

SECOND SEMESTER B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, JUNE 2016
(CUCBCSS – UG)
(Core Course: English Literature)
CC15U ENG2 B01 & CC15U DMENG2 B01–Reading Prose
(2015 Admission)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 80 Marks

I. Answer the following bunches of questions:-

1. Melvyn Mathanson was a Professor of Mathematics at
(a) Rutgers (b) Rider College
(c) Peddie School (d) Princeton
2. The movie “A beautiful mind” was directed by
(a) Ron Howard (b) Sylvia Nasar
(c) Mrinal Sen (d) None of the above
3. Who referred to the Peacock as the Bird of Paradise
(a) Intizar Husain (b) Intizar Husain’s Grandmother
(c) Intizar Husain’s Mother (d) Intizar Husain’s Father
4. “*Why we can’t wait*” was written by
(a) James Baldwin (b) Martin Luther King, Jr
(c) Intizar Husain (d) Sylvia Nasar
5. Who is the Author of ‘*The Herring Fleet*’
(a) Robert Lynd (b) Mrinal Sen
(c) E. F Schumacher (d) Daniel Goleman
6. _____ was knighted and became Baron Verulam
(a) Francis Bacon (b) Robert Lynd
(c) James Baldwin (d) Daniel Goleman
7. Who was the Great Criminal of Kurukshetra
(a) Ashwatthama (b) Dronacharya
(c) Arjuna (d) Vyasa rishi

8. Professor Hasan was awarded the _____ in 2007
(a) Nobel Peace Prize (b) Padma Shri
(c) French Civilian award (d) None of the above
9. Who won the nobel prize in Economics in 2008
(a) Paul Krugman (b) James Baldwin
(c) E. F Schumacher (d) Robert Lynd
10. Who said: “ And the lamb and the lion shall lie together and every man shall sit under his own Vine and fig tree and none shall be afraid”.
(a) James Baldwin (b) Martin Luther King, Jr
(c) Intizar Husain (d) Mushiral Hasan

(10×1= 10 marks)

II. Answer any ten of the following questions in two or three sentences each:-

11. From which university did Johnny attain his Ph. D. degree?
12. How do different linguistic skills help man?
13. What does Lynd mean by “the road to Hell is paved with good intentions”?
14. What is a travelogue? Give an example.
15. Distinguish between tale and fiction.
16. Why does King believe that ‘right temporarily defeated is stronger than evil triumphant’?
17. Who is Chingiz Khan?
18. How were the black volunteers ill-treated by the Whites?
19. What were the 2 fold challenges Hinduism confronted in its encounters with the West?
20. Comment on the words “the black man has functioned in the white man’s world as a fixed star, as an immovable pillar and as he moves out of his place heaven and earth are shaken to their foundations”.
21. Who is John Daniel Stier?
22. What did Kenneth Fields comment about Johnny as a student?

(10×2=20 marks)

III. Answer any four of the following questions in a paragraph of 100 words each:-

23. Comment on the intoxicating experience of putting into effect a good resolution now and then.
24. How should one use studies?

25. How does Valmiki portray his father in '*Joothan*'?
26. John Forbes Nash
27. The depiction of teachers in *Joothan*
28. Elaborate on the quick and slow paths to emotions.

(4×5= 20 marks)

IV. Answer any two of the following questions in 300 words each:-

29. What are the observations made by Mushirul Hasan on Indian Secularism?
30. What does David Goleman emphasis in *Emotional Intelligence*?
31. What kind of the technological crisis is the world going through according to E. F Schumacher?
32. How does Paul Krugman analyse the world food crisis?

(2×15=30 marks)
