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**THIRD SEMESTER B.A./B.Sc./B.S.W. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2020**

(CUCBCSS - UG)

**CC17U ENG3 A05 - SIGNATURES: EXPRESSING THE SELF**

(English - Common Course)

(2017, 2018 Admissions – Supplementary/Improvement)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 80 Marks

I. A. Choose the correct answer from the options given below.

- was appointed as Poet Laureate of San Francisco in 2000.
  - Anne Frank
  - Sue Townsend
  - Janice Miri Kitani
  - Nellie Wong
- The colour combo of Anne's diary was -----
  - Red and White
  - Red and Black
  - Red and Brown
  - Red and Blue
- Okanagans teach that the body is ----- itself.
  - Flesh
  - Blood
  - Earth
  - Bones
- "Art, Truth and Politics" was a ----- - delivered by Harold Pinter.
  - Lecture
  - Memoir
  - Letter
  - Diary entry
- Adolf Hitler's autobiography is titled as -----
  - Mein Kampf*
  - The Story of my Experiments with Truth*
  - An American Childhood*
  - None of the above

B. Answer *all* the following questions in a word or a phrase.

- NSB stands for -----
- Deus Absconditus* means -----
- Adrian Mole books comprise a series of ----- books.
- Charlie Chaplin reminds soldiers that they are not ----- but human beings.
- is Nellie Wong's nationality.

**(10 x 1 = 10 Marks)**

II. Answer any *ten* of the following in two or three sentences.

- What word comes closest to the meaning of thinking-intellectual self?
- What do you mean by "tug-of-love child"?
- Who made the statement "God is subtle, but malicious"?
- What is an autobiography? How does it differ from a biography?

15. Who are referred to as “mercenary profiteers?”
16. “My youth is buried in Rowher.” Explain.
17. What is the sight that continues to amuse Dillard?
18. What are vowels compared to?
19. What is the Secret Annexe?
20. What did Lyudmilla name her baby and why?
21. Why does Gandhi address Hitler as friend?
22. What is low intensity conflict?

**(10 x 2 = 20 Marks)**

III. Answer any *four* of the following questions in 100 words.

23. Explain briefly David Williams’ comment on Sue Townsend’s *The Secret Diary of Adrian Mole Aged 133/4* as a “genuine phenomenon.”
24. Nerudean concept of words as stalactites.
25. The power of democracy in uniting the world, according to Chaplin.
26. The marvels of nature explored by Dillard.
27. Pinter’s anti-Americanism.
28. Enlist the agencies held responsible for the sad plight of the Endosulfan victims.

**(4 x 5 = 20 Marks)**

IV. Write an essay on any *two* of the following in 300 words.

29. “Breaking Silence” is a verbal expression of the traumatic experiences of the Japanese American community. Evaluate the statement with reference to the prescribed poem.
30. Examine Nellie Wong’s “When I was Growing Up” as a poem wrapped in the language of resistance and protest.
31. “Non-violence is the greatest force at the disposal of mankind. It is mightier than the mightiest weapon of destruction.” Attempt a critical analysis of Gandhi’s letter to Adolf Hitler.
32. *Voices from Chernobyl* is a shocking revelation of the worst nuclear reactor accident and widespread radioactive contamination in Chernobyl in 1986. Elucidate.

**(2 x 15 = 30 Marks)**

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