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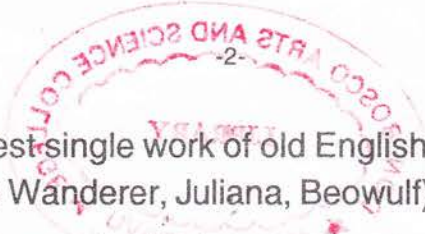
4B06 ENG : History of English Language and Literature

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Weightage : 30

- I. Answer the following **four** bunches of questions choosing the **right** option from those given : (4×1=4)
- 1) a) Which of the following theory traces the connection between the sound and the word ?
(Bow-Wow theory, Ding-Dong theory, Pooh-Pooh theory, Gesture theory)
 - b) Which of the following is not a language of the Eastern group of the Indo-European family ?
(Celtic, Balto-Slavonic, Indo-Iranian, Armenian)
 - c) Present-day English is derived from _____
(Primitive Germanic, Proto Germanic, West Germanic)
 - d) Old English had an unreasonable and illogical system of
(Number, Tense, Gender, Concord)
2. a) Words such as “mob”, “pants”, “gas”, “drawing room” are examples of _____
(Clipping, Book-formation, Folk etymology, Blending)
- b) Which writer popularized the word “superman” ?
(Lewis Carroll, Browning, Bernard Shaw, Walter Scott)
 - c) The suffixes ‘ __ ate’, ‘ __ ice’, ‘ __ al’, ‘ __ et’ originated from _____
(French, Greek, Scandinavian, Latin)
 - d) What is the corresponding American English word for ‘postman’ ?
(Letter man, Post master, Telegraph man, Mail man)

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3. a) Which is the greatest single work of old English Literature ?
(The Seafarer, The Wanderer, Juliana, Beowulf)
- b) Which place did Chaucer's pilgrims propose to visit ?
(London, West Minister, Cambridge, Canterbury)
- c) Who is called the 'Poet's Poet' ?
(William Shakespeare, Geoffrey Chaucer, Thomas Wyatt, Edmund Spenser)
- d) Who gave currency to the expression "Metaphysical Poets" ?
(John Donne, Marvell, John Dryden, Samuel Johnson)
4. a) Who is regarded as "The Bard of Twickenham" ?
(Dryden, Pope, Addison, Steele)
- b) When was "The Wuthering Heights" first published ?
(1784, 1947, 1847, 1837)
- c) Who created the character Angel Clare ?
(Charles Dickens, George Eliot, Thomas Hardy, Henry James)
- d) Who is the hero of "The Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man" ?
(Stephen Edward, James Joyce, Ulysses, Stephen Dedalus)

II. Write a paragraph of **100** words **each** on **any five** of the following : **(5×2=10)**

5. The Bow-Wow theory.
6. SMS and Chat English.
7. Anglo – Saxon Dialects
8. The Pilgrims described in "The Canterbury Tales".
9. Edmund Spenser's Contribution to English literature.
10. Commonwealth literature.

III. Answer **any four** of the following questions in a sentence or **two each** : **(4×1=4)**

11. Explain "Creole".
12. Name four metaphysical poets.
13. What is a "Lyrical poem" ?
14. Name any two important poems of Matthew Arnold.
15. Write any two general characteristics of a dramatic monologue.



IV. Write an essay of **250** words on **any one** of the following :

(1×4=4)

16. Trace the descent of English from Indo-European using the family tree diagram.

17. What are the chief characteristics of English in the Old English period ?

V. Write an essay of **250** words on **any one** of the following :

(1×4=4)

18. "The native words" and "non-native words" of the English lexicon.

19. Modern varieties of English.

VI. Write an essay of **250** words on **any one** of the following :

(1×4=4)

20. The Picaresque Novel.

21. Sonnet in English Poetry.
