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First Degree Programme under CBCSS

English Language and Literature

English and Communicative English

Core Course III

EN 1341/CG 1341 : READING FICTION

(Common for EN 1341-2019 Admission and CG 1341-2019 Admission Onwards)

Time : 3 Hours Max. Marks : 80

I. Answer **all** questions, each in a word or a sentence.

1. Kathleen Beuchamp Murry is better known as ————————

2. The origin of ———————— is traced back to Decameron and Exemplary Tales.

3. Who told the animals that Boxer died peacefully at the hospital?

4. 'Napoleon is always right' and 'I will work harder'. Who said this?

5. What is the German term for 'Coming of Age' Novels

6. "I'll do the work as usual then, until someone comes to fill the place.' Whose words are these?

7. What is the meaning of the Italian word 'novello'

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8. In *Candide*, what ultimately happens to the baron and his wife?

9. Why did Kalu keep the ox indoors?

10. What was Mr. Merryweather's occupation?

(10 × 1 = 10 Marks)

II. Answer any **eight** questions in a short paragraph not exceeding **50** words.

11. What is the significance of the title 'Lawley Road'?

12. Theme

13. Flat and Round Characters

14. Graphic Novel

15. Chivalric Romances

16. What did Kalu inherit from his father?

17. The character of Napoleon

18. Who exclaimed 'Omne ignotum pro magnifico'? What is the meaning of this phrase?

19. Comment on the ending of 'The Little Girl'.

20. What was Maxwell's reason for turning down the appointment of a new stenographer?

21. What was Kass's surprise birthday gift for her father?

22. Why would the narrator visit the chairman almost every day?

23. According to the advertisement taken out by the Red-headed League, what was the requirement for applying for the job?

24. How did Holmes connect Mr Spaulding's interest in photography to the crime the latter had planned?

25. What was the role of Autobiographical fiction in African American resistance movement?

26. Satire as a fictional from.

(8 × 2 = 16 Marks)

III. Answer any **six** of the following questions in a paragraph.

27. Why did the people protest against the removal of Sir Lawley's statue?

28. Describe the expedition to the cellar.

29. Comment on the relationship between Kass and her grandmother.

30. Describe Historical Novel with examples.

31. Explain 'Point of View'.

32. Stream of Consciousness as a narrative strategy.

33. What does O Henry convey when he writes that Miss Leslie was 'softly and shyly radiant' on the morning?

34. Bring out the Importance of Dr. Pangloss in progressing the plot of *Candide.*

35. Significance of the Old Major's speech to the animals.

36. Attack of locusts on Kalu's farm.

37. How were the changes in the seven commandments justified?

38. Describe the Battle of Animal Farm.

(6 × 4 = 24 Marks)

IV. Answer any **two** of the following questions in about **300** words.

39. Examine 'Lawley Road' as a reflection on the psychology of the mob.

40. Compare the lives of the animals when they live under Jones and under Napoleon. How far does *Animal Farm* expose the relationship between power and corruption?

41. How *does* Holmes use his deductive skills to capture Clay and his confederates in their act?

42. Assess the effectiveness of the narrative style that O Henry adopts in depicting the life of a workaholic in 'Romance of a Busy Broker'.

43. Critically analyse *Candide as* a satire.

44. Nature contributes to the success of 'The Family Man'. Substantiate.

(2 × 15 = 30 Marks)
