

UNIVERSITY OF THE PUNJAB

Paper pattern B.A./B.Sc. EXAMINATION 2020

Subject: English Literature

Time allowed:

Paper: optional

Max. Marks: 100

Attempt all the questions. All questions carry equal marks.

Q1.(A) Tick off the correct synonyms of the following underlined words from the novel , **The Mayor of Casterbridge** :-

- i. "I be" promptly answered a short man with a nose resembling a copper knob
 - a) Slowly
 - b) Quickly
 - c) Hesitantly
 - d) proudly

- ii. The history Susane Henchard's adventure in the interim can be told in two or three sentences
 - a) temporarily
 - b) Finally
 - c) Logically
 - d) Rightly

- iii. Elizabeth encumbered with no recollections as her mother was, regarded him with nothing more than keen curiosity
 - a) pains
 - b) gains
 - c) affections
 - d) memories

- iv. She was surprised to know how irresolute her mother had become
 - a) Infirm
 - b) polite
 - c) rude
 - d) affectionate

- v. "I merely strolled in on my way home to ask you a question", said the Mayor.
- a) raced
 - b) wandered
 - c) paced
 - d) stumbled

Q1.(B) Tick off the correct synonyms of the following underlined words from the play, **As you like it**.

- i. Orlando: what prodigal portion I have spent that I should come to such penury?
- a) some
 - b) major
 - c) little
 - d) huge
- ii. Oliver: Then, Sir you would do well to seek a more profitable occupation and efface yourself
- a) strategy
 - b) profession
 - c) future plan
 - d) reputation
- iii. Charles: There are no fresh tidings at all
- a) news
 - b) programs
 - c) shows
 - d) assignments
- iv. Celia: Indeed I think it would be very well for a passtime
- a) thinking
 - b) course
 - c) plan
 - d) hobby
- v. Duke Fredric: Mistress Dispatch you with your safest haste and get you from court
- a) palace
 - b) leave
 - c) send
 - d) forest

Q1.(C) Tick off the correct synonyms of the following underlined words from **A Book of English Prose (Section 1&2)**.

- i. The efficiency of a community will depend on its coherence and on its social and political education
 - a) welfare
 - b) progress
 - c) unity
 - d) prosperity

- ii. The final consequence of paralysis and displacement may be glimpsed in the ages of those Utopias
 - a) perfect worlds
 - b) next world
 - c) neighboring countries
 - d) marine worlds

- iii. Mammon is behind the movies
 - a) god of air
 - b) god of fire
 - c) god of wealth
 - d) god of sun

- iv. Hence the characteristic of journalism is constant over emphasis
 - a) study
 - b) method
 - c) routine
 - d) quality

- v. The power and pleasure of word are enduring and can be enjoyed by all men.
 - a) temporary
 - b) long lasting
 - c) wonderful
 - d) useful

Q1.(D) Tick off the correct synonyms of the following underlined words from **A Book of English Prose (Section 3&4)**.

- i. There should be pictures in bathrooms so that one could lie back and contemplate them
 - a) rest
 - b) recline
 - c) think over
 - d) to kill time

- ii. It is criminalfolly to waste yourrare hours on magazines
 - a) foolishness
 - b) intelligence
 - c) foresight
 - d) caution

- iii. The time Spirit, the mystical entity in which many people profess to disbelieve is a universal tyrant
 - a) like
 - b) look for
 - c) depend
 - d) declare

- iv. This will take the ladies minds off their emancipation and weight of their legs
 - a) Freedom
 - b) occupation
 - c) rehabilitation
 - d) obesity

- v. Cleanliness is not next to godliness now-a-days
 - a) piousness
 - b) hygienic
 - c) false claim
 - d) dirtiness

Q2: Tick off the correct options of the following MCQs from the novel, **the Mayor of Casterbridge**

- i. Henchard, the hero of the novel by profession is a
 - a) cobbler
 - b) peasant

- c) hay-trusser
 - d)gardner
- ii. The name of the sailor who buys Susane at the fare is
- a) Newson
 - b) Walter
 - c) Martin
 - d) Thompson
- iii. It is said that it is not merely background in Hardy's stories, it is often an active agent:-
- a) music
 - b) story
 - c) character
 - d) nature
- iv. The novel The Mayor of Casterbridge is thematically a story of:
- a) vengeance
 - b) crime & punishment
 - c)love &hate
 - d) mystery
- v. Henchard's fall in the novel is a result of his
- a) mate
 - b) hate
 - c) fate
 - d) mental state

Q3: Tick off the correct option of the following MCQs from **the As you like it**.

- i. The play as you like is called a
- a) comedy
 - b) tragedy
 - c) pantomime
 - d) absurd play
- ii. The climactic scene of the play as you like it is
- a) opening scene

- b) fight bet Charles and Orlando
- c) wooing scene
- d) reconciliation scene

iii. The main theme of the Play As you like it is

- a) order & disorder
- b) Friendship & enmity
- c) reward & punishment
- d) deception & naivety

iv. At the end of the Play duke Fredrick:

- a) Kills duke senior
- b) abdicates dukedome
- c) goes mad
- d) surrenders to duke senior

Q4. Tick off the correct synonyms of the following underlined words from A Book of English Prose

- i. The Essay, Education and Training of Character has been written by
 - a) George Meredith
 - b) Oscar Wild
 - c) Shakespeare
 - d) Sir Richard livingstone
- ii. Decline of Attention has caused a sense of
 - a) cooperation
 - b) sympathy
 - c) love
 - d) restlessness
- iii. Overall effect of films on human character is
 - a) sensitive
 - b) positive
 - c) heathy
 - d) negative
- iv. Boys and girls try to imitate the manners and actions of their favorite
 - a) Heroes and heroines
 - b) villains

- c) neighbors
 - d) friends
- v. Just as ugliness is the opposite of beauty. Similarly vulgarity is the opposite of
- a) piousness
 - b) art
 - c) honesty
 - d) defiance
- vi. Most of the following are vulgar
- a) Advertisements
 - b) Books
 - c) Movies
 - d) magazines
- vii. Islam does not recognize separation of spirit from
- a) man
 - b) matter
 - c) earth
 - d) sky
- viii. National and racial tendencies are against the spirit of
- a) Islam
 - b) Sikhism
 - c) Christianity
 - d) Buddhism
- ix. The principle of _____ cannot be applied to India with its many races, religions and languages
- a) European democracy
 - b) Dictatorship
 - c) capitalism
 - d) communism
- x. The muslims of India should focus their vision on Islam for inspiration and
- a) Guidance
 - b) History
 - c) Progress

d) unity

- xi. We can write well if we try to express our meaning in a language that is:
- a) Difficult
 - b) incomprehensible
 - c) simple
 - d) stylish
- xii. Use of beautiful and musical words in writing is good when they come
- a) Passionately
 - b) Abruptly
 - c) un-naturally
 - d) naturally
- xiii. Words are like money even if they are used commonly they don't lose their
- a) value
 - b) beauty
 - c) power
 - d) freshness
- xiv. Men are distinguished from animals because they can communicate with each other through :
- a) Whatsapp
 - b) Words
 - c) Signs
 - d) messenger
- xv. Now-a-days people are always in a hurry. They want things to be
- a) quicker
 - b) slow
 - c) beautiful
 - d) durable
- xvi. Literature should be judged impartially keeping our prejudices and beliefs
- a) in view
 - b) aside

- c) on top
- d) into play

- xvii. Any man with keen sensibility and vast reading can become a good
- a) Architect
 - b) Art critic
 - c) Scientist
 - d) politician
- xviii. The Essay about bathrooms has been written by
- a) A.P Herbert
 - b) James Joyce
 - c) Allan A. Hunter
 - d) Charles Lamb
- xix. Walking and _____ go hand in hand
- a) reading
 - b) bathing
 - c) eating
 - d) talking
- xx. Fidgeting is nothing but an expression of uneasiness and restlessness of
- a) minds
 - b) legs
 - c) knees
 - d) hands