

Gandhi P.R. College, Bhopal

ASSIGNMENT

Session – 2020-21

M.A. – 1st Semester

English Literature

Paper – I (Poetry)

All Questions are compulsory

- 1. Give a critical appreciation of “The Prologue to the Canterbury Tales”.**
- 2. Write about the Shakespearean form of sonnet? What are its merits and demerits?**
- 3. Explain ‘Paradise Lost’ as an Epic.**
- 4. Write about summary of John Donne’s poem “The Flea”.**
- 5. Discuss William Blake as a lyric poet.**

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Paper – II (Drama)

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- 1. Write a character sketch of ‘Oedipus’**
- 2. Discuss Faustus as a man of Renaissance.**
- 3. Discuss ‘As you like it’ as a romantic comedy.**
- 4. Attempt any two of the following.**
 - a. Character sketch of ‘Othello’**
 - b. Character sketch of ‘Desdemona’**
 - c. Character sketch of ‘Iago’**
- 5. Write a note on the plot – construction in ‘Twelfth Night’**

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Paper – III (Fiction)

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- 1. Discuss Tom Jones as a picaresque novel.**
- 2. Analyse the character of Robinson Crusoe.**
- 3. Write summary of Jane Austen's 'Pride and Prejudice'.**
- 4. Discuss 'Vanity Fair' as a social satire.**
- 5. Write a note on 'Kenilworth' as a historical novel.**

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Paper – IV (Prose)

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- 1. Discuss Bacon as an essayist.**
- 2. Critically evaluate the essay ‘Spectator’s Club’ by Steele.**
- 3. Write summary of A Plea for gas lamps.**
- 4. Write the summary of the essay ‘The Man in Black’.**
- 5. Consider Stevenson as an essayist.**
