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AK-103
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B.A., Sem.-IV
CC-213 : English
(Literary Criticism)

Time : 3 Hours]

[Max. Marks : 70

Instructions : (1) **All** questions are compulsory.
(2) Figures to the right indicate the marks.

1. (A) According to Aristotle “Plot is the soul of Tragedy.” Discuss. **14**

OR

(B) In the view of Plato “Poetry is twice removed from Reality.” Explain.

2. (A) Describe Horace's views on Poetry which are explained in ‘Ars Poetica’. **14**

OR

(B) Discuss Quintilian as a critic.

3. Write any **two** Literary Terms from the following : **14**

- (1) Feminist Criticism
- (2) Post Modernism
- (3) New Criticism
- (4) Deconstruction

4. (A) Explain in brief any **four** Figures of Speech from the following : **8**

- (1) Climax
- (2) Oxymoron
- (3) Litotes
- (4) Transferred Epithet
- (5) Metonymy
- (6) Irony

(B) Identify the following Figures of Speech : (any **Six**)

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- (1) The pen is mightier than the sword.
- (2) All the best brains in Europe could not solve the problem.
- (3) Life is bitterly sweet.
- (4) What a fine exhibition you have made of yourself !
- (5) He bought a factory, aeroplane and a donkey.
- (6) He begs, he lies, he steals and he kills for money.
- (7) Belinda smiled and the entire world was gay.
- (8) That is not a bad idea.

5. Choose the correct option .

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- (1) Apart from Tragedy, Aristotle's 'Poetics' also discusses _____.
(A) Satire (B) Epic
(C) Poetry (D) Lyric
- (2) Which form of literature is mainly discussed by Plato in his 'The Republic' ?
(A) Comedy (B) Tragedy
(C) Poetry (D) Epic
- (3) Which book is written by Horace ?
(A) Ars Poetica (B) The Poetics
(C) The Republic (D) Hamlet
- (4) What does Aristotle mean by Catharsis ?
(A) Tears (B) Hatred
(C) Anger (D) Pity and Fear
- (5) Who had invented and used the word 'Hamartia' first time ?
(A) Plato (B) Aristotle
(C) Horace (D) Quintilian
- (6) Plato has used the word 'Mimesis' for what ?
(A) Imitation (B) Love
(C) Anger (D) Fear
- (7) Besides Comedy and Satire Horace also discusses which form of Literature ?
(A) Poetry (B) Tragedy
(C) Essay (D) Autobiography

- (8) For how many years Quintilian served as a Professor of Rhetoric ?
(A) Thirty (B) Twenty
(C) Ten (D) Forty
- (9) Who is the dominant Feminist critic from the following writers ?
(A) Virginia Woolf (B) Richardson
(C) Fielding (D) Robert Frost
- (10) 'New Criticism' is a book written by whom ?
(A) John Crowe Ransom (B) Horace
(C) Derrida (D) T.S. Eliot
- (11) Hyperbole is a figure of speech stands for what ?
(A) Comparison (B) Satire
(C) Exaggeration (D) Opposition
- (12) Who is the pioneer of the 'Deconstruction Theory' ?
(A) Jacques Derrida (B) Matthew Arnold
(C) Philip Sidney (D) S.T. Coleridge
- (13) 'Your son is not a fool' is an example of _____.
(A) Irony (B) Litotes
(C) Metonymy (D) Hyperbole
- (14) "Who speaks so well should ever speak in vain" is an example of _____.
(A) Climax (B) Anticlimax
(C) Irony (D) Litotes
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