



Seat No. : \_\_\_\_\_

# OC-108

October-2025

B.A., Sem.-VI

CC-312 : English

(Forms of Literature : Tragedy)

Time : 2:30 Hours]

[Max. Marks : 70

1. (A) Discuss in detail introduction, definitions and various characteristics of the form of tragedy. 14

**OR**

1. (B) Write a detailed note on growth and development of tragedy. 14

2. Write short notes on any **two** of the following : 14

- (1) Neoclassical Tragedy
- (2) Romantic Tragedy
- (3) Classical Greek Tragedy
- (4) Heroic Tragedy

3. (A) Critically evaluate *Othello* as a Shakespearean tragedy. 14

**OR**

3. (B) Write a detailed note on Othello as a tragic hero. 14

4. Write the name of the author and the subgenre of the form of the work of the following : (any **seven**) 14

- (1) Hamlet
- (2) Murder in the Cathedral
- (3) A Streetcar Named Desire
- (4) Emperor Jones
- (5) All My Sons
- (6) Justice : A Tragedy in Four Acts
- (7) The Spanish Tragedy
- (8) Electra, or Electra
- (9) Dr. Faustus

5. Choose the correct option from the following : (any seven)

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- (1) Seneca was a \_\_\_\_\_ dramatist.  
(A) Roman (B) French  
(C) Italian (D) American
- (2) The term \_\_\_\_\_ means 'reversal of the character's fortune'.  
(A) catharsis (B) hamartia  
(C) peripeteia (D) None of the above
- (3) Ibsen, Shaw, Arthur Miller, John Osborne are the writers of \_\_\_\_\_ drama.  
(A) Modern (B) Classical  
(C) Elizabethan (D) French
- (4) Heroic tragedies are written in \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) iambic pentameter lines (B) hexameter lines  
(C) traditional verse form (D) blank verse
- (5) Shakespearean tragedies are also known as \_\_\_\_\_ tragedies.  
(A) Senecan (B) Domestic  
(C) Romantic (D) Heroic
- (6) *Mourning Becomes Electra* is written by \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) Ibsen (B) Galsworthy  
(C) O'Neill (D) G.B. Shaw
- (7) What pattern is embroidered on the handkerchief of Desdemona ?  
(A) Dots (B) Leaves  
(C) Daggers (D) Strawberries
- (8) Who is Desdemona's father ?  
(A) The Duke (B) Lodovico  
(C) Cassio (D) Brabantio
- (9) Who is the most deceitful villain in the play *Othello* ?  
(A) Cassio (B) Iago  
(C) Othello (D) Desdemona
- (10) What, according to Iago, is the "green-eyed monster" ?  
(A) Envy (B) Greed  
(C) Sexual desire (D) Jealousy
- (11) According to Lodovico's letter, who is to replace Othello as governor of Cyprus ?  
(A) Montano (B) Cassio  
(C) Iago (D) Lodovico
- (12) Which song did Emelia sing ?  
(A) Love song (B) Sad song  
(C) Willow song (D) Party song