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UNDERGRADUATE (CBCS) EXAMINATION, FEBRUARY 2021

Fifth Semester

(Offered by the Board of Studies in English)

Open Course - EN5OPT02 - THEATRE STUDIES

2017 Admission Onwards

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Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

Part A

Answer any **ten** questions. Each question carries **2** marks.

- 1. Who is Puru?
- 2. Describe the setting of Othello.
- 3. What is the significance of the place Cyprus?
- 4. Who is Mrs.Rowland?
- 5. What happens to Alfed at the end of the play 'Before Breakfast'?
- 6. "I can say what I want to say ." Why does Ronnie say so?
- 7. What does Henry suggest Aurora after a deep thought?
- 8. Why did Lomov dress up in formals when he visited his neighbour?
- 9. How did Natalya react when she came to know that Lomov was about to propose her?
- 10. What does red signify according to Kavuttyamma?
- 11. Comment on the ending of the play 'Marattom'.
- 12. What does the bridegroom's father mean by "daughter sold so cheap"?

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

Part B

Answer any six questions. Each question carries 5 marks.

13. Caste consciousness in the play 'Abhijnanasakunthalam'.





- 14. Attempt a character sketch of Desdemona.
- 15. Write a note on the issues of race and colour as you seen In 'Othello'.
- 16. What were the reasons for Ronnie to feel that his mother was bad to him?
- 17. 'Tomorrow, Ronnie, I'll buy you some flowers." Comment.
- 18. Describe the appearance of the young man and the lady in 'How He Lied to Her Husband'.
- 19. Which qualities are common in all the three characters in 'The Proposal'?
- 20. What is the significance of the title 'Marattom'?
- 21. What is the significance of Tushu's story in 'Giving Away the Girl'?

(6×5=30)

Part C

Answer any **two** questions. Each question carries **15** marks.

- 22. Trace out a few features of Sanskrit Drama from the first act of 'Abhinjnasakunthalam'.
- 23. Attempt an essay on the theme and techniques of the one act play 'Before Breakfast'.
- 24. Write a critical summary of the play 'How he Lied to Her Husband'.
- 25. Examine the social issues raised in the play 'Giving Away the Girl'.

(2×15=30)