



WEST BENGAL STATE UNIVERSITY
B.A. Programme 5th Semester Examination, 2020, held in 2021

ENGGDSE01T-ENGLISH (DSE1)

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 50

*The figures in the margin indicate marks of question.
Candidates should answer in their own words and adhere to the word limit as practicable.*

GROUP-A

1. Answer any **one** question from the following: (within 500 words) 15×1 = 15
 - (a) Write a short essay on Aristotle's notion of the tragic protagonist.
 - (b) Comment on the importance of the plot and its various stages of development in tragic drama.
2. Answer any **one** question from the following: (within 500 words) 15×1 = 15
 - (a) Discuss the characteristics of the 'Picaresque' novel with suitable examples.
 - (b) Consider the importance of the 'Stream-of-consciousness' technique in modern novel.

GROUP-B

3. Write short notes on any **five** from the following literary terms: 4×5 = 20
 - (a) Chorus
 - (b) Plot
 - (c) Symbol
 - (d) Poetic Justice
 - (e) Omniscient narrator
 - (f) Antagonist
 - (g) Dramatic Irony
 - (h) Flat and Round Character.

N.B. : *Students have to complete submission of their Answer Scripts through E-mail / Whatsapp to their own respective colleges on the same day / date of examination within 1 hour after end of exam. University / College authorities will not be held responsible for wrong submission (at in proper address). Students are strongly advised not to submit multiple copies of the same answer script.*

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