

M.A (ENGLISH) Semester - 1 (CBCS) Examination
Oct/Nov. -2019 - [NEW COURSE]
LITERATURE IN ENGLISH 1660-1798 (CORE)

Time: 2:30 Hours**Marks: 70****Instructions:**

1. All questions are compulsory.
 2. Figures to the right indicate marks.
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Que-1 Which period is known as the Augustan Age? Discuss its characteristics in detail. 14

OR

Que-1 Examine the main features of neoclassical period in English literature.

Que-2 “An epic is a long narrative poem in a lofty style, set in a remote time and place, and dealing with heroic characters and deeds” – Justify the statement with reference to *Paradise Lost*. 14

OR

Que-2 “Satan is an embodiment of antagonism that originates from the Abrahamic religions”. Analyze the statement.

Que-3 Discuss critically *The Rape of the Lock* as a brilliant piece of social satire. Give adequate illustrations from the text. 14

OR

Que-3 Analyze the character of Belinda.

Que-4 “*The Way of the World* ridicules the assumptions that governed the society of Congreve’s time, especially those concerning love and marriage.” Justify the statement with examples. 14

OR

Que-4 Analyze various themes of *The Way of the World*.

Que-5 Write short notes. (Any Two) 14

1. Historical background of the Restoration Age.
2. Train of Devils in *Paradise Lost*
3. Clarissa’s moralizing speech in *The Rape of the Lock*.
4. Mr. Fainall.
