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FIRST SEMESTER B.Com./B.B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2021

(CBCSS-UG)

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)

CC19U ENG1 A02 – WAYS WITH WORDS: LITERATURES IN ENGLISH

(Common Course)

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: Two Hours

Maximum: 60 Marks

Credit:3

I. Answer the following questions in two or three sentences. Each question carries 2 marks.

1. What were the two methods selected by Jerome to narrate his father's death?
2. Mention the wishes and desires of the poet in *Sonnet 29*?
3. What is the greatest asset of a bore?
4. List out any four changes in lifestyle that the family in *It Used to be Green Once* undergoes after winning the lottery.
5. Pick out two instances of irony in the story *Lamb to Slaughter*.
6. What constitutes the music of autumn?
7. What did the people, who stopped their cars by the roadside stand, do?
8. 'Spring and summer are both gone/ Leaving an elderly infant / To explore rooms of age'. Explain.
9. Why does Cornelia Scott run for the office of Regent of the Daughters of Confederation?
10. Explain 'precognitive experience' with an example.
11. What is the significance of the furniture left in the house of Chitre's poem?
12. Why does the servant flee to Samarra?

(Ceiling 20 Marks)

II. Answer the following questions in a paragraph. Each question carries 5 marks.

13. Why do borderline belief systems and pseudoscientific claims excite popular interest and gain acceptance among commoners?
14. What are the effects of "sweet memories" on the speaker of *Sonnet 29*?
15. How, according to Grace, is Cornelia different from her?
16. What does the essay *Bores* reveal about human nature?
17. How does Okara condemn hypocrisy in the poem *Once Upon a Time*?
18. What are the sources of embarrassment for the children in the story *It Used to be Green Once*?
19. How is autumn personified in Keats poem?

(Ceiling 30 Marks)

III. Write an essay on any *one* of the following questions. The question carries 10 marks.

20. How does Bob Dylan characterize the generational conflict that happened in 1960s America in the context of counter-culture?

21. Explain how Mary Maloney manages to cover up Patrick's murder.

(1 × 10 = 10 Marks)
