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B.M.S COLLEGE FOR WOMEN AUTONOMOUS

BENGALURU – 560004 SEMESTER END EXAMINATION – JANUARY/FEBRUARY 2023

Optional English - I Semester

PAPER 2: INTRODUCTION TO LITERATURE

Course Code: ENG1DSC01 QP Code: 1011
Time 2 ½ Hours Max. Marks: 60

Instruction: Answer all sections.

Section A- Introduction to Literature

I. Answer any ONE of the following.

(1x10=10)

- a. Bring out the features of Elizabethan Age and Elizabethan Poetry.
- b. What is the relationship of Literature and Science in Terry Eagleton's essay?

Section B- Literary Forms

II. Answer any ONE of the following.

(1x10=10)

- a. Write a note on Sonnet and Epic.
- b. Discuss the difference between biography and autobiography.
- c. Write a note on Tragic-Comedy. Explain its characteristics.

Section C- Poetry

III. Answer the following.

(1x10=10)

a. Describe how Shelley showcases the multiple activities of the cloud.

Section D- Short Story

IV. Answer the following.

(1x10=10)

a. Verger is a personification of dedication, progress and hard work. Elucidate.

Section E- Literary Terms and Figurative Language

V. A. Define any FIVE of the following

(5x2=10)

- a. Plot
- b. Art for Art's sake
- c. Character
- d. Aside
- e. Soliloquy
- f. Satire
- g. Allegory

B. Write a short note on any ONE of the following

(1x5=5)

- a. Postmodernism
- b. Feminism

C. Write a short note on any ONE of the following.

(1x5=5)

- a. Explain Personification and Hyperbole with at least one example for each.
- b. Explain the difference between Metaphor and Simile.
