

Seat No.

M.A. (SEM/CR) CBCS Part-II Semester-III Examination: Oct/Nov.-2023

English (Optional) Paper-XXIII

ENGO23: African and Caribbean Literature

Day and Date: Tuesday, 12/12/2023

Total Marks: 60

Time: 11.00 AM To 1.00 PM

Instructions:

1. All Questions are Compulsory.
2. All Questions carry equal marks.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks

Q.1. Choose the Correct alternatives from the following.

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- 1 Where does Olunde go to study?
a) England b) Mumbai c) Thane d) Chennai
- 2 Who are to accompany the dead king to the next world during his funeral?
a) The chief horseman, the favorite dog and horse of the king b) Elesin c) Iyaloja's son d) His new bride
- 3 Who is referred to as the 'eater of the left overs'?
a) Medicine b) Egungun c) Elesin d) Iyaloja
- 4 The Bride of the Elesin was earlier betrothed to?
a) He is put in the library of Mr. Pilkings' home b) The chief horseman, the favorite dog and horse of the king c) Elesin d) Iyaloja's son
- 5 Whom does Elesin request to close his eyes after his ritual death?
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- 6 A Plot is a series of.....and character actions.
a) Papers b) Events c) Lands d) Scenery
- 7 The setting of the story 'Imitation' is at
- 8 A Ghosts is a story set in a University campus in.....
a) Nigeria b) America c) Brazil d) Philadelphiat
- 9 Ikenna teach.....subject at the University.
a) Sociology. b) English c) Mathematics.d) Physics
- 10 James's daughter Nkiru is a in America.
a)Teacher b) Student c) Lawyer d) Doctor
- 11 Brutus' poem A simple lust is all my woe expresses the agony of _____ People.
a) Indian b) African c) Afro-American d) British
- 12 The oozing red blood from the bodies of the prisoners had made the path _____ orange.
a) crimson b) clear c) neonbright d) bright

- 13 some mornings we lined up for 'hospital' it meant mostly getting _____.
a) relief b) food c) treatment d) castor oil
- 14 The poet picturizes Malawi's _____ through the poem Ritual Girl.
a) situation b) past c) beauty d) culture
- 15 The Ritual Girl is a symbol of poet's _____ .
a) past b) beloved c) family d) Homeland

Q.2. Write short Notes (Three out of Four) .

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- 1 Iyaloja
- 2 The Bride
- 3 The significance of the title of a short story Imitation.
- 4 Write a note on major trends in Caribbean poetry.

Q.3. Write short Answers (Three out of Four) .

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- 1 Sketch the character of Jane
- 2 Why do you think Nkem cuts her hair short and curls it ?
- 3 Explain the importance of History in the poems of Derek Walcott.
- 4 Write a significance of the title "A Far Cry From Africa".

Q.4.. Answer the following question on broad. (One out of two).

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