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# **MEG-04**

## The Romantic Age

M. A. English (MEG–10)
First Year, Examination, 2017

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 60

Note: This paper is of sixty (60) marks containing three (03) sections A, B and C. Attempt the questions contained in these sections according to the detailed instructions given therein.

#### Section-A

## (Long Answer Type Questions)

**Note:** Section 'A' contains four (04) long answer type questions of fifteen (15) marks each. Learners are required to answer *two* (02) questions only.

- 1. Write an essay on Wordsworth's concept of poetry as expressed in "Preface to the Lyrical Ballads".
- Critically comment on the poetic form of Shelley's "Ode to the West Wind"
- 3. Write an essay on the prose style of William Hazlitt.
- 4. Discuss the importance of social class in Jane Austen's *Pride and Prejudice*.

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#### Section-B

## (Short Answer Type Questions)

**Note:** Section 'B' contains eight (08) short answer type questions of five (05) marks each. Learners are required to answer *four* (04) questions only.

- 1. What according to Wordsworth is the difference between science and poetry? Explain with reference to "Preface to the Lyrical Ballads".
- 2. Write a short note on the symbolism in Coleridge's "Christabel".
- 3. Write a short note on the central idea of Shelley's "Ode to the West Wind".
- 4. Write a short note on the central characters in Byron's *The Vision of Judgement*.
- 5. What is Lamb's attitude to Quakers in "Imperfect Sympathies"?
- 6. What idea does Scott represent through the two heroines Rowena and Rebecca in *Ivanhoe*?
- 7. Write a short note on the moral questions raised in Mary Shelley's *Frankenstein*.
- 8. Write a note on the development of the novel in the Romantic age.

#### Section-C

## **(Objective Type Questions)**

**Note:** Section 'C' contains ten (10) objective type questions of one (01) mark each. All the questions of this section are compulsory.

1. What is the subtitle of Walter Scott's Novel *Ivanhoe*?

- 2. Who is Alphonse Frankenstein in Mary Shelley's novel *Frankenstein*?
- 3. What is the full name of Darcy in Jane Austen's novel *Pride and Prejudice*?
- 4. Name the English monarch whose entry into heaven is described by Byron in *The Vision of Judgement*.
- 5. Give the names of the two dream children in Charles Lamb's essay "Dream Children: A Reverie".
- 6. Name the river mentioned in Wordsworth's poem "Tintern Abbey".
- 7. In Coleridge's poem "The Rime of the Ancient Mariner" to whom does the ancient mariner narrate his tale?
- 8. Who is the heroine of John Keats's poem "The Eve of St. Agnes"?
- 9. Give the full title of Shelley's poem "Adonais".
- 10. Who is given credit for first using the term "romantic" to describe literature?

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