

U.G. 2nd Semester Examination - 2022**ENGLISH****[HONOURS]****Course Code : BENGGEHT 3A****Course Title : Selective from English Prose and Poems**

Full Marks : 40

Time : 2 Hours

*The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.**Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.*1. Answer any **ten** of the following questions:

1×10=10

- a) What was Gaiety Land?
- b) Whom did municipality send notice?
- c) What do you mean by 'bar' in 'Crossing the Bar'?
- d) What crime did Mr. Thurlow Commit?
- e) Who wrote the poem 'The Moon'?
- f) Where does the expression 'darling buds of May' occur?

- g) What does the poet hear in his 'heart's care' even when he is far away from Innisfree?
- h) How does the poet contrast London and Innisfree?
- i) What does Shelley mean to say by 'Joyless eye'?
- j) Which metal is operated into Mr. Thurlow's forehead?
- k) What is the full name of H.E. Bates?
- l) Who is the pilot in Tennyson's 'Crossing the Bar'?
- m) Who identified himself as Jimmy Walsh?
- n) 'Art thou pale for weariness'—Who is 'thou' here?
- o) What does the phrase 'eye of heaven' mean?

2. Answer any **five** of the following questions:

2×5=10

- a) How does the poet underestimate the sun in Sonnet 18?
- b) What kind of place is Innisfree?
- c) Write a short note on the theme of 'Crossing the Bar'.

- d) Who was called as Ox in the story 'The Ox'?
- e) "So long lives this, and this gives life in thee"—What is referred to here as 'this'?
- f) Who was Joseph? Who was the owner of the Gymkhana Ground?
- g) What does Lady Gregory mean to say by the rising of the moon?
- h) Comment on the mood of the poem 'The Moon' by P. B. Shelley.

3. Answer any **two** of the following questions:

5×2=10

- a) "You are the man I am looking for"—who is the speaker? Write a short note on the 'man' he is looking for.
- b) "The world into which she moved was very small"—Give a description of the 'small' world of Mrs. Thurlow.
- c) Write a critical note on the features of romanticism in Shelley's poem 'The Moon'.

4. Answer any **one** of the following question:

10×1=10

- a) Write a brief essay on the themes of Time and Friendship in Shakespeare's Sonnet No. 18.
- b) Who is the 'Ox' in H. E. Bate's short story? How does he characterize the central character as in Ox?
- c) Consider 'The Moon' as an allegorical poem.
