

Roll No.

**MAEL-12 (M.A. English)
First Year Examination 2013**

**MAEL-102
English Poetry Up to the 18th Century**

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 60

Note: The Question Paper is divided into three sections, A, B, and C. Follow instructions given at the beginning of each section.

**Section-A
(Long Answer Questions)**

Note: Answer any two questions. Each question carries 15 marks. 2x15=30

1. Discuss *The Rape of the Lock* as a Mock Heroic poem.
2. Discuss Chaucer as the father of English Poetry.
3. In *Fairy Queen*, Spenser's aim is 'to fashion a gentleman or noble person in Virtuous and gentle discipline'. Elucidate.
4. Attempt a critical appreciation of Gray's 'An Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard.'

**Section-B
(Short Answer Questions)**

Note: Answer any four questions. Each question carries 05 marks. 4x5=20

1. Write a critical appreciation of the poem 'Death Be Not Proud'.
2. Examine Donne as a Metaphysical Poet.
3. What features of Cavalier Lyricism are found in Andrew Marvell's Poetry?
4. The poem 'Upon Cromwell's Return From Ireland' is a handsome tribute to the dictator. Analyse in five sentences.
5. Who is the hero of *Paradise Lost* Book I and Why?
6. In what way Milton's poetry is an example of Reformation Poetry?
7. What aspects of Renaissance are expressed in Milton's poetry?
8. Define and discuss Neo-classical poetry.

Section-C

Objective Questions (Compulsory)

Note: Answer all questions. Each question carries 01 mark.

10x1=10

Write True/False against the following statements:

1. Spencer's Language is a blend of Chaucer's rustic dialect and his own coinages.
2. Donne's The Canonization is about coronation of kings.
3. Andrew Marvell was Milton's assistant as Latin Secretary in Cromwell Government.
4. Gray is a romantically classical poet.
5. We do not love Pope, we admire him.

Choose the correct option:

6. Chaucer's pilgrims are to visit:
A. The shrine of St. Thomas B. The shrine of St. Joseph
C. The Shrine of St. Matthew D. The shrine of St. Mark
7. Pope's The Rape of the Lock is a:
A. Mock-epic poem B. Anti- Heroic poem
C. Pre- Romantic poem D. Heroic poem
8. Pope's The Rape of the Lock is chiefly directed against:
A. The polite society of London B. The political climate of England
C. The cultural environment of England D. The royal society of London
9. Who said 'Gray never spoke out'?
A. Wordsworth B. Coleridge
C. Byron D. Mathew Arnold
10. Collins' Ode to Evening is a:
A. Celebration of Romantic poetry B. Glorification of Nature's benevolence
C. Rejection of Nature's malevolence D. Celebration of Seasonal changes