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Common for English and Malayalam Literature

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English and Media Studies

Core Course – I

ENM 1131/EML 1131 : INTRODUCTION TO LITERARY STUDIES – I

(2020 Admission)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

I. Answer all questions, each in a word or a sentence.

1. Who wrote *Sapiens*?
2. Who is Nora's husband?
3. What is Haiku?
4. "The Woman The Boy became" is taken from the collection _____.
5. What is a Pantomime?
6. Name any two Tragedies.
7. Give an example of a Lyric.
8. What is a pastoral?
9. Where does the poet find the skylark?
10. What is the rhyme scheme of Shakespearean sonnet?

(10 × 1 = 10 Marks)

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II. Answer **any eight**, each in a short paragraph not exceeding **50** words.

11. What do you know about Graphic poetry?
12. How does Shelley compare the skylark to a poet?
13. Name the discrepancy that put Nora into trouble.
14. What is tragi-comedy?
15. What does Yuwan Harari say about human communication?
16. What is a sonnet?
17. How effectively does Mastuo Basho use the haiku form in the poem "The Old Pond"?
18. Write a note on Helmer.
19. Comment on the speaker in the poem "Tonight I Can Write the Saddest Lines".
20. What is performance poetry?
21. Comment on the title of the poem "Possibilities".
22. What is the role of reader in literature?
23. Audio books.
24. Comment on the title of the poem "The Boy The Woman Became".
25. Free Verse.
26. What is a novella?

(8 × 2 = 16 Marks)

III. Answer **any six** of the following in **100** words.

27. How does Wislawa Szymborska explore her themes in "Possibilities"?
28. Write a short note on Pablo Neruda's poem "Tonight I Can Write the Saddest Lines".
29. How does Gabriel Okara explore the theme of colonization in "You Laughed and Laughed and Laughed"?



30. Write a brief note on the forms of electronic literature.

31. What are the different forms of poetry?

32. Comment on Nora's struggle as a wife.

33. The theme of happiness in "To a Skylark".

34. Write a short note on "The Woman The Boy became".

35. Popular literature.

36. Themes of Neruda's poems.

37. Oral literature

38. Character sketch of Dr. Rank.

(6 × 4 = 24 Marks)

IV. Answer **any two** questions :

39. Write an essay on the plight of women as portrayed in *A Doll's House*.

40. Trace the history of European drama.

41. Discuss the salient features of romantic poetry with special reference to the poem, 'To a Skylark'.

42. Write an essay on various forms of literature.

43. How does the play *A Doll's House* problematize the concepts of love and freedom?

44. Share your reading experiences of world poetry.

(2 × 15 = 30 Marks)

