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Second Semester FYUGP Degree Examination, April 2025

Ability Enhancement Course

ENGLISH

UK2AECENG105 - Reflections on Language, Literature, and Society 2

Academic Level: 100-199

Time: 1 Hour

Max. Marks: 28

Part A ,4 Marks ,Time 5 Minutes (Cognitive Level :Remember(RE)/Understand(UN))Objective Type 1 mark each,
Answer all questions

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
1	Name two places that Bacon suggests visiting in his essay "Of Travel"?	RE	1
2	Report the key ideas about motherhood in "Do Mothers Have Sundays?"	RE	1
3	Give a list of any two popular travelogues that you know.	UN	2
4	What is an Invisible Labour?	UN	2

Part B ,8 Marks ,Time 15 Minutes (Cognitive Level :Understand(UN)/Apply(AP))Short Answer 2 marks each, Answer all questions

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
5	"..... this grey spirit yearning in desire / to follow knowledge like a sinking star." Who is the "grey spirit" mentioned here? Why is the adjective "grey" used?	UN	2
6	Discuss how Simon Ives uses media to achieve his goals on Prejudice.	UN	3
7	How can the insights from Bacon's essay "Of Travel" be applied to the modern-day concept of global education and cultural exchange programmes?	AP	3
8	How does Saunders critique the treatment of war veterans in the short story "Home?"	AP	3

Part C ,16 Marks ,Time 40 Minutes (Cognitive Level :Apply(AP)/Analyse(AN)/Evaluate(EV))Long Answer 4 marks each, Answer all questions choosing among options* within each question

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
9	A) How does the setting of "Eve's Diary" (the Garden of Eden) shape the characters' actions and perspectives? OR B) In what ways does the poem "Ulysses" explore the tension between aging and the desire for continued purpose, and how does Ulysses reconcile this tension? Justify.	AP	4, 3

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
10	A) Analyse Bacon's advice on how a traveller should prepare for a journey. OR B) Critically analyse the poem "Inviting a Friend to Supper".	AN	4, 5
11	A) How does George Saunders's "Home" critique the treatment of veterans in society? OR B) Evaluate the significance of keeping a travel diary as suggested by Bacon.	EV	5, 5
12	A) Write about your concept of home with reference to George Saunder's Home. OR B) How could you bring a revolution in the concept of women's lives as depicted in "Do Mothers Have Sundays?"	CR	5, 5