

Seat No.

M.A. (2022) (SEM/CR) CBCS Part-II Semester-III Examination: Oct/Nov.-2023
English (Optional) Paper-XXVI

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 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
- 2 Who is referred to as the 'eater of the left overs'?'
a) Medicine b) Egungun c) Elesin d) Iyaloja
- 3 Whom does Elesin request to close his eyes after his ritual death?
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- 4 Soyinka is.....
a) Nigerian b) Ugandan c) Rwandan d) Kenyan.
- 5 Which country colonized Nigeria ?
a) Britain b) France c) Belgium d) The U.S.
- 6 lives at Cherrywood Lane, Philadelphia in America .
a) Nkem b) Obiora c) Ijemamaka. d) Non of the above
- 7has a mansion at Lagos in Nigeria .
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- 8 The setting of the story 'Imitation' is at
a) Russia b) America c) Brazil d) Philadelphia
- 9 .Chika iswoman.
a) Christian b) Muslim c) Hindu d) Scottish
- 10was daughter of Prof. James.
a) Zik b) Chika c) Nkem d) Amaechi
- 11 I speak their wordless woe, their _____ simple lust.
a) unending b) unimportant c) increasing d) unarticulated
- 12 The first part of the poem describes the path on the Robben Island where the _____ had passed.
a) people b) prisoners c) guards d) colonizers

- 13 The poet picturizes Malawi's _____ through the poem Ritual Girl.
a) situation b) past c) beauty d) culture
- 14 We nicknamed her _____ .
a) della b) butterfly c) cindrella d) peacock
- 15 She could pass for a roadside bar _____ as she fainted under her ninth man in a row.
a) whore b) maid c) dancer d) girl

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

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- 1 Iyaloja
- 2 Olunde
- 3 The marital relationship between Nkem and Obiora
- 4 Agony of African people in the poem "A Simple Lust Is All My Woe"

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

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- 1 Sketch the character of Jane
- 2 What is the incident that causes communal riots in Kano ?
- 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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