

## BA Sem.3 Examination

## EC-I 201

## English

Time : 2.30 Hours]

December-2025

[Max.Marks : 70

- Q. 1. Discuss the salient features of the Age of Dryden. (14)  
OR
- Q. 1. Enumerate the literary characteristics of the Age of Pope  
Q.2 Draw the character sketch of Robinson Crusoe (14)  
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- Q.2 Discuss the theme of Daniel Defoe's Robinson Crusoe  
Q.3 Write a detailed note on the chief merits of the poem The Deserted Village (14)  
OR
- Q.3 Discuss the central idea of the poem The Deserted Village  
Q.4 Show your acquaintance. (ANY SEVEN) (14)  
1)The Hind and the Panther 2)All for Love 3) Dunciad  
4)The Rape of the Lock 5) Essay on Dramatic Poesy 6) The Seasons  
7)The Life and Opinions of the Tristram Shandy 8)Gulliver's Travels  
9)The Way of the World
- Q. 5. Choose the correct option and rewrite it. ( Any Seven ) (14)
- 1) The Village Schoolmaster in *The Deserted Village* looked apparently very \_\_\_\_\_  
A) calm B) naive C) whimsical D) strict
- 2) The poem *The Deserted Village* is about \_\_\_\_\_  
A) Arden B) Edinburg C) Auburn D. Newcastle
- 3) \_\_\_\_\_ was born in Ireland.  
A) Henry Wotton B) Wordsworth C) Walter Scott D) Oliver Goldsmith
- 4) How does Crusoe impress the natives on the African coast? \_\_\_\_\_  
A) Showing them his watch B) Killing a leopard. C) Giving them rum D) Sailing the boat in circles
- 5) To what does the name Xury refer? \_\_\_\_\_  
A) The African port where Crusoe is enslaved B) The Brazilian town where Crusoe settles  
C) The name of Friday's father D) The name of a slave boy
- 6) When Crusoe eats eggs on the island, from what animal do they come? \_\_\_\_\_  
A) Seagull B) Quail C) Penguin D) Turtle
- 7) The Village Preacher in *The Deserted Village* is portrayed in the manner of \_\_\_\_\_ art of characterization and personal portraiture.  
A) Shakespeare's B) Homer's C) Milton's D) Chaucer's
- 8) Goldsmith mourns over the unfortunate and morbid state of society in which \_\_\_\_\_  
A) wealth accumulates and men decay B) men accumulate and wealth decays  
C) wealth accumulates and fame decays D) wealth accumulates and health decays
- 9) Past time in *The Deserted Village* means \_\_\_\_\_  
A) leisure time B) past time C) difficult time D) strange time
- 10) Which of the following is not a characteristic of the Age of Dryden? \_\_\_\_\_  
A) Imitation of the ancients B) Imitation of the French C) Romanticism D) Correctness
- 11) *Hudibras* is a biting satire on the \_\_\_\_\_.  
A) Monarchist B) Puritans C) Catholics D) Democrats
- 12) The Age of Dryden covers the period from \_\_\_\_\_.  
A) 1660 to 1700 B) 1625 to 1735 C) 1635 to 1705 D) 1645 to 1695