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B A, B SC, B COM DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION – OCTOBER 2025**UGP (HONS.) SEMESTER - 3: DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC COURSE****COURSE: 24UENGDSC202: METHODOLOGY OF LITERARY STUDIES:****SOME APPROACHES AND PERSPECTIVES***(For Regular 2024 Admission)*

Time: 2 Hours

Max. Marks: 70

PART A**Answer any five in one or two sentences each.**

1. How does Milton define a good book? (R, CO1, CO3)
2. What is the central theme of the sonnet
"Let me not to the marriage of true minds"? (U, CO1, CO3)
3. What is defamiliarization? (U, CO 1, CO 3)
4. What is meant by intentional fallacy? (U, CO1, CO3)
5. Define phallogenocentric thinking. (R, CO1, CO3)
6. Why was Chinua Achebe criticized after the publication of his novel,
Things Fall Apart? (R, CO1, CO3)
7. Define Eurocentrism. (U, CO1, CO3)

(2 x 5 = 10)**PART B****Answer any five in about 100 words each.**

8. Describe the relationship between the father and the boy in "The Magic Shop". (An, CO2, CO4)
9. "Art is life seen through a temperament". Explain. (An, CO2, CO4)
10. Comment on the opening of "The Tell-Tale Heart". (E, CO2, CO4)
11. Explain how formalists emphasize textual autonomy. (An, CO2, CO4)
12. Briefly explain Orientalism. (E, CO2, CO4)
13. Reclaiming the past is a highly significant notion in postcolonial criticism.
Comment. (An, CO2, CO4)
14. Analyse the concept of social constructivism as proposed by Tyson. (An, CO2, CO4)

(6 x 5 = 30)

PART C

Answer any one of the following in an essay of about 300 words.

15. Critically examine Hudson's perspectives on the ways of studying literature. (E, CO3, CO4)
16. Postcolonial criticism tries to challenge the universalist claims made by dominant western discourses and writes back to the empire. Analyze the statement. (An, CO3, CO4)
- (15 x 1 = 15)**

PART D

17. Attempt a formalist reading of the poem given below in about 300 words. (A, CO3, CO4, Co5)
- Nature's first green is gold
Her hardest hue to hold
Her early leaf's a flower;
But only so an hour
Then leaf subsides to leaf.
So Eden sank to grief
So dawn goes down to day.
Nothing gold can stay.
- (15 x 1 = 15)**