

Answer all the questions

Multiple Choice Questions

40x1= 40

- 1) Of which group of poets, a famous 18th century critic made the following observation:
“The most heterogeneous ideas are yoked by violence together; nature and art are ransacked for illustrations, comparisons, and allusions; their learning instructs and their subtlety surprises.”
 - a) Augustan
 - b) Metaphysical
 - c) Jacobean
 - d) Restoration
- 2) What is the subgenre of science fiction that is set on Earth and does not include outer space adventures or alien life?
 - a) Mundane Science Fiction
 - b) Biopunk
 - c) Anthropological Science Fiction
 - d) Libertarian Science Fiction
- 3) Which British Prime Minister is the author of the novel *Savrola: A Tale of the Revolution in Laurania*?
 - a) William Gladstone
 - b) Benjamin Disraeli
 - c) Winston Churchill
 - d) David Lloyd George
- 4) The poem “The White Man’s Burden” by Rudyard Kipling is about the
 - a) Philippine-American War
 - b) Indian Mutiny

- c) English Conquest of Jamaica
 - d) Apartheid in South Africa
- 5) “It was a bright cold day in April, and the clocks were striking thirteen” are famous opening lines from the novel
- a) *One Hundred Years of Solitude*
 - b) *Gravity’s Rainbow*
 - c) *If on a winter’s night a traveler*
 - d) *1984*

Answer any one of the following questions

Marks: 30x1 = 30

- 1) What is the impact of multiculturalism on Indian writing in English?
- 2) What is the contribution of Dalit writing to the making of an anti-casteist discourse?
- 3) Explain the immense popularity of the modern short story with examples.
- 4) Write an essay on Victorian fiction with particular emphasis on Dickens.