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### FAROOK COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), KOZHIKODE

## Sixth Semester BA English Degree Examination, April 2023

#### BEN6B11 - Voices of women

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: 2 ½ hours Max. Marks: 80

- I. Answer the following questions in two or three sentences each(2 marks each):
- 1. Who was Judith Shakespeare?
- 2. According to Adichie, how do we teach girls shame?
- 3. What is the image found in every Catholic home? What is the speaker's request to it in "Bequest"?
- 4. "My resistance to this type of/existence/grows stronger everyday." Explain.
- 5. What did Helen leave behind when she moved to Troy?
- 6. "I adapted myself to the punishment." Who is the speaker? What is the punishment?
- 7. Why is the 15 year old girl in "Preciousness" scared of men?
- 8. What is the relevance of the name Myop?
- 9. Why does Edna stamp on her wedding band and smash the hearth?
- 10. How does Thozhilkendrathilekku occupy a unique position in the history of Malayalam drama?
- 11. What happens to Edna at the end of the novel, The Awakening?
- 12. How does Devaki leave her husband's home?
- 13. What does Noqreh do under the pretext of attending Quran classes?
- 14. Who is the protagonist of the film "Mustang"? Where is the film set?
- 15. What was Mr.Pontellier's immediate response when he knew of his wife's intention to abandon her home?

(Ceiling = 25marks)

## II. Answer the following in a paragraph (5 marks each):

- 16. Swimming as a means of escapism in The Awakening.
- 17. Robert Lebrun.
- 18. Devaki in Thozhilkendrathilekku.
- 19. The relationship between the maid and the protagonist in "Preciousness".
- 20. Consider "The Flowers" as an example of flash fiction.
- 21. What message does Eve give her daughters?
- 22. In "Bequest", how does the poet rediscover her self-worth?
- 23. The class monitor incident narrated by Adichie.

(Ceiling=35 marks)

## III. Attempt any two of the four questions in an essay (10 marks each):

- 24. Describe the incidents narrated by Adichie to describe the practice of gender inequality.
- 25. Describe the major symbols used in The Awakening.
- 26. How do the characters of Aphan and Vakkeel act as instruments of patriarchy, in *Thozhilkendrathilekku*?
- 27. Consider "Eve to her Daughters" as a poem that revisits mythology.

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### Sixth Semester BA English Degree Examination, April 2023

### BEN6B12 - Classics of World Literature

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: 2 ½ hours Max., Marks: 80

### I. Answer the following questions in two or three sentences: (2 marks each)

- 1. Why did Achilles refrain from the war?
- 2. What is rasa in the Indian Theatre?
- 3. What is the outcome of the fight between Gilgamesh and the Bull of Heaven?
- 4. How is the poem *The Violet* the metaphor for the unrequited love?
- 5. What is the significance of 'the garden of Eden'?
- 6. What is a haiku? Mention a few practitioners of haiku.
- 7. What information is brought by Creon from the Oracle of Delphi?
- 8. What happened to Jocasta after discovering the truth?
- 9. How does the first soldier describe the battlefield?
- 10. How does mother Sauvage come to know about her son's death?
- 11. What were the three questions of the king?
- 12. How does the king prove that he has forgiven the bearded man?
- 13. How does the travelling priest describe the murdered man and the missing woman?
- 14. Why does Rustum hide his identity from Sohrab when they engage in a single combat?
- 15. What was special about the murals in the monastery?

(Ceiling 25 marks)

## II. Answer the following questions in a paragraph: (5 marks each)

- 16. Main themes of Homer's epics.
- 17. Comment upon the concluding part of the Canto IV
- 18. How does the poet use the symbol of the 'forsaken flower'?
- 19. The role of fate in Oedipus Rex.
- 20. Theme of cruelty in the short story Mother Sauvage.
- 21. Character of Rustum.
- 22. Portrayal of women in In a Bamboo Grove
- 23. Zhu's adventures with Apsara.

(Ceiling 35 marks)

## III. Answer any TWO of the four questions in an essay.

- 24. The salient features of the Greek theatre.
- 25. Dying scene of Duryodhana.
- 26. 'Love conquers all' as the central theme of Les Miserables.
- 27. Illusion and reality in The Painted Wall.

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#### BEN6B13 - Film Studies

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: 2 ½ hours Max. Marks: 80

### I. Answer the following questions in two or three sentences. (Each question carries 2 marks.)

- 1. What is the purpose of a long shot?
- 2. What is meant by 30 degree rule?
- 3. Distinguish between diegetic and non-diegetic sound?
- 4. Give any four examples musicals from Hollywood.
- 5. Write any two features of Italian Neorealism.
- 6. Describe apparatus theory.
- 7. Who proposed the theory of "culture industry" to analyze commercial cinema?
- 8. Why, according to Christian Metz, is denotation in the analysis of a film?
- 9. Which are the three looks associated with cinema, according to Laura Mulvey?
- 10. What is the crime committed by Antoine Dionel in Truffaut's movie?
- 11. How is Black Larsen killed?
- 12. Comment on the ending of Fellini's 8 1/2.
- Explain: "I'm a god-damn marvel of modern science."
- 14. What happens to the woman who brought the little boy to the monastery in the Winter Section of Kim Ki-duk's film?
- 15. What does the colour blue, which Rajamma wears, signify in The Rat-Trap?

(Ceiling 25 marks)

## II. Answer the following questions in a paragraph of 100 words. (Each question carries 5 marks

- 16. Deep focus.
- 17. Film Noir.
- 18. Indian New wave cinema.
- 19. Apparatus theory.
- 20. Cinema Verite.
- 21. The narrative style of Tarkovsky's The Mirror.
- 22. The trope of dysfunctional family in The 400 Blows.
- 23. Postcolonial elements in Guelwaar.

(Ceiling 35 marks)

## III. Answer any two out of the following questions in an essay of 300 words.

- 24. The narrative cinema is the demonstration of patriarchal ideology. Argue with reference to Laura Mulvey's essay "Visual Pleasure and Narrative Cinema".
- 25. Discuss how Fellini's 8 ½ is about the struggles involved in the creative process and the problems artists face when expected to deliver something personal and profound with intense public scrutiny.
- 26. Adoor's Elipathayam critically analyses the tragic journey of a family that is caught in the whirlpool of the decaying past. Elucidate.
- 27. Analyze how Spring, Summer, Fall, Winter ... and Spring is a rendering of Buddhist philosophy.

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BEN6B14 - New Literatures in English

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: 2 ½ hours Max. Marks: 80

### I. Answer the following questions in two or three sentences. (Each question carries 2 marks.)

- 1. What is Ben Okri's way of defining the postcolonial?
- 2. Explain: "I am the girl / with the wounded eye / and the melted ear."
- 3. Why is it said, in A. D. Hope's poem, that the country is "without songs, architecture, history"?
- 4. What does the poet mean by "the gorilla wrestles with the superman"?
- 5. How does the speaker feel about the subject of the mother's and grandmother's song?
- 6. Explain the figure of speech used in the phrase 'the birds that herald dreams'.
- 7. What is the meaning of the expression "raindrops wear boxing gloves"?
- 8. What are the adjectives used to refer to the black people in David Diop's poem?
- 9. Why is it said that 'the music smells like foxes'?
- 10. Explain the imagery in the expression, "The mine seemed inexhaustible".
- 11. What is it about the looks of the dead man that makes him special?
- 12. What is the attitude of the narrator's mother towards Mrs. Hutchison?
- 13. What were the things the narrator carried with her when she arrived in Alice Springs?
- 14. What was Tyrone's profession?
- 15. How does Elesin react to the sacrifice of his son?

(Ceiling 25 marks)

# II. Answer the following questions in a paragraph of 100 words. (Each question carries 5 marks.)

- 16. The concept of New Literatures in English.
- 17. The images of barrenness in "Australia".
- 18. The symbolization of death in "A Far Cry from Africa".
- 19. Diasporic nostalgia in "I Ask my Mother to Sing".
- 20. The significance of the name Esteban in "The Handsomest Drowned Man in the World".
- 21. The character sketch of Elesin Oba.
- 22. The psychological conflicts in the A Long Day's Journey's into Night.
- 23. The character of Baba in The Kite Runner.

(Ceiling 35 marks)

### III. Answer any two out of the following questions in an essay of 300 words.

- 24. Consider "Helen of Troy Does Countertop Dancing" as a feminist discourse.
- Consider Munroe's "Voices" as a story of Alice's emergence from the innocence of childhood to the sexual world.
- 26. Substantiate Soyinka's statement that *Death and the King's Horseman* is not a play about the 'clash of cultures'.
- 27. Explain the features of postcolonial cinema with reference to Embrace of the Serpent.

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### Sixth Semester BA English Degree Examination, April 2023

### BEN6E19 - English Language Education

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: 2 hours Max. Marks: 60

### I Answer the following questions in two or three sentences each (2 marks each)

- 1 Distinguish between language EAP and ESP.
- 2 What is CLT?
- 3. What are the productive skills in English?
- 4. What is the difference between Method and Approach?
- 5. What is bilingual method?
- 6. What is communicative CALL?
- 7. Explain receptive skills.
- 8. What is the difference between CLT and GTM?
- 9. Explain Micro teaching
- 10. What is the impact of conducting diagnostic tests in English?
- 11. What is the difference between Eclectic and Communicative approaches?
- 12. What is meant by PPP methods?

(Ceiling 20 marks)

### II Answer the following in a paragraph (5 marks each)

- 13 Explain Bilingual methods with examples.
- 14. Explain different types of testing in English.
- 15. Write a note on TESOL.
- 16. Explain the brief history of ELE in India.
- 17. Explain the importance of Peer Teaching.
- 18. What are the merits of CLT method over other methods?
- 19. How will you introduce 'If Clause' to the students of Ninth standard?

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### III Attempt any one of the following in 200 words

- 20. Compare and contrast different methods and approaches in ELT.
- 21. Prepare a lesson plan to teach tenth standard students any story/ poem.

(1x10 = 10 marks)