

B.A. Semester-IV Examination, 2022-23**ENGLISH [Programme]****Course ID : 40319 Course Code : AP/ENG/403/C-ENG-2****Course Title : British Poetry 2**

Time : 45 Minutes

Full Marks : 40

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.

Answer **all** the following questions by choosing the correct alternative out of **four** options: 1×40=40

1. 'The cold smell of'
 - a) Ice
 - b) Water
 - c) Grass
 - d) Potato
2. Name the author of the poem 'Break, Break, Break'
 - a) P.B.Shelley
 - b) T.S.Eliot
 - c) William Shakespeare
 - d) Alfred Tennyson
3. In the poem 'Break, Break, Break', the poet is lamenting for his
 - a) Mother
 - b) Father
 - c) Friend
 - d) Sister
4. "And the stately _____ go on" (Fill in the blank with appropriate word)
 - a) Trees
 - b) Sips
 - c) Stones
 - d) Train
5. "At the foot of thy crags" – Here the word "crags" means–
 - a) Rugged chiff
 - b) Smoothed hill
 - c) Even Surface
 - d) The sea
6. "On they cold gray stones, O sea!" is a case of
 - a) Hypesbole
 - b) Irony
 - c) Pun
 - d) Personification
7. In the poem 'Digging' by Seamus Heaney, what is the speaker's grand father's occupation?
 - a) A carpenter
 - b) A soldier
 - c) A peat harvester
 - d) A fisherman
8. "Fate, which foresaw" – The line occurs in
 - a) The Lake Isles of Innisfree
 - b) Digging
 - c) Preludes
 - d) The Buried Life
9. "Alas! Is even _____ too weak" (Fill in the blank with the appropriate word)
 - a) Eye
 - b) Love
 - c) Hate
 - d) Study

10. "We know. We know that we can jest." – Here the word "Jest" means to

- a) Joke
- b) Fight
- c) Sleep
- d) Feast

11. "Ah well for us, if even we" – Here the word "we" refers to

- a) The poet and his servant
- b) The poet and his cousin
- c) The poet and his beloved
- d) The poet and his pet

12. "Between my finger and my thumb

The squat pen rests; snug as a gem".

– This is an example of

- a) Alliteration
- b) Oxymoron
- c) Simile
- d) Metaphor

13. In 'Digging', the poet is

- a) An English man
- b) An American
- c) An Irish man
- d) A Scottish man

14. 'Digging' was first published in

- a) *Death of a Naturalist*
- b) *Door into the Dark*
- c) *Bogland*
- d) *Station Island*

15. The characters who appear in the poem, 'Digging' are –

- a) The speaker, his father and his grandfather
- b) Speaker and his grandson
- c) The speaker and his son
- d) The speaker and his father

16. T.S.Eliot's 'Preludes' was published in

- a) *Prufrock and Other Observations*
- b) *Lyrical Ballads*
- c) *Songs and Sonnets*
- d) *Prometheus Unbound*

17. "The morning comes to consciousness of faint smells of beer..." – The line occurs in –

- a) *Digging*
- b) *Preludes*
- c) *Buried Life*
- d) *Do not go gentle into that good night*

18. T.S.Eliot in his poem 'Preludes' compares the end of the day to

- a) The end of a meeting
- b) The end of life
- c) The burnt out end of a cigarette
- d) Ruined palace

19. The central issue in the poem 'Preludes' by T.S.Eliot is
- a) Mortality
 - b) Love
 - c) Alienation and disillusionment
 - d) Betrayal
20. The time of the day not mentioned in the poem 'Preludes' is
- a) Morning
 - b) Evening
 - c) Mid-day
 - d) Night
21. 'The Lake Isle of Innisfree' is written by
- a) Nissim Ezekiel
 - b) Rabindranath Tagore
 - c) Wilfred Owen
 - d) W.B.Yeats
22. Which place does the poet want to visit in the poem 'The Lake Isle of Innisfree'? –
- a) The lake
 - b) The mountains
 - c) The beach
 - d) The island where he spent his childhood
23. What kind of a house did the poet want to have at Innisfree?
- a) A well furnished bungalow
 - b) A big house
 - c) A house made of wood and clay
 - d) A shack

24. How did the poet want to live at Innisfree?
- a) With friends
 - b) With parents
 - c) With siblings and children
 - d) All alone
25. What is "cricket" in the context of the poem 'The Lake Isle of Innisfree'?
- a) A kind of game
 - b) A kind of bird
 - c) A kind of insect
 - d) A kind of animal
26. The author of the poem 'Porphyria's Lover' is –
- a) G.M.Hopkins
 - b) Matthew Arnold
 - c) Thomas Hardy
 - d) Robert Browning
27. Who is the speaker in "Porphyria's Lover"?
- a) Porphyria's lover
 - b) Porphyria's friend
 - c) Porphyria's mother
 - d) Porphyria's servant
28. The poem 'Porphyria's Lover' by Robert Browning is-
- a) A sonnet
 - b) An ode
 - c) A dramatic monologue
 - d) An elegy
29. What does the speaker do to Porphyria in the poem 'Porphyria's Lover'?
- a) The speaker kills her
 - b) The speaker avoids her
 - c) The speaker scolds her
 - d) The speaker leaves her

39. Who is Icarus?

- a) A character in Hamlet
- b) A Character in Irish mythology
- c) A character in African mythology
- d) A character in Greek mythology

40. What is the meaning of the title of W.H.Auden's poem 'Musée des Beaux Arts'?

- a) Museum of Finest Arts
 - b) Museum of Five Arts
 - c) Memory of Fine Arts
 - d) Museum of Fine Arts
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