

1m/ENG-100 Syllabus-2023

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(Nov-Dec)

FYUP : 1st Semester Examination

MINOR

ENGLISH

(Introduction to English Literature)

ENG-100

Marks : 75

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

SECTION—I

1. Answer any *three* of the following questions :

5×3=15

- (a) What is an elegy? Give examples.
- (b) Give a brief outline of Mime theatre.
- (c) What is a comedy? Give examples.
- (d) What is a picaresque novel? Give an example.

(2)

- (e) Comment on the literary styles of Old English.
- (f) What is the difference between realistic fiction and romantic fiction?
- (g) Mention two features of the Victorian Age.
- (h) Explore some common themes in modernist poetry.

SECTION—II

Answer any four of the following questions :

15×4=60

2. How does *The Tale of the Wyf of Bathe* explore the concept of sovereignty in relationships between men and women? 15
3. Discuss the central themes of Shakespeare's *Sonnet 18*. 15
4. Discuss the conflict of man versus nature in *Robinson Crusoe*. 15
5. Elaborate on the relationship between Crusoe and Man Friday. 15

(3)

6. Analyze Portia's role in the trial scene. Does she cleverly uphold the law, or does she twist it to serve her own purposes? 15
7. Discuss the theme of justice and mercy in *The Merchant of Venice*. 15
8. Discuss the metaphysical elements in Donne's *The Sunne Rising*. 15
9. Write on the following : 5×3=15
- (a) Sonnet
- (b) Epistolary novel
- (c) Morality play

10. Discuss the salient features of the following (any one) : 15
- (a) Middle English
- (b) Jacobean Age
- (c) Post-modernism
