

BA/BSC DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION - JULY 2021**SEMESTER 4 : ENGLISH****COURSE : 19U4CCENG06 - ILLUMINATIONS***(For Regular - 2019 Admission)*

Time : Three Hours

Max. Marks: 75

PART A**Answer All (1 mark each)**

1. What is the "Window of the soul"?
2. Why was Owens expected to win the gold medal in the Long Jump hands down?
3. Which famous author narrated the incident of an author who snatched away the lifebelt of a woman?
4. "I have never known, I have never seen , any rich people". Identify the literary device employed here.
5. With what statement does Lafcadio Hearn begin his lecture on reading?
6. What is the real name of George Orwell?
7. Name the collection from which the short story 'The Nightingale and the Rose' is taken
8. Identify the year in which 'Road Not Taken' was published
9. Describe what the word Invictus means?
10. Name the author of the poem Amazing Peace: A Christmas Poem

(1 x 10 = 10)**PART B****Answer any 8 (2 marks each)**

11. What would Keller find in the metropolitan museum of art?
12. Explain How does Sudarshan identify his relationship with physics?
13. Summarise the event described by Mark Twain in the essay 'On Courage'?
14. "...these men are the nation's heroes. Their work is its own reward". Who are 'these men' referring to? Whose opinion is this?
15. When, as per Adichie, are we wasting our time on earth?
16. Explain why the professor's daughter refused the rose?
17. Mention the reason for Dee's change of name
18. What is the opinion of the narrator on the shoes that the Gessler brothers made?
19. Explain the meaning of the phrase "how way leads on to way" in 'Road Not Taken'.
20. What does the poet speak about judging others in the poem *Good and Evil*?

(2 x 8 = 16)**PART C****Answer any 5 (5 marks each)**

21. "Use your eyes as if tomorrow you would be stricken blind". Interpret.
22. Comment on the use of irony in the essay "Are the Rich happy?"
23. Does a child and a professional approach reading in the same way?
24. Appraise Adichie's desire to be a psychiatrist.
25. Who are the nightingale's friends? What are their opinions on the student's lament?
26. Attempt a note on the cultural differences between Dee, Maggie and Mama
27. Analyse the impact of modern education in Dee, in the story *Everyday Use*

(5 x 5 = 25)

PART D

Answer any 2 (12 marks each)

28. Comment upon the message of the story "My Greatest Olympic Prize"
29. 'Whenever you hear of a new book being published, read an old one'. Elucidate.
30. Elucidate how the story "The Nightingale and the Rose" explains the relationship between man and nature?
31. Critique the poem 'Still I Rise' as a response to marginalisation and oppression of the black.
(12 x 2 = 24)