Naples
 - c) Sicily
 - d) India
4. Name the season of 'mists and mellow fruitfulness'?
 - a) Winter
 - b) Spring
 - c) Autumn
 - d) Summer
5. *Adonais* is written by _____
 - a) Keats
 - b) Shelley
 - c) Coleridge
 - d) Wordsworth

Answer in a word or a phrase:

6. "The Roadside Stand" is taken from the anthology _____
7. The story 'Appointment in Samarra' is set in _____
8. What was Jerome's father?
9. Maya Angelou's Autobiography is titled _____
10. Who is Mr. Hadley?

(10 x 1 = 10 Marks)

II. Answer any *ten* questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

11. What are the articles 'offered for sale' at the roadside stand?
12. What constitutes the music of autumn?
13. Who are the "beneficent beasts" and the "greedy good doers"?

14. What does "ice-lock- cold-eyes" mean in the poem, "Once Upon a Time"?
15. How did Jerome's father die?
16. Identify and explain the figure of speech used in the line 'the bosom-friend of the maturing sun'.
17. Who is Sally in "A Shocking Accident"?
18. What is the origin and meaning of the title "Lamb to the Slaughter"?
19. Why were the fruits for play- lunch holey?
20. Why does Lucas describe one of peers as "eccentric"?
21. Who is a "buttonholing bore"?
22. Where did Cornelia and Grace meet first?

(10 x 2 = 20 Marks)

III. Answer any *four* questions. Each question carries 5 marks.

23. How is the poet affected by thoughts of his beloved in "Sonnet 29"?
24. How is autumn depicted in the first two stanzas of Keats's poem?
25. Comment on the symbolic significance of the roadside stand.
26. How does Robert Frost sympathize with rural poor?
27. Illustrate "The House of My Childhood" as an autobiographical poem.
28. List out the images of aging used in the poem, "Old Folks Laugh".

(4 x 5 = 20 Marks)

IV. Answer any *two* questions. Each question carries 15 marks.

29. Comment on the theme of "Ode to Autumn".
30. Discuss "Once Upon a Time" as a satire on modern life.
31. Evaluate the theme of life and absurdity depicted in "A Shocking Accident".
32. Comment on the language, style and humour of E.V. Lucas based on 'Bores'.

(2 x 15 = 30 Marks)
