

B.A Semester - 1 (NEP-2020) Examination

OCT/NOV-2025

ENG: Introduction to Literature -1 (Lyric Form) (Major-1)

Time: 2:00 Hours

Marks:50

Instructions:

1. All questions are compulsory.
2. Figures to the right indicate marks.

Que.1 Define *literature* and explain the objectives of studying literature. (10)

OR

Que.1 What is a *lyric*? Explain the major characteristics of a lyric poem.

Que.2 Discuss Shelley as a lyrical poet of idealism and imagination. (10)

OR

Que.2 Discuss George Herbert as a metaphysical and devotional lyric poet.

Que.3 What is the central theme of Shakespeare's *Sonnet 116*? (10)

OR

Que.3 Discuss *A Red, Red Rose* as a lyric of simple yet intense emotion.

Que.4 What wish does the speaker express in *Bright Star*? Discuss in detail. (10)

OR

Que.4 Discuss the theme of grief and loss in *Break, Break, Break*.

Que.5 Write Short Notes. (Any Two) (10)

- 1) Ode
- 2) A. E. Housman as a poet
- 3) Title of the poem *Ode to the Westwind*
- 4) Theme *When I was One and Twenty*
