

Literary Forms and Terms. (EN101T)

2 Marks

1. What is Lyric?
2. Write about the qualities and characteristics of Lyric.
3. What was the idea of Greek about Lyric.
4. Write some types of Personal Poetry.
5. What types of poetry are subjective and objective?
6. Write some famous Lyric Poet and their writings.
7. Into how many parts we can divide the Lyric poem? What are they?
8. Define Ode.
9. What is Pindaric ode?
10. Write the types of Greek Odes.
11. Write the types of English Odes.
12. Write some famous Ode writers and their writings.
13. What is the rhyme scheme of a Shakespearean Sonnet?
14. What is Sonnet?
15. What is sestet and octave?
16. Who introduced sonnet and when they introduced?
17. Write about Petrarchan Sonnet.
18. Write famous authors of sonnet and give some examples.
19. What is Ballad?
20. What are characters of Ballad?
21. How many kinds of Ballads are there? What are they?
22. Write about Mock Ballad with Examples.
23. Write some famous Traditional Ballads.
24. Write some famous Literary Ballads.
25. Write famous authors of Ballads.
26. Define Epic.
27. What is Mock Epic and give some examples?
28. What are the two types of Epic?
29. What is primitive or Epic of growth?
30. Write some famous writers and their writings.
31. What is Literary Epic or epic of art?
32. Difference between primitive and literary Epic.
33. What do you mean the term 'Formal Essay'?
34. Define Essay.
35. What are the types or kinds of Essays?
36. Write some famous Essayists.

37. Who is considered as the Father of Essay?
38. What is personal Essay?
39. What is Short Story?
40. Write the difference between the Short story and the Novel.
41. Write some famous writers and their writings.
42. Edgar Allan Poe's words about short story.
43. Write some famous Short Stories.
44. Define Biography.
45. Elements of Biography.
46. Sydney Lee's words on Biography.
47. What is the basis of Biography?
48. What is the main function of Biography?
49. Factors of impure Biography.
50. Carlyle's words on Biography.
51. Define Autobiography.
52. Drawback of Autobiography.
53. Write few characters of Autobiography.
54. Why Johnson preferred Autobiography?
55. Elements of Autobiography?
56. R.L. Stevenson's words about Autobiography.
57. What is objective Autobiography?
58. What are the difficulties in Autobiography?
59. Define Mystery Play.
60. Subjects presented in Mystery Play
61. Define Miracle Play.
62. Define Morality Play.
63. Who forbade the Clergy not to act?
64. Examples of Mystery Play.
65. Miracle Play is also called as?
66. Define Tragedy.
67. Define Comedy.
68. Divisions of Tragedy.
69. Divisions of Comedy.
70. Comedy of Manners.
71. Define Tragic Comedy.
72. Give some examples for Tragic Comedy?
73. The plot structure in Tragic Comedy?
74. The fall of Tragic Comedy.
75. Define Absurd Drama.
76. Who coined the term Absurd Drama?
77. Themes of Absurd Plays?
78. Subject used in Absurd Plays.

79. Give some examples for Absurd Drama.
80. Define Novel.
81. Various elements in a Novel.
82. How is plot construction in a Novel.
83. Define Detective Novel.
84. Convention in a Detective Story or Characteristics.
85. First full length Detective Novel.
86. Examples of Detective Novels.
87. Subspecies of a Detective Novel?
88. Who was the first to launch this form?
89. The period of Psychological Novel.
90. Give some examples to Psychological Novel.
91. Special Characteristics of Psychological Novel.
92. Define Realistic Novel.
93. Characteristic of Realistic Novel.
94. Examples of Realistic Novel.
95. The Seed for Science Fiction.
96. Science Fiction deals with the subjects.
97. Words of R.A. Heinlein on Science Fiction.
98. The factors that a Science Fiction Writers must have.
99. What are the types in Science Fiction.
100. Themes that occurs in Science Fiction.
101. The writers who made Science Fiction Popular.
102. Elements in Modern Science Fiction.
 103. Elements in Science Fiction.
 104. List some Science Fiction writers and their works.
 105. Define Historical Novel.
 106. Reasons for the commence of Historical Novel.
 107. Give some examples for Historical Novel.
 108. Saintsbury words on Historical Novels.
 109. Characteristics of Historical Novels.
 110. Define Classicism.
 111. The three major characteristics of Classicism.
 112. Classicism in Architecture.
 113. Classicism in theatre.
 114. Classicism in Political Philosophy.
 115. Define Romanticism.
 116. Romanticism in linked to?
 117. Characteristics of Romanticism.
 118. Elements that are emphasized in Romanticism.
 119. Give some examples to Romanticism?

120. Influence of European Romanticism.
121. Romanticism and Music.
122. Define Symbolism.
123. Origin of Symbolism.
124. Techniques involved in Symbolism.
125. Influence of Symbolism in music.
126. Give some Examples for Symbolism.
127. Elements of Symbolism.
128. Define Blank Verse.
129. Give some examples to Blank Verse.
130. Types of Blank Verse.
131. Features of Blank Verse.
132. What is Myth?
133. Examples given to Myth?
134. Characteristics elements of Myth.
135. Define Soliloquy.
136. Who coined soliloquy?
137. Where to use soliloquy?
138. Examples of Soliloquy.
139. Define Satire.
140. Where it was originated?
141. Examples given to Satires?
142. Main aim of Satire.

5 Marks

1. Write a paragraph on 'Lyric'.
2. Define Lyric and discuss about the parts of Lyric.
3. Explain about two Traditions of Odes in Greece with example.
4. Discuss About the early stage of English Ode.
5. Explain about the 13th Century Sonnet.
6. Discuss about the Surrey's and Shakespearean's form of Sonnet.
7. Describe Pastoral Elegy in brief.
8. Define Elegy and discuss about the famous authors and their elegies.
9. Discuss about the themes of Ballad.
10. Explain the two types of Ballads.
11. Write about the main traits of an Epic.
12. Describe Mock Epic in detail.
13. Write a note on Primary Epic.
14. Write briefly about the 20th Century Essay.
15. Describe the Periodical Essay in Brief.
16. Explain the term Essay in detail.
17. Write briefly about 'The Short Story'.

18. Discuss about the English Short Story.
19. Write the difference between the Short Story and the Novel.
20. Give a brief account of 'The Biography'.
21. Analyse the Biography as a Literary Genre.
22. Write the chief characteristics of an Autobiography.
23. What is autobiography? Write the Difficulties in an Autobiographer faces.
24. Describe the Tragedy in brief.
25. Describe the Comedy in brief.
26. Bring out the salient features of Comedy.
27. Discuss the features of the One act play.
28. Describe the Miracle Play in brief.
29. Describe the Mystery Play in brief.
30. Bring out the concept of Absurd Drama.
31. Explain the Absurd Drama.
32. Describe the Novel in English.
33. Explain the Psychological Novel.
34. Comment on the theme and form of the Realistic Novel.
35. Give a brief account of the Science Fiction and fantasy.
36. What is science fiction? Write about the common themes in Modern Science Fiction.
37. Write briefly on Classicism.
38. Consider Blank Verse as the natural rhythms of English speech.

10 Marks

1. Define Lyric and write its characteristic and discuss about the parts of Lyric with some examples.
2. Define Ode and discuss about the Greek and English Odes with examples.
3. Trace the origin and development of the Sonnet.
4. Write an essay on elegy.
5. Write an essay on Ballad.
6. Define and explain two types of Ballad and the form of Ballad with examples.
7. What is epic? Discuss the two types of epics in detail.
8. Comment on the conventions of an Epic.
9. What is essay? Explain different kinds of essay.
10. Discuss the structure of Short Story.
11. Discuss the feature of Short Story.
12. Define Biography. Discuss Biography in English with example.
13. Write an essay on Autobiography.
14. Comment on the role of Soliloquy in Tragedy.
15. Explain the elements of Tragic-Comedy.

16. What is a Tragedy? Explain the chief characteristic features of a Tragedy.
17. Bring out the salient features in the Oneact play.
18. Comment on the theme and form of Historical Novel.
19. Bring out the salient features in Detective Novel.
20. Write a detailed essay on Science Fiction.
21. Describe Classicism.
22. What is Romanticism? What are the chief characteristics of Romanticism?
23. Comment on the subject of Satire.
