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## SIXTH SEMESTER U.G. DEGREE EXAMINATION, MARCH 2022

(CBCSS—UG)

### English

### ENG 6B 14—NEW LITERATURES IN ENGLISH

Time: Two Hours and a Half

Maximum: 80 Marks

#### **Section A**

Answer at least **ten** questions. Each question carries 3 marks. All questions can be attended. Overall Ceiling 30.

- 1. What is the figure of speech found in the title "Remember Me?"
- 2. What according to Hope is the civilization of Australia?
- 3. What does Kikuyu refer to in "A Far Cry from Africa"?
- 4. How Autumn is personified in the poem "When Autumn Came"?
- 5. What is the song Lee asks his mother and his grandmother to sing about?
- 6. What does Tsundue aspire for?
- 7. Why did the white man kill the speaker's father?
- 8. Comment: "Touch me and you'll burn."
- 9. What is meant by "There was a country where fine poems lay/ close to the surface"?
- 10. How do the children treat the drowned man when they find him?
- 11. Who is Mrs. Hutchison?
- 12. What were the things Davidson carried with her when she arrived in Alice Springs?
- 13. What is the setting of the play, Death and the King's Horseman?
- 14. Who is Tyrone in the play Long Day's Journey into Night?
- 15. What did Baba want his son to be?

 $(10 \times 3 = 30 \text{ marks})$ 

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#### **Section B**

Answer at least **five** questions. Each question carries 6 marks. All questions can be attended. Overall Ceiling 30.

- 16. The relevance of Sphinx imagery in Hope's poem.
- 17. Comment on the political references in the poem "When Autumn Came." How is it a critique of dictatorship?
- 18. In what ways are the waterlilies and the speaker's mother and grandmother alike?
- 19. Discuss the historical context of "When it Rains in Dharmashala".
- 20. The character of narrator's mother in "Voices."
- 21. Discuss the attitude of Robyn Davidson about racism in Australia.
- 22. The character sketch of Tyrone.
- 23. Comment on the ending of Ciro Guerra's film.

 $(5 \times 6 = 30 \text{ marks})$ 

#### **Section C**

Answer any **two** questions. Each question carries 10 marks.

- 24. Consider "Helen of Troy does Countertop Dancing" as a feminist discourse.
- 25. Describe the magical realist elements in Marquez's "The Handsomest Drowned Man in the World".
- 26. Attempt a critical evaluation of *Death and the King's Horseman* as a tragedy.
- 27. The Kite Runner is about the impact of Neo-imperialism in Afganistan. Substantiate.

 $(2 \times 10 = 20 \text{ marks})$ 

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(Multiple Choice Questions for SDE Candidates)

Time: 15 Minutes Total No. of Questions: 20 Maximum: 20 Marks

# INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

- 1. This Question Paper carries Multiple Choice Questions from 1 to 20.
- 2. The candidate should check that the question paper supplied to him/her contains all the 20 questions in serial order.
- 3. Each question is provided with choices (A), (B), (C) and (D) having one correct answer. Choose the correct answer and enter it in the main answer-book.
- 4. The MCQ question paper will be supplied after the completion of the descriptive examination.

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(Multiple Choice Questions for SDE Candidates)

1.	When did the American novelists, in particular have found their way into the generally accept canon?			
	(A)	During the $17^{\rm th}$ century.		
	(B)	In the late 18 <sup>th</sup> century.		
	(C)	During the late 19 <sup>th</sup> and throughout	out th	e 20th centuries.
	(D)	In the 21 <sup>st</sup> century.		
2. Who wrote the novel "The Midnight's Children"?			?	
	(A)	Chinua Achebe.	(B)	Michael Ondaatje.
	(C)	Frantz Fanon.	(D)	Salman Rushdie.
3.	Comm	onwealth literature is referred to th	ose c	ountries which were once colonized by?
	(A)	United Kingdom.	(B)	United States.
	(C)	Germany.	(D)	France.
4.	Walker	is an admired?		
	(A)	American.	(B)	Australian.
	(C)	African American.	(D)	Indian.
5.	The "Tl	he Color Purple" by walker was pub	olishe	d in the year?
	(A)	1970.	(B)	1972.
	(C)	1980.	(D)	1982.
6. A. D Hope believes that Australia is a country that is?		hat is?		
	(A)	Old.	(B)	New.
	(C)	Young.	(D)	Impressive.
7.	The peo	ople who come to live in Australia d	lo not	boast of living but rather?
	(A)	Merely Enjoying.	(B)	Merely Looking Forward.
	(C)	Merely Surviving.	(D)	Merely counting for the days to pass.

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8.	What does the poem "A Far Cry from Africa" discusses?			
	(A)	Massacre.	(B)	The Mau Mau Strike.
	(C)	The Mau Mau uprising.	(D)	None of the above.
9.	In the poem "To Autumn" autumn is a season of?			f?
	(A)	Freshness.	(B)	Life.
	(C)	Decay.	(D)	Fertility.
10.	Where	did Li-Young Lee born ?		
	(A)	China.	(B)	India.
	(C)	Indonesia.	(D)	Japan.
11.	David I	Diop lived much of his life in ?		
	(A)	Germany.	(B)	France.
	(C)	Holland.	(D)	Italy.
12.	What d	oes the title of the poem "The Whit	eman	Killed my Father" depicts?
	(A)	Language Discrimination.	(B)	Gender Discrimination.
	(C)	Class Discrimination.	(D)	Racial Discrimination.
13.	What d	oes the boy in the poem "The White	eman	Killed my Father" claims about his mother?
	(A)	She was killed.	(B)	She was abused.
	(C)	She was given without food.	(D)	She was raped.
14.	Handso	omest Drowned Man in the World"	was s	et in a small coastal village in ?
	(A)	South America.	(B)	South Africa.
	(C)	South Wales.	(D)	South India.
15.		id the old woman argued about the r The World" ?	name o	of the drowned man, in "The Handsomest Drowned
	(A)	Benny.	(B)	Brown.
	(C)	Esteban.	(D)	Barghees.

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16.	In the v	work "Voices" Alice is at which	age?	
	(A)	5.	(B)	7.
	(C)	10.	(D)	13.
17.	Robyn	Davidson was raised by her?		
	(A)	Grandma.	(B)	Neighbour.
	(C)	Aunt.	(D)	A stranger.
18.	Long D	ay's Journey into Night is set i	in?	
	(A)	The kitchen.	(B)	The store room.
	(C)	The Living room.	(D)	Outside the setting.
19.	How m	any acts are there in the play "	Long days	s Journey into Night"?
	(A)	1.	(B)	2.
	(C)	4.	(D)	5.
20.	Who is	Theodor Koch-Grunberg in the	e drama fil	lm, "Embrace of the serpent ?
	(A)	German ethnologist.	(B)	Poet.

(D) Singer.

(C) Doctor.