

Kerala PSC Examination 2020

Post: Assistant Professor of English

Model Question Paper

Time: 2 Hours

Max. Marks: 100

Section A

I. Answer the following questions in **not** more than **50 words** each:

1. Features of Metaphysical poetry.
2. Structure of a Shakespearean sonnet.
3. Marlowe's mighty lines with reference to *Doctor Faustus*.
4. John Keats as a sensuous poet.
5. Ecocriticism.
6. Dramatic Monologue.

(6x3= 18 Marks)

Section B

II. Answer the following questions in **not** more than **100 words** each:

7. Emerson's views on 'Self- Reliance'.
8. Confessional Poetry.
9. Compare and contrast "Ulysses" and "The Lotus Eaters".
10. Grimm's Law.
11. Images in 'The Second Coming'.
12. Symbolism in *The Emperor Jones*.
13. Prof. Higgins in *Pygmalion*.
14. Postmodern elements in *The French Lieutenant's Woman*.
15. Nostalgia in "The Grandmother's House".

16. Grammar Translation Method.

(10x5= 50 Marks)

Section C

III. Answer the following questions in **not** more than **200 words** each:

17. *The Wasteland* as a Modernist poem.

18. Arthur Miller's *Death of a Salesman* as the tragedy of an individual pitted against the demands of a changing society.

19. Discuss the arguments of William Wordsworth in the *Preface to the Lyrical Ballads*.

20. Attempt a critical evaluation of 'Church Going'.

(4x8= 32 Marks)