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(CBCS)

(4th Semester)

ENGLISH

FOURTH PAPER

(**Fiction—I**)

Full Marks : 75

Time : 3 hours

(**SECTION : A—OBJECTIVE**)

(*Marks : 10*)

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

Choose the correct answer from the options provided :

1×10=10

1. Who said the following lines?

“Be with me always—take any form—drive me mad ! Only do not leave me in this abyss, where I cannot find you !”

- (a) Edgar Linton
- (b) Heathcliff
- (c) Hindley Earnshaw
- (d) Hareton

2. Robinson Crusoe was alone in the island for

(a) twenty-four years

(b) twenty-six years

(c) twenty-eight years

(d) thirty years

3. Friendship and benevolence are the two principal virtues among the

(a) Houyhnhnms

(b) Lilliputians

(c) Brobdingnagians

(d) None of the above

4. Robinson Crusoe is the

(a) second son of the family

(b) third son of the family

(c) first son of the family

(d) fourth son of the family

5. In Hardy's *The Return of the Native*, who cuts furze among the following characters?

(a) Johnny Nunsuch

(b) Clym Yeobright

(c) Diggory Venn

(d) Damon Wildeve

6. Most of the events in *Hard Times* take place in

(a) Liverpool

(b) Edinburgh

(c) Coketown

(d) Daleton

7. Which character is 'the raw material of a divinity'?

(a) Thomasin Yeobright

(b) Eustacia Vye

(c) Susan Nunsuch

(d) None of them

8. *Wuthering Heights* is a love story between

- (a) Hareton and Zillah
- (b) Edgar and Isabella
- (c) Joseph and Catherine
- (d) Heathcliff and Catherine

9. Who said the following lines?

“I have supposed the Head to be all-sufficient. It may not be all-sufficient; how can I venture this morning to say it is !”

- (a) Bitzer
- (b) Mr. Bounderby
- (c) Mr. Gradgrind
- (d) Stephen Blackpool

10. Gulliver’s second voyage takes him to

- (a) Lilliput
- (b) Lagado
- (c) Laputa
- (d) Brobdingnag

(SECTION : B—SHORT ANSWER)

(Marks : 15)

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

Write short answers to the following questions :

3×5=15

UNIT—I

1. How does Crusoe describe Friday?

OR

2. What did Crusoe do on his last voyage?

UNIT—II

3. How did Heathcliff inherit Wuthering Heights?

OR

4. Describe Edgar as a husband.

UNIT—III

5. Briefly describe the reason why Eustacia falls in love with Clym.

OR

6. How did Mrs. Yeobright die?

UNIT—IV

7. Write a short note on the character of Thomas Gradgrind.

OR

8. What is the principle of education according to Mr. Gradgrind?

UNIT—V

9. How did Gulliver help the Lilliputians in their war against the Blefuscudians?

OR

10. Comment on the two types of Yahoos.

(SECTION : C—DESCRIPTIVE)

(Marks : 50)

The questions are of equal value

UNIT—I

1. Analyze *Robinson Crusoe* from a moral point of view.

OR

2. Explain why Daniel Defoe is considered ‘the father of realism’ with reference to *Robinson Crusoe*.

UNIT—II

3. Describe the character of Heathcliff.

OR

4. What role does the Supernatural play in the novel, *Wuthering Heights*?

UNIT—III

5. Discuss the role of Fate in Hardy’s novel, *The Return of the Native*.

OR

6. Evaluate Eustacia Vye as a tragic heroine.

UNIT—IV

7. What are the major themes in *Hard Times*? Elaborate.

OR

8. Examine the condition of life and its various aspects during the Victorian Age from your reading of the novel, *Hard Times*.

UNIT—V

9. Discuss *Gulliver's Travels* as a political satire.

OR

10. Bring out the difficulties faced by Gulliver in the course of his voyages.
