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Second Semester FYUGP Degree Examination, April 2025

Multi-Disciplinary course

ENGLISH

UK2MDCENG100 - Comics and Graphic Fiction

Academic Level: 100-199

Time: 1 Hour 30 Minutes(90 Mins.)

Max. Marks: 42

Part A. 6 Marks.Time:6 Minutes.(Cognitive Level:Remember(RE)/Understand(UN)) Objective Type. 1 Mark
Each.Answer all questions

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
1	Define graphic fiction.	RE	1
2	The Asterix comics series were originally published in which language?	RE	2
3	What do you mean by the term sequential art?	UN	1
4	What narrative technique is employed in 'The Story of the Woman' in the Ghost Teller series?	UN	3
5	What is the overall tone of the story, "The Story of the Woman"?	UN	3
6	Who illustrated Bhimayana?	UN	1

Part B.8 Marks.Time:24 Minutes.(Cognitive Level:Understand(UN)/Apply(AP))Short Answer. 2 marks each.Answer all questions

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
7	In <i>Ghost Teller: The Story of the Woman</i> , the fortune teller only gives her one suffering. What does this imply about the other sufferings she endured?	UN	1
8	Explain the Gauls' village and the surrounding Roman camps.	UN	4
9	Differentiate between "comic strips" and "comic books".	AP	3
10	How did the Bodhisattva solve the mystery of the missing necklace?	AP	3

Part C. 28 Marks.Time:60 Minutes (Cognitive Level:Apply(AP)/Analyse(AN)/Evaluate(EV)/Create(CR)) Long Answer.7 marks each.Answer all 4 Questions choosing among options * within each question

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
11	A) Explain the significance of the incident where young Ambedkar is denied water at school and how it sets the foundation for the themes explored in "Book I." OR B) Illustrate the impact of superhuman comics on the personality of Kamala.	AP	4, 4
12	A) Distinguish between the various types of choices in comics	AN	3, 4

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	OR B) How do scrolling webtoons change the way panel transitions work compared to printed comics? – Analyse the impact of this change on narrative flow of reader engagement.		
13	A) Evaluate the importance of comics in the preservation of Indian traditions and cultures. OR B) Evaluate the impact of McCloud's "Understanding Comics" on the field of comics studies and criticism. To what extent has his work influenced the way comics are analyzed and understood.	EV	2, 4
14	A) Imagine a comic arc with gender discrimination and issues faced by the Dalits in India. OR B) Create a comic story by taking characters from the Jataka Tales and setting them in a modern-day scenario.	CR	5, 5