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Time: 3 Hours

Weightage: 30

Part A (Short Answer Questions)

*Answer any **eight** questions.*

Weight 1 each.

1. What are the six components of a tragedy?
2. Write a note on the importance of plot in a tragedy.
3. Fill in the blanks with suitable names of personalities: "English neoclassical criticism has at the beginning, in the middle andat the end."
4. How, according to Wordsworth, does the Poet differ from a Man of science?
5. How does Wordsworth define poetry in his 'Preface to Lyrical Ballads'?
6. According to T.S Eliot, where can one find the best parts of a poet's work?
7. According to Cleanth Brooks, what is the language of poetry?
8. Define Psychoanalysis.
9. Define the following terms:
 - (a) Homophobia
 - (b) Heterocentrism
 - (c) Heterosexism
10. What is mimicry in the context of postcolonialism?

(8×1=8 weightage)

Part B (Short Essay/Problems)

*Answer any **six** questions.*

Weight 2 each.

11. What is the difference between Aristotle and Horace?





12. What is Dryden's estimate of Shakespeare?
13. Elaborate the four stages of Johnson's critical phase as narrated by George Watson.
14. Enumerate the features of neoclassical poetic diction.
15. What is Eliot's view of the relation of the poet to the past?
16. How is the basic metaphor of "Canonization" as reflected in its title indeed paradoxical?
17. Write a note on deconstruction.
18. What are the contributions of Stephen Greenblatt towards New historicism?

(6×2=12 weightage)

Part C (Essay Type Questions)

*Answer any **two** questions.*

Weight 5 each.

19. Elucidate the sources of sublimity according to Longinus.
20. "Good sense is the body of poetic genius, fancy its drapery, motion its life, and imagination the soul that is everywhere." Elucidate Coleridge's theory in *Biographia Literaria*.
21. How does Eliot define poetry? How does this definition endorse his claims in "Tradition and Individual Talent"?
22. Write an essay on structuralism and Saussure's contribution to it.

(2×5=10 weightage)

