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English Language and Literature

Complementary Course—EVOLUTION OF LITERARY MOVEMENTS : THE CROSS
CURRENTS OF CHANGE

(2012–2016 Admissions Mercy Chance)

(For Private Registration Candidates]

Time : Three Hours

Maximum Weight : 25

Instructions : *This question paper contains two sections. Answer Section I questions in the answer-book provided. Section II Internal Examination questions must be answered in the question paper itself. Follow the detailed instructions given under Section II.*

Section I

PART A (OBJECTIVE TYPE QUESTIONS)

Answer all questions.

Each bunch of four questions carries a weight of 1.

Answer questions 1 to 16 by choosing the correct answer from the choices :

I. 1 'Persian Letters' was written as a mild satire on the foibles and prejudices of :

- (a) The English Society. (b) The French Society.
(c) The Spanish Society. (d) The Italian Society.

2 Who wrote the famous work 'Pensees Philosophiques' ?

- (a) Rousseau. (b) Voltaire.
(c) Diderot. (d) Montesquie.

3 Which among the following is considered generally as the beginning of the Romantic movements in English literature :

- (a) Publication of 'Mac Flecknoe'.
(b) Publications of 'Paradise Lost'.
(c) Publication of 'Thyrsis'.
(d) Publication of 'Lytical Ballads'.

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- 4 Which among the following is the name of a periodical journal :
- (a) Lycidas. (b) The Tatler.
(c) Christabel. (d) None of these.
- II. 5 Who among the following is remembered today for his staunch opposition to the French Revolution ?
- (a) Adam Smith. (b) Charles Darwin.
(c) Edmund Burke. (d) William Godwin.
- 6 'Catherine' is the heroine in the novel :
- (a) The Mill on the Floss. (b) Wuthering Heights.
(c) The Edible woman. (d) None of these.
- 7 Who among the following edited 'The Dial' owned by Emerson for a time ?
- (a) Simone de Beauvoir. (b) Kate Millet.
(c) Margaret Fuller. (d) All of these.
- 8 Who among the following is a woman who refused to have anything to do with women's movement ?
- (a) Mary Wollstone craft. (b) Marion Reid.
(c) Florence Nightingale. (d) None of these.
- III. 9 Jyothiba Bhule was born in a poor family of :
- (a) Mumbai. (b) Pune.
(c) Nagpur. (d) Nnoe of these.
- 10 Ambedkar fought against Brahmanism and capitalism through the periodical called :
- (a) Janata. (b) Hindu.
(c) Dial. (d) None of these.
- 11 Kanthapura re-enacts the saga of the national movement in the lap of :
- (a) Periyar. (b) Hemavathy.
(c) Kabani. (d) Pampa.
- 12 Jose Arcadio Segundo is a central character in the novel :
- (a) One Hundred Years of Solitude.
(b) Rayuela.
(c) Grande Sertao : Varedas
(d) None of these.





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- IV. 13 The genre of the Latin American work *Los Reyes* is :
- (a) Novel. (b) Stories.
(c) Drama. (d) Poetry.
- 14 The most famous novel of Carlos Fuentes is :
- (a) *The death of Artemio Cruz*. (b) *Where the air is clear*.
(c) *Aura*. (d) None of these.
- 15 *One Hundred Years of Solitude* dramatizes the destructive in roads of external forces ruining the Edenic simplicity and innocence of :
- (a) Paris. (b) London.
(c) Macondo. (d) None of these.
- 16 Which among the following works exposes the hollowness of the caste discourse ?
- (a) *Veenapoovu*. (b) *Chandala Bhikshuki*.
(c) *Leela*. (d) *Nalini*.

(4 × 1 = 4)

PART B

*Answer any five of the following questions in a sentence or two each.
Each question carries a weight of 1.*

- 17 What is the theme of the play 'Zaire' ?
- 18 How does Rousseau's dissertation 'The Social Contract' open with ?
- 19 How is Francis Bacon eulogized in the work 'Encyclopedie' ?
- 20 What was the immediate result of the vigorous campaign of the Langham group of women ?
- 21 What is Aijaz Ahmad's concept of the Third World ?
- 22 Who are the major Spanish American writers of the 1927 group ?
- 23 What was the Peruvian poet Caesar Vallejo's attitude towards 'modernista' ?
- 24 What is the invaluable role played by T.K. Madhavan in Guruvayoor Sathyagraha ?

(5 × 1 = 5)

PART C

*Answer any four of the following questions in about 100 words each.
Each question carries a weight of 2.*

- 25 What was the social strata of the French Society in the eighteenth century ?
- 26 What is Rousseau's view of the primitive men ?

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- 27 What are the political outcome of the Seneca Falls Convention in New York ?
- 28 Write a short note on the flourishing Dalit writing in Tamil Nadu.
- 29 Discuss the theme of Candide.
- 30 How does Derek Walcott treat the theme of post colonialism in his poem 'A Far Cry from Africa' ?

(4 × 2 = 8)

PART D

*Answer any two of the following questions in about 300 words each.
Each question carries a weight of 4.*

- 31 Briefly discuss the poetry of Latin American literature of the modernist period.
- 32 Write an essay on the Dalit Movement in India.
- 33 Write an essay on feminist literary criticism with reference to the major theoreticians.

(2 × 4 = 8)

