

D-97**B. A. (First Year) Examination, 2018****ENGLISH LITERATURE****Paper : Second****(Prose)****Time Allowed : Three hours****Maximum Marks : 40**

Note : Attempt questions of all three sections as directed. Distribution of marks is given with section. Internal choice is given.

Section-A**(Objective Type Questions)****5×1=5***Note : Attempt all questions.***1. Choose the correct alternative :****D-97****PTO**

- (i) Which of the following is not an Aim of studies :
- delight
 - instruction
 - ornament
 - ability
- (ii) With which age is Joseph Addison associated :
- Renaissance
 - Neo-classical
 - Romantic
 - None of the these
- (iii) A.G. Gardiner was not only an essayist.
- but also a famous journalist
 - but also a great poet
 - but also a dramatist
 - but also a scientist
- (iv) "Essays of Elia" was written by :
- William Hazlitt
 - Charles Lamb
 - Emily Bronte
 - Emily Dickinson
- (v) Why do modern writers tend to prefer prose?
- Its more natural and reflects the way people actually talk

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- (b) Its easier to read
- (c) Its saves paper
- (d) All of the above

Section-B

(Short Answer Type Questions) 5×2=10

Note : Attempt all questions.

2. Explain these lines with reference to context.

Read not to contradict and confute; nor to believe and take for granted; nor to find talk and discover; but to weigh and consider. <http://www.rdvvonline.com>

Or

What is an essay? How many types of essays have been written in English?

3. Bring out the traits of character of Sir Roger as reflected in the essay "Sir Roger at Home".

Or

Discuss Addisons humour with reference to the prescribed poems.

4. Discuss lamb as an essayist?

Or

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Write a critical appreciation of the essay "On Finding Things".

5. Critically analyse A.G Gardiner as an essayist.

Or

Write a character sketch of the anarchist in the story "The Stolen Bacillus".

6. What are prose forms?

Or

Write a short note an novels.

Section-C

(Long Answer Type Questions) 5×5=25

Note : Attempt all five questions.

7. Explain with reference to the context.

As I have been walking in his fields, I have observed them stealing a sight of me over an hedge, and have heard the knight desiring them not to let me see them, for that I hated to be stared at.

Or

It is the only kind to which the golden rule of present giving imperatively applies the golden rule which insists that you must never give to another that which you would

not rather keep for yourself. nothing that does not cost you a pang to part from.

8. According to Bacon, what are the three main benefits of study, and what danger can results from each benefit?

Or

Attempt a critical appreciation of the essay "Of Revenge".

9. Critically analyse the essay "The Spectator's Account of Himself."

Or

Discuss Addison's humour with reference to the prescribed essays.

10. Comment on Lamb's prose style as seen in his essay "A Bachelor's complaint of the Behaviour of Married people."
11. Write a note on the prose style of Gardiner, highlighting the various characteristics of his style.

Or

Discuss "The Stolen Bacillus as a satirical short story".