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NOTICE

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Knowledge Tests held on 11.02.2025

Position	Applied Sciences (English): Assistant Professor Grade II (Pay Level 10) (On Contract Basis)
Date	11.02.2025 (Tuesday)
Examination Time	4:00 PM – 5:00 PM

Following is the attached answer key. If any appeared candidate for the domain knowledge test has any representations against the questions, may submit by filling up the following Google Form on or before 12.02.2025 11:59 PM. After that no representations will be considered.

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QUESTION PAPER FOR THE POST OF ASSISTANT PROFESSOR ENGLISH (PAY LEVEL 10)

Maximum Marks: 50

Time: 60 Minutes

Name of Candidate: _____ Roll No: _____

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1. This question paper has 50 questions. Each question carries one mark. There are four choices for answer (A, B, C, D) to each question. Choose the correct answer (one only) for each question and write the answer in the space provided against each question.
2. Candidate must write Name, Roll No. and sign on each page of this booklet.
3. The candidate should check that the booklet does not have any unprinted or torn or missing pages or questions etc. If so, get it replaced with another question paper, before question paper starts.
4. One (1) mark will be awarded for each correct answer. There will be negative marking and (- $\frac{1}{4}$) mark will be awarded for each incorrect answer.
5. The unanswered questions will not attract negative marking
6. Return the Question Paper cum Answer Sheet to the invigilator after the examination is over.
7. **Mobile, Electronic Watch** and other **Electronic Gadgets** are prohibited in the examination.
8. There should not be any cutting or overwriting in the Answer.
9. Use of Unfair Means in Examination will lead to cancellation of candidature.

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6.	<p>Read the following statements carefully and chose the possible answer:</p> <p>Statement I: The term Negative Capability, coined by John Keats, refers to the ability to remain comfortable with uncertainty, doubt, and ambiguity without seeking definitive answers or resolutions, particularly in creative and artistic pursuits.</p> <p>Statement II: While analyzing the term Dissociation of Sensibility, Eliot proclaims that Hamlet is an artistic failure.</p> <p>Options: A. Both the statements are true. B. Both the statements are wrong. C. Only statement I is true. D. Only statement II is true.</p>
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9.	<p>Which two of the following poets are prominently associated with Cavalier Poetry?</p> <p>A. John Suckling B. Thomas Carew C. Andrew Marvell D. Oliver Cromwell</p> <p>Options: A. Only B and C B. Only C and D C. Only A and D D. Only A and B</p>		
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13.	<p>The book <i>Visual Pleasure and Narrative Cinema</i> is written by?</p> <p>Options: A. Gilles Deleuze B. Laura Mulvey C. Michel Foucault D. Andre Bazin</p>
14.	<p>Read the following statements carefully and chose the possible answer:</p> <p>Statement I: Hybridity refers to the negation of colonizers' culture and language by the colonized ones.</p> <p>Statement II: Ambivalence describes the positive feelings of colonized people towards the colonizers.</p> <p>Options: A. Both the statements are true. B. Both the statements are wrong. C. Only statement I is true. D. Only statement II is true.</p>
15.	<p>The terms 'archaeology,' 'governmentality,' 'heterotopia,' and 'genealogy' are given by?</p> <p>Options: A. Jacques Derrida B. Roland Barthes C. Michel Foucault D. Sigmund Freud</p>
16.	<p>Earnest Hemingway was awarded the Nobel Prize in the year?</p> <p>A. 1952 B. 1953 C. 1954 D. 1955</p>
17.	<p>The title of the novel, <i>The Sound and the Fury</i>, was taken from: -</p> <p>A. Hamlet B. Doctor Faustus C. Edward II D. Macbeth</p>

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20.	<p>In which of the following poem(s) is the Dramatic Monologue employed?</p> <p>a. My Last Duchess b. The Scholar Gipsy c. Andrea del Sarto d. The Love Song of J. Alfred Prufrock</p> <p>Options:</p> <p>A. Only (a) B. In (b) and (c) C. In (a), (b), and (c) D. In (a), (c), and (d)</p>										

21.	<p>Identify the correct match:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. "Studies serve for delight, for ornament, and for ability"- Alliteration b. "Because I could not stop for Death"- Personification c. "Beauty is truth, truth beauty- Simile d. "If Winter comes can Spring be far behind"- Metaphor <p>Options</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. a and b B. b and c C. a and d D. b and d
22.	<p>Identify the correct rhyme scheme:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. Spenserian Stanza- ababbcbcc B. Ottava Rima- ababbccb C. Rhyme Royal- ababbaa D. Terza Rima- aba, aaa, ddd
23.	<p>Who was the first Indian poet to win Sahitya Academy Award for English Poetry?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. Kamla Das B. Sarojini Naidu C. A. K. Ramanujan D. Jayanta Mahapatra
24.	<p>In 1937, who became the first Indian to win Pulitzer Prize? He was a member of Ghadar Party and participated in the Indian Independence Movement.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. Lala Har Dayal B. Udham Singh C. Gobind Behari Lal D. V. G. Pingle

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27.	<p>Oresteia, a trilogy of tragedies, was written by?</p> <p>A. Aeschylus</p> <p>B. Sophocles</p> <p>C. Euripides</p> <p>D. Aristophanes</p>		
28.	<p>Identify the author. He edited Changing India with Iqbal Singh, edited a journal from Bombay called Tomorrow, and had a great respect for women. He once remarked: "Woman is the Earth, air, ether, sound, woman is the microcosm of the mind." Who is he?</p> <p>A. R. K. Narayan</p> <p>B. Mulk Raj Anand</p> <p>C. Raja Rao</p> <p>D. Khushwant Singh</p>		
29.	<p>Keki N. Daruwalla, an Indian poet and short story writer who died very recently, won Sahitya Academy Award in the year 1984. For which work, he was awarded Sahitya Academy?</p> <p>A. The Keeper of the Dead</p> <p>B. Crossing of Rivers</p> <p>C. Landscapes</p> <p>D. The Map-Maker</p>		

30.	<p>The term 'strategic essentialism' was coined by?</p> <p>A Homi K. Bhabha B. Edward Said C. Ashis Nandy D. Gayatri Spivak</p>
31.	<p>Read the sentences carefully and answer the following:</p> <p>i. Clara Peggotty is one of the characters in <i>Great Expectations</i>.</p> <p>ii. <i>Mrs. Dalloway</i>, published in 1925, is an example of a stream of consciousness novel.</p> <p>Options A. is true, but (ii) is false B. Both (i) and (ii) are true C. (i) is false, but (ii) is true D. Both (i) and (ii) are false</p>
32.	<p>Who are the five sisters in Bennet's family in the novel <i>Pride and Prejudice</i>?</p> <p>A. Elizabeth, Jane, Fanny, Emma and Lucy B. Jane, Elizabeth, Mary, Catherine, and Lydia C. Mary, Lydia, Elizabeth, Charlotte, and Mrs. Gardiner D. Elizabeth, Jane, Fanny, Charlotte, and Lydia</p>
33.	<p>The character Zimri appears in which work of John Dryden?</p> <p>A. Absalom and Achitophel B. The Hind and the Panther C. Mac Flecknoe D. Annus Mirabilis</p>
34.	<p>The epic <i>Paradise Lost</i> has been written in?</p> <p>A. Heroic Couplet B. Rhyme Royal C. Free verse D. Blank verse</p>
35.	<p>Arrange the journey of Gulliver that he undertakes in the novel <i>Gulliver's Travels</i> (from the first to last).</p> <p>He travels: i. Laputa ii. Lilliput iii. Brobdingnag iv. Houyhnhnms</p> <p>Options: A. i, ii, iii, iv B. ii, i, iii, iv C. ii, iii, i, iv D. i, iii, iv, ii</p>

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37.	<p>In Shakespeare's Macbeth which character utters the line "what's done is done"?</p> <p>A. Lady Macbeth B. Macbeth C. Macduff D. Banquo</p>
38.	<p>In the play Julius Caesar who says the line "When beggars die there are no comets seen: The heavens themselves blaze forth the death of princes"?</p> <p>A. Marullus B. Mark Antony C. Julius Caesar D. Calphurnia</p>
39.	<p>Which among the following is not written by Amitav Ghosh?</p> <p>A. In an Antique Land B. Jungle Nama C. The Imam and the Indian D. A Gift of Green</p>
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41.	<p>Identify the author. He was nominated for the Nobel Prize 31 times but could not win. However, he is the only poet to win Pulitzer Prize 4 times. Who is he?</p> <p>A W. H. Auden B. Walt Whitman C. Robert Frost D. Edgar Allan Poe</p>

42.	<p>Thinkers like Jacques Derrida, Jean Baudrillard, Jean Francois Lyotard and Michel Foucault are prominently associated with which literary movement?</p> <p>A Formalism B. New-Historicism C. New-criticism D. Post-modernism</p>
43.	<p>A prominent thinker who refused 1964 Nobel prize in Literature while saying that “a writer should not allow himself to be turned into an institution.” Who was he?</p> <p>A Lyotard B Sartre C Simone de Beauvoir D Kierkegaard</p>
44.	<p>Which among the following is not a part of ‘Plays Unpleasant’ written by G. B. Shaw?</p> <p>A You Never Can Tell B. Widower’s Houses C. Mrs Warren’s Profession D. Philanderer</p>
45.	<p>In which novel, Hardy introduced Wessex (a fictional location) for the first time?</p> <p>A Far From the Madding Crowd B. The Return of the Native C. Tess D. Jude the Obscure</p>
46.	<p>The MLA Handbook 9th Edition appeared in which year?</p> <p>A 2020 B. 2021 C. 2022 D. 2023</p>
47.	<p>Who translated Mahatma Gandhi’s autobiography from Gujarati to English?</p> <p>A Jawaharlal Nehru B. Narhari Parikh C. Ravji Patel D. Mahadev Desai</p>
48.	<p>Who translated the Bhagavad Gita into English?</p> <p>A Max Muller B. E. M. Forster C. Charles Wilkins D. W. M. Thackeray</p>

49.	<p>The epigraph "Here lies one whose name was writ in water" is written on the gravestone of which writer?</p> <p>A Shelley B Keats C. Coleridge D. Byron</p>
50.	<p>The lines "I heard him say: My daughter, she's just turned fifteen... Feel her. I'll be back soon, your bus leaves at nine. The sky fell on me, and a father's exhausted wile. Long and lean, her years were cold as rubber. She opened her wormy legs wide" appear in which poem?</p> <p>A Relationship B. Night of the Scorpion C. Indian Weavers D. Hunger</p>

Answer Key

Written Examination of Faculty Recruitment English (Level 10) (UR Category)

1) Q1	C	26) Q26	C
2) Q2	B	27) Q27	A
3) Q3	A	28) Q28	C
4) Q4	C	29) Q29	A
5) Q5	B	30) Q30	D
6) Q6	C	31) Q31	C
7) Q7	A	32) Q32	B
8) Q8	D	33) Q33	A
9) Q9	D	34) Q34	D
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