

LITERATURE: A MODERN OUTLOOK

1. Identify the poet usually referred to as “**the poet’s poet**”- **Edmund Spenser** (called by **Lamb**)
2. The college known as “**Solomon’s House**’ figures in **Bacon’s The New Atlantis** (**Ben Salem**)
3. **Religio Medici** was written by **Sir Thomas Browne**
4. “The mind is its own place, and in itself
Can make a Heaven of Hell, a Hell of Heaven”
The above lines occur in **Milton’s Paradise Lost** (**Book I**)
5. “Let me not to the marriage of true minds
Admit impediments: Love is not love
Which alters when it alteration finds”
The above lines are culled from a Sonnet by **Shakespeare** (**Sonnet 116**)
6. Who wrote the poem ‘**To His Coy Mistress**’?
Andrew Marvell
7. Who is the author of the poem ‘**Hero and Leander**’?
Christopher Marlowe.
8. Who wrote **The Spanish Tragedy**? **Thomas Kyd**.
9. In which play does the character **Goneril** figure?
King Lear
10. **The wife of bath** (**Alison**) is a character in **Prologue to the Canterbury tales** (**Chaucer**).
11. Several 15th century ballads glorify the character of **Robin Hood**.
12. **Mirabell** is a character who figures in **The Way of the world** (**Congreve**).
13. Pope’s **The Dunciad** satirises **Literary tastes**.
14. ‘**Blue Stocking**’ is a term associated with **Women writers of the 18th century**.
15. Who proposed to popularize and bring philosophy to the coffee-houses in the 18th century? **Addison**
16. Brobdingnag is the land of **Men of towering height** (**Swift’s Gulliver’s Travels**).
17. Who claimed to write fiction that could be called ‘**comic epic in prose**’? **Henry Fielding** ‘**Joseph Andrews**’.
18. Who is the author of the following lines?
“To me the meanest flower that blows can give
Thoughts that do often lie too deep for tears” –
Wordsworth (**Intimations of immortality**)
19. In **Biographia Literaria** Coleridge differed with Wordsworth mainly in his views on **Language in Poetry**.
20. Shelley intended his poetry to provide **Revolutionary Message**.
21. Who wrote **Atlanta in Calydon**? **A.C.Swinburne**.
22. The poetic form of ‘**Thyrsis**’ or **Tirsi** is **Pastoral Elegy** (death on **Arthur Hugh Clough** by **Arnold**).
23. Which one of the following is a novel without a hero? **Vanity Fair** (**Thackeray**).
24. In which play of G.B.Shaw does the term “**chocolate soldier**” occur? **Arms and the Man**.
25. **The Zoo Story** (**Peter and Jerry**) is a specimen of **Absurd Drama**. (**one act play by Edward Albee**)
26. **The Abbey theatre** is associated with **J.M.Synge**.

27. W.B. Yeats has used **Byzantium** as a symbol of **Artistic Perfection (Byzantium-Constantinople)**.
28. "No! I am not Prince Hamlet, nor was meant to be
An attendant lord, one that will do
To swell a progress, start a scene or two".
The above lines occur in **Love Song of Prufrock (T.S. Eliot)**.
29. Who among the following poets show Marxist leanings in his early poetry? **W.H. Auden**.
30. W.B. Yeats' love for **Maud Gonne** is reflected in **No Second Troy**.
31. **The stream of consciousness technique** is an outstanding feature of **Virginia Woolf**.
32. In which novel of **D.H. Lawrence** does the character **Mellor** appear? **Lady Chatterley's Lover**.
33. Identify the novel set in Mexico **The Power and the Glory**.
34. Who among the following writers was a humorous essayist? **Stephen Leacock**.
35. The Restoration of monarchy took place in England in **1660**.
36. Which one of the following comedies of Shakespeare is a **dark comedy**? **Measure for Measure**.
37. The concept of '**the sublime**' is primarily associated with **Longinus**.
38. The metrical foot with the first syllable weak (unaccented) and the second syllable strong (accented) is called **Iambus**.
39. In classical mythology the god of the underworld is known as **Pluto**.
40. **Jean-Paul Sartre** is associated with **Existentialism**.
41. **CBEL** stands for **Cambridge Bibliography of English Literature**
42. **Principles of Literary Criticism** was written by **I.A. Richards**.
43. **Objective Correlative** was the term coined by **T.S. Eliot**.
44. **Structural approach** in English Language Teaching is associated with **Bloomfield**.
45. One of the principal objectives of the Royal Society established in the 17th century was **Standardisation of English Language**.
46. The English Reformation aimed at **Religious Reform**.
47. The Chartist Movement was launched to safeguard the interests of **Workers**.
48. The theme of Milton's **Comus** is **Power of Chastity**.
49. The title of Donne's poem '**Ecstasie**' is derived from **Christian Mysticism**.
50. Who among the following could be described as a **Beat poet**? **Allen Ginsberg**.
51. The poem beginning "Gather ye rosebuds while ye may" is written in the tradition of **Latin Poetry**.
52. "Why, this is hell, nor am I out of it.
Think'st thou that I who saw the face of God,
And tasted the eternal joys of Heaven,
Am not tormented with ten thousand hells

In being depriv'd of everlasting bliss.”

These lines are spoken by **Mephistophilis in Doctor Faustus (Marlowe)**.

53. The name of the lady in Sidney's Sonnet sequence is **Stella**.

54. **Everyman** is the title of a **Morality**.

55. In the following group of Ben Jonson's plays, the play on avarice and greed is **The Alchemist**.

56. The metaphor in the line “Batter my heart, three person'd God” is taken from **Cookery**.

57. Johnson's phrase about Shakespeare's “**Fatal Cleopatra**” refers to Shakespeare's **fondness for puns**.

58. Which of the following tales of Chaucer is based on a **Breton Lai**? **The Franklin's Tale**.

59. What, according to Bacon, will make men ‘**witty**’? **Poetry**.

60. Identify the new poet who emerged in the thirties in England? **W.H.Auden**.

61. Chaucer is criticized for lack of ‘**high seriousness**’ by **Mathew Arnold**.

62. Which of the following historical events is most discussed in literature? **The French Revolution**.

63. D.H.Lawrence gives a portrait of himself in the character of **Rupert Burkin**.

64. The Soliloquy beginning with the line, “Thou, Nature, art my goddess” is spoken by **The Bastard in King Lear**.

65. Which tragedy in the following list of Shakespeare's plays was written first? **Titus Andronicus**.

66. Identify the pastoral elegy among the following? **Thyrsis**.

67. A distinguishing feature of the Shakespearean sonnet is that it has a **couplet at the end**.

68. Identify the novel which is a dystopia in the list **Nineteen Eighty-Four**.

69. Post-Second-World war British Drama may be said to make a new beginning with **Look Back at Anger**.

70. Identify the poem which talks of the inherent impossibility of fulfillment in love and desire **The Last Ride Together**.

71. Mussolini and Fascism in general were admired by **W.H.Auden**.

72. Conrad examines the impact of American capitalism in South America in his novel **Nostromo**.

73. A strong sense of the overriding power of circumstance distinguishes the novels of **Thomas Hardy**.

74. The Indian whose name gives the title of one of Yeats' poems was **Mohini Chatterjee**.

75. Staffordshire is the scene of the novels of **Arnold Bennett**.

76. The critic who made ambiguity widely known as a feature of poetry was **William Empson**.

77. **Sir Fopling Flutter** is a character in **Etherege's The Man of Mode**.

78. Identify the character in Vanity Fair who has made his fortune in India **Joseph sedley**.
79. The subject of the second book of Spenser's The Faerie Queene is **Temperance**.
80. Belief in progress and in the superiority of the present to the past characterizes the work of **T.B.Macaulay**.
81. "But the Lear of Shakespeare cannot be acted". This was said by **Lamb**.
82. "A heroine whom no-one but myself will much like", said Jane Austen of **Emma**.
83. The Victorian poet who cultivated many arts successfully besides poetry was **William Morris**.
84. **Cardinal Newman** described the character of a gentleman in his book **The Grammar of Assent**.
85. The poet whose work rescued **John Stuart Mill** from severe mental depression was **William Wordsworth**.
86. The book of John Ruskin which influenced **Gandhi's outlook** was **Unto this Last**.
87. Dickens gave an unfavourable portrait of American life and manners in his novel **Martin Chuzzlewit**.
88. "**Natural Supernaturalism**" is the title of a chapter in **Sartor Resartus**.
89. Identify the critic who explained the distinction between organic and mechanical form **S.T.Coleridge**.
90. "That light whose smile kindles the universe, that Beauty in which all things work and move,

- Now beams on me
Consuming the last clouds of cold morality"
These lines occur in **Keats' The Fall of Hyperion**
91. Identify the poem which is an elegy on the death of Keats **Adonais (Shelley)**.
92. "I am certain of nothing but of the holiness of the heart's affections and the truth of the imagination". This was said by **John Keats**.
93. "And never lifted up a single stone". This line occurs in **Wordsworth's Michael**.
94. "Let nature be your teacher" is a line that occurs in Wordsworth's poem **The Tables Turned**.
95. Gray's **Elegy written in a Country Churchyard** is written in **Stanzas of four line**.
96. **Will Honeycomb** is a character in **The Spectator** by **Addison**.
97. "Fame is the spur that the clear spirit doth raise
To scorn delights, and live laborious days".
The author of these lines is **Milton (Lycidas)**.
98. The phrase "**the pilot of the Galilean lake**" in **Lycidas** refers to **St.Peter**.
99. Milton's lament for his blindness occurs in **The Nativity Ode**
100. Which one of the following characters best represents Shakespeare's transformation of a traditional dramatic character-type **Parolles**.
101. Reformation was predominantly a movement in **religion**.

102. Which one of the following is written in the form of a dialogue? **Essay of Dramatic Poesie (Dryden).**
103. 'Hamartia', with reference to the tragic hero, means **an intellectual error.**
104. The line, "**The Indian Ganges' side**" occurs in **To His Coy Mistress.**
105. **Arcadia** was written by **Sidney.**
106. **Lord Lytton** is the author of **The Last Days of Pompeii.**
107. Dryden rejects unity of place because **it cannot be maintained consistently.**
108. What is the sub-title of **Pamela?** **Virtue Rewarded (Richardson).**
109. **Osric** figures in **Hamlet.**
110. Tracts for the times are journals associated with **The Oxford Movement.**
111. Dr. Johnson defends Shakespeare's violation of the unities on grounds of **the reader's ability to reconstruct**
112. Whom does Pope satirise in the **portrait of Atticus?** **Addison.**
113. **The White Devil** is a play by **John Webster.**
114. Which of the following plays by Bernard Shaw contains an Epilogue? **St. Joan**
115. T. S. Eliot's '**dissociation of sensibility**' signifies disjunction of **intellect and emotion.**
116. The author of **Modern Painters** is **Ruskin.**
117. **The Spectator** is the title of a **journal of Addison.**
118. **Simon Eyre** is a character in **The Shoemaker's Holiday (Dekker).**
119. Arnold's touchstone method of evaluation of poetry employs as a measure of excellence **a few lines of sublimity from various poets.**
120. **Browning's Rabbi Ben Ezra** is a defence of **old age against youth.**
121. The statement "All animals are equal but some are more equal than others" occurs in **Animal Farm (Orwell).**
122. "The marble index of a noble mind that forever voyages through the strange seas of human thought" is a tribute to **Newton.**
123. "Against the bridal day which was not long Sweet Thames! run softly, till I end my song". These lines are from **Prothalamion (Spenser).**
124. **Corn Laws** protected the **English Corn from competition.**
125. The original version of **The Prelude** was completed in **1805.**
126. The deviant use in the statement, "She is as headstrong as an allegory on the banks of the Nile" is known as **Malapropism.**
127. By 'Nature' the neo-classicists meant **physical nature.**

128. Who is the author of **The Vanity of Human Wishes**? **Samuel Johnson**.
129. Satan's fall, according to Milton, is **an assertion of free will**.
130. **Prufrock and other observations (T.S.Eliot)** was published in **1917**.
131. "**Big Brother is watching you**" refers to an invisible character in **1984 (Orwell)**.
132. Thomas More's Utopia was written in **Latin**.
133. "This is no country for old men" is the opening of **Sailing to Byzantium (W.B.Yeats)**.
134. The plot of which of the following is considered one of the three best by Coleridge **The Alchemist (Ben Jonson)**.
135. Practical criticism is written by **I.A.Richards**.
136. Who is afraid of Virginia Wolf? Is **an Absurdist play (Edward Albee)**.
137. Who, among the following is a university wit? **Kyd**.
138. Restoration age begins in **1660**.
139. The two major essayists of the Romantic Age are **Lamb and Hazlitt**.
140. Which Arthurian knight recovers the **Holy Grail**? **Sir Galahad**.
141. Who are Marxist critics? **George Lukacs, Christopher Caudwell, Raymond Williams**
142. "Was he happy? Was he free? The question is absurd ____". This line appears in **The Unknown Citizen (W.H.Auden)**.
143. T.S.Eliot uses the term '**objective correlative**' in his essay **Hamlet**.
144. The metrical foot with the first syllable stressed followed by two unstressed syllables is **dactyl**.
145. "Happiness is an occasional episode in the general drama of pain" is the concluding line of **The Mayor of Casterbridge (Hardy)**.
146. The term '**Absurd**' has been taken from **The Myth of Sisyphus**.
147. "**Spenser writ no language**". This remark was made by **Ben Jonson**.
148. Milton's **Comus** is a **masque**.
149. Who is the exponent of the epic theatre? **Brecht**.
150. **Becky Sharp** figures in **Vanity Fair (Thackeray)**.
151. The Renaissance started in **Italy**.
152. The line, "The paths of glory lead to the grave", occurs in **Gray (Elegy written in a Country churchyard)**.
153. By '**character**' Aristotle means **Cause of Action**.
154. '**Amor Vincit Omnia**' in Chaucer's The Prologue means **Love Conquers all**.
155. The Sonnet form was introduced in England by **Wyatt**.
156. Which one of the following novels of Dickens is based on his own life? **David Copperfield**.

157. Dryden in **Essay of Dramatic Poesie** rejects 'tragi-comedy' because it is a **poor imitation of French drama**.
158. What is the sub-title of **The Prelude**? **Growth of a poet's mind**.
159. The line "Love's not a Time's fool", occurs in a sonnet by **Shakespeare (Sonnet116)**
160. The Renaissance is written by **Walter Pater**.
161. In Shakespeare, Dr.Johnson says the **evil is often triumphant**.
162. The Mistakes of a Night is the sub-title of **She Stoops to Conquer**.
163. The Romantic age in England is distinguished for its **lyrical poetry**.
164. Who were the members of **Pre-Raphaelite Brotherhood**? **William Holoman Hunt, John Everett Millais, D.G.Rossetti**.
165. T.S.Eliot's '**objective correlative**' signifies the writer's ability to **objectify the desired states of mind**.
166. Who are Cavalier poets (supporters of King Charles I)? **Herrick** (not a courtier), **Lovelace, Carew** and **Sir John Suckling**.
167. **Adonais (Shelley)** is the elegy written on the death of **John Keats**.
168. Who are all Lake Poets? **Wordsworth, Coleridge, Southey**.
169. '**Negative Capability**' (**Keats**) is **depersonalized empathy with experience**.
170. 'Plurality' according to John Stuart Mill, is **necessary for the success for democracy**.
171. "A little learning is a dangerous thing", is a line taken from **Alexander Pope (An Essay on Criticism)**.
172. Apologia Pro Vita Sua by Newman is a **defence of the author's stand**.
173. Who is the author of Journal of the Plague Year? **Daniel Defoe**.
174. The Chartist Movement sought **Extension of the political rights to the working class**.
175. Confessions of an English Opium Eater is written by **De Quincey**.
176. The dictum '**only connect**' is central to the writings of **E.M.Forster (Howards End)**.
177. The criterion of **Leavis's Great Tradition** is **moral purpose**.
178. Free trade signifies **freedom to trade in all commodities**.
179. In Culture and Anarchy, Mathew Arnold recommends **fusion of Hellenism and Hebraism**.
180. Lamia is a narrative poem by **Keats**.
181. How long did **Robinson Crusoe (Defoe)** live on the deserted Island? **28 years 2 months**.
182. In which year did the Great Exhibition take place? **1851**.
183. Yeats' Leda and the Swan draws upon **A Greek myth**.

184. The source of **E.M.Forster's** title **Where Angels Fear to Tread (Monteriano)**, is **Pope ('For fools rush in where angels fear to tread'- An Essay on Criticism)**.
185. The lines "Things fall apart/ Centre cannot hold" occur in **Second Coming (W.B.Yeats)- (Things fall apart, post-colonial novel by Achebe)**
186. The 'Movement' is a literary phenomenon of the **fifties**.
187. John Donne '**affects the metaphysics**'. This remark was made by **John Dryden**.
188. "The lunatic, the lover and the poet are of imagination all compact". These lines occur in **A Midsummer Night's Dream**.
189. Alexander's Feast is **an Ode by Dryden**.
190. Who said this? "Life is not a luminous halo, a semi-transparent envelope". **Virginia Woolf (The Common Reader)**.
191. In which book of Gulliver's Travels does Balnibarbi find a mention? **Laputa**.
192. The phrase, '**sweetness and light**', was first used by **Mathew Arnold**.
193. Carlyle's Sartor Resartus is **an autobiography**.
194. Hopkins' **curtal sonnet** consists of (sestet+quatrain+tail piece) **10 ½ lines (Pied Beauty, Peace, Ash Boughs)**.
195. God is referred to as the "**President of the immortals**" in **Tess (Hardy)**.
196. Osborne's **Look Back in Anger (Angry Youngman)** was first staged in **1956**.
197. Maurya is a character in **Riders to the Sea** play by **J.M.Synge (Irish Literary Renaissance writer)**.
198. Which of the following is a poet as well as a painter? **Rossetti**.
199. Which English poet referred to Oxford as "that sweet city with her dreaming spires"? **Mathew Arnold(Thyrsis- death on Arthur Hugh Clough)**
200. 'Cover her face, mine eyes dazzle She died young'. This was said by **Ferdinand about the Duchess of Malfi (Webster)**.
201. The author of Revaluation is **F.R.Leavis**.
202. Which war poet made the statement that his subject was the pity of war that the poetry was in the pity? **Wilfred Owen**.
203. Geraldine is a character in Coleridge's **Christabel**.
204. "I have measured out my life in coffee spoons" is a statement made by **Alfred Prufrock**.
205. **Waiting for Godot (Samuel Beckett)** is an example of the **absurd drama**.
206. A European playwright who had a dominant influence on British drama of the first half of the twentieth century was **Ibsen**.
207. The author of **The Beggar's Opera** is **John Gay**.

208. Which twentieth century poet has made the phrase '**to stand and stare**' popular? **W.H.Davies**.
209. '**The Medal**' was written by **Dryden**.
210. The year in which the famous modernist novel Ulysses (James Joyce) appeared in **1922**.
211. The technical name for **unrhymed iambic pentameter** is **Blank Verse**.
212. The commonwealth was established in England in the **mid 17th century**.
213. **George Eliot** (male name) was the pen name of **Mary Ann Evans**.
214. If you say '**contagious countries**' instead of '**contiguous countries**', you would be making a mistake known as **Malapropism (Mrs.Malaprop-Sheridan's The Rivals)**
215. **Comedy** is related to **farce** in the same way as **Tragedy** is related to **melodrama**.
216. According to Sidney a poet represents **an idealized world**.
217. The dramatist who first introduced blank verse in English drama was **Christopher Marlowe**.
218. The defeat of the Spanish Armada took place in the **early seventeenth century**.
219. What according to Johnson 'a fatal Cleopatra' to Shakespeare? **a Pun**.
220. Two of the following were the famous diarists of the 17th century? **Samuel Pepys** and **John Evelyn** (1641-1697, deaths of Charles I and Oliver Cromwell, the Great Plague of London and the Great Fire of London).
221. This English writer wrote a delightful essay on children he never had **Charles Lamb (Dream Children)**.
222. The movements related to art or literature were **Cubism, Expressionism, Surrealism**.
223. Some writers known as '**The Angry Young Men**' were **Kingsley Amis, John Osborne, and John Wayne**.
224. A play in which a spendthrift youth auctions away the portraits of his ancestors, is **The School for Scandal**.
225. About which famous character in literature is it said, "Age cannot wither her"? **Cleopatra**.
226. Which famous poem contains the line: "Hieronimo is mad again"? (432) **The Waste Land (T.S.Eliot)**. (Kyd- **The Spanish Tragedy or Hieronimo is Mad Again**)
227. Defamiliarisation as a function of Art was stressed by **Russian formalists**.
228. 'If music be the food of love, play on'. The line occurs in Shakespeare's **Twelfth Night**.
229. Who is the author of Uses of Literacy? **Richard Hoggart**.
230. "Alone, alone, all all alone
Alone on a wide, wide sea". These lines occur in a poem by **S.T.Coleridge**.

231. 'Full fathom five thy father lies' illustrates **Alliteration**.
232. The Portrait of the Artist as a Young Dog was written by **Dylan Thomas**.
233. Who wrote the poem **Troilus and Criseyde**?
Chaucer.
234. Milton's Paradise Lost was published in **1667**.
235. About whom did David Garrick comment that he spoke like poor Poll but wrote like an angel?
Oliver Goldsmith.
236. Richardson's novel **Pamela or Virtue Rewarded** is an **epistolary novel**.
237. Which of the following is a Pastoral elegy?
Lycidas.
238. Who among the following was a Pre Raphaelite poet? **Rossetti**.
239. The Authorised version of the Bible appeared in **1611**.
240. Which among the following is an Anglo Saxon epic? **Beowulf**.
241. The Printing Press was first introduced into England by **Caxton**.
242. Chaucer's Pilgrims first met in a place called **The Tabard**.
243. Some of Shakespeare's sonnets were addressed to **Dark Lady**.
244. The famous letter to Lord Chesterfield which sounded the death knell of literary patronage, was written by **Samuel Johnson**.
245. Peripeteia is seen in tragedy when there is a reversal of fortune as **when the protagonist takes a course of action and it brings about the opposite of the expected result**.
246. A Tale of a Tub is a **comedy by Ben Johnson**.
(satire by Swift)
247. A woman playwright who was popular in the Restoration Age was **Aphra Behn**.
248. **The Principles of Literary Criticism (I.A.Richards)** was published in **1924**.
249. A modern play which employs the classical convention of the Chorus is **Murder in the Cathedral (T.S.Eliot)**.
250. The central function of criticism, according to Arnold is **to promote discrimination in the reader and civilized standards**.
251. "The fault, dear Brutus, is not in our stars
But in ourselves that we are underlings."
These lines occur in a play by **Shakespeare (Julius Caesar)**.
252. "And I am dumb to tell the lover's tomb
How at my sheet goes the same crooked
worm".
These lines occur in a poem by **Dylan Thomas (The Force That Through The Green Fuse Drives The Flower)**.

253. The poet who wrote “**Little Gidding**” is **T.S.Eliot** (4th and final poem of **Four Quartets (Burnt Norton, East Coker, The Dry Salvages)**, a series of poems that discuss time, perspective, humanity and salvation).
254. Who said “True wit is Nature to advantage dressed”? **Alexander Pope (An Essay on Criticism)**.
255. All changed, changed utterly / A terrible beauty is born.
These lines occur in a poem by **W.B.Yeats (Easter 1916)**.
256. A book written by Charles Dodgson, a Victorian mathematician and priest of the Church of England, which became a classic **Alice in Wonderland** by **Lewis Carroll**.
257. The year of publication of The Lyrical Ballads was **1798**.
258. A brilliant English actor, who was Dr.Samuel Johnson’s pupil, was **David Garrick**.
259. Where does this quotation come from?
“Break, break, break
On the cold grey stones, O Sea”- **Tennyson (Break, Break, Break)**.
260. Who were all Bloomsbury group members?
Sidney Webb, E.M.Forster and Virginia Woolf.
261. Which Victorian novel has the Napoleonic war as a background? **Vanity Fair (Thackeray)**
262. The year in which the famous modern poem **The Waste Land (T.S.Eliot)** was published? **1922**
263. “A rose is a rose is a rose is a rose”. This statement was made by **Gertrude Stein**.
264. The figure of speech in the line “when my bosom was young” is **Personification**.
265. About which English biographer did Macaulay make the statement that he licked the boots that kicked him? **James Boswell**.
266. Which English writer claimed to have played “the sedulous ape” to great men of letters? **Bernard Shaw**.
267. The essence of drama lies in **Conflict**.
268. Johnson’s famous Dictionary of the English Language was published in **1755**.
269. **Bleak House** is a novel by **Charles Dickens**.
270. **Curtain-raiser** was a term originally used to describe **the one-act play**.
271. The poet who wrote a grand poem to “justify the ways of God to man” was? **John Milton (Paradise Lost)**.
272. The most distinctive feature of lyric poetry is its **subjectivity**.
273. Sidney’s concept of the poet is as a **teacher and moralizer**.
274. Arnold’s ‘**touchstone method**’ is a critical method for **evaluating all literature**.

275. "When composition begins inspiration is already at an end". Which poet-critic made this remark? **Shelley (A Defence of Poetry)**.
276. "The Whitsun Weddings" is a poem by **Philip Larkin**.
277. In the structure of a play, denouement stands for **the resolution of the conflict**.
278. Mary Shelley's famous Gothic novel which is receiving a lot of interest at present **Frankenstein (Modern Prometheus)**.
279. Millamant is the name of the heroine of **The Way of the World (Congreve)**.
280. The poet who cut down the manuscript of The Waste Land to about one third of its original size was **Ezra Pound**.
281. 'Frailty thy name is woman' is spoken by **Hamlet**.
282. **Lady Catherine de Borough(Fitzwilliam)** is a creation of **Jane Austen (Pride and Prejudice)**.
283. The Bible was translated into English during the Middle English Period by **Wycliff**.
284. Shakespeare's British Historical plays based on **Holinshed's Chronicles**.
285. **Pandemonium** is a Palace built by **Milton's Fallen Angels**.
286. Which modern play is centered on the conflict between a medieval King and Archbishop (Thomas Beckett)? **Murder in the Cathedral- verse drama (T.S.Eliot)**
287. Which British writer set apart a great deal of his wealth for spelling reforms? **H.G.Wells**.
288. In which year did the Norman conquest take place? **1066 A.D**
289. The poet who was most influenced by the French Revolution? **Wordsworth**.
290. Which of the following is a mock-epic? **MacFlecknoe**.
291. The author of A Vindication of the Rights of Woman **Mary Wollstonecraft**.
292. **W.B.Yeats** and **Lady Gregory** were the founders of **Abbey Theatre**.
293. Structuralism is derived from the **linguistic theories of Saussure**.
294. 'And Joy, whose hand is ever at his lips Bidding Adieu'. The figure of speech here is **Personification**.
295. George Orwell's Animal Farm is a **political fable**.
296. 'Barren desert to untainless and dry'- by Milton is an example of **Tautology**.
297. The author of **The Bell** is **Iris Murdoch**.
298. Semiotics is the branch of linguistics that deals with **Signification**.
299. The Spanish Civil War took place in the **1930s**.
300. In **Unto This Last** John Ruskin makes an impassioned plea for **Social Justice**.

301. Which one of the following two tales in Chaucer's Canterbury Tales is in prose? **The Parson's Tale, The Tale of Melibee**
302. Who called Kyd 'Spenserian Kyd'? **Ben Jonson.**
303. The rhyme scheme of Spenserian stanza is **ababbcbcc**
304. What according to Johnson was Shakespeare's 'fatal Cleopatra'? **a pun**
305. In **The Alchemist (Ben Jonson)**, which character is gagged and locked in the privy? **Dapper.**
306. Which of the following Shakespeare plays was written first? **Measure for Measure**
307. Who has said that the Lear of Shakespeare cannot be acted? **Charles Lamb.**
308. Dryden ridicules the policy of demagogic appeal to the people in **Absalom and Achitophel.**
309. **Milton** is a symbolic poem by **Blake.**
310. In **Novum Organum** Bacon is concerned with **the question of valid knowledge.**
311. Which one of the following comedies was attacked by Steele in The Spectator? **The Country Wife (Wycherley).**
312. Pope's incapacity as an editor of Shakespeare was exposed by **Addison.**
313. "Full many a flower is born to blush unseen
And waste its fragrance in the desert air".
These lines come from the pen of **Gray's Elegy.**
314. **The Marriage of Heaven and Hell** was written by **William Blake**
315. **Don Juan** by Lord Byron is **an epic satire.**
316. Genevieve is the heroine of a poem by **Coleridge.**
317. **D.G.Rossetti's The Burden of Nineveh** is a poem about **the value of older civilizations.**
318. Anarchy in **Arnold's Culture and Anarchy** stands for **moral confusion.**
319. '**The autobiography of a steam-engine**' is a description in **Dickens' Dombey and Son.**
320. Wordsworth's poem proved a '**medicine**' for **J.S.Mill.**
321. Mill's **On Liberty** argues for qualified **individual liberty.**
322. **Deontology** is a book by **Jeremy Bentham.**
323. **Teufelsdröck** is a character in **Sartor Resartus (Carlyle).**
324. Vice, says **Godwin**, is the product of **error.**
325. 'And he never lifted up a single stone'. This line occurs in **Wordsworth's Michael.**
326. **Carlyle's Past and Present** is a collection of essays on **contemporary England.**
327. Emma's only critic in the novel Emma is **Knightley.**
328. **Charles Reade** wrote **The Cloister and the Hearth.**

329. Who are all associated with the Aesthetic movement? **John Davidson, Lionel Johnson, Arthur Symons.**
330. **Caesar and Cleopatra** is a play by **G.B.Shaw.**
331. **Look Back in Anger**, a breakthrough in English drama, was performed in **1956.**
332. The theme of **'The Allegory of Love'** by **C.S.Lewis** is **courtly love.**
333. 'Light breaks where no sun shines' is a line from a poem by **Dylan Thomas (Light breaks where no sun shines).**
334. Which war poet made the statement that his subject was the pity of war and that the poetry was in the pity? **Wilfred Owen.**
335. **Angry Young Man** is an autobiography by **Leslie Paul.**
336. Orwell's novel **1984** was written in **1949.**
337. **A Room with a View** is a novel written by **E.M.Forster.**
338. In which of his poems, Yeats predicts the approaching end of Christian civilization? **Second Coming (W.B.Yeats).**
339. The term **'stream of consciousness'** was first used by **William James.**
340. Image for Plato is **a false reflection.**
341. There is decline in Homer's power in Odyssey, says Longinus as, now **action predominates over reflection.**
342. Ruskin's concept of beauty is linked to **morality.**
343. **Imagination** in Coleridge's theory corresponds to **reason.**
344. **'Esemplatic'** in Coleridge's theory means **shaping power.**
345. An advocate and learning propagator of **New Criticism** is **Cleanth Brooks.**
346. By **'objective correlative'** Eliot means **objects and events that evoke an emotion.**
347. The function of criticism according to Coleridge is **to establish principles of writing, to help pass judgements on works.**
348. Who first translated The New Testament into English? **William Tyndale.**
349. Repetition of similar vowel sounds in stressed syllables is called **assonance.**
350. The figure of speech in which an attribute stands for the object is called? **Metonymy.**
351. Which of the following is not portrayed by Chaucer? **Cobbler.**
352. Who introduced the sonnet in English poetry? **Wyatt.**
353. An example of a masque-within-a-play is to be found in **Shakespeare's The Tempest.**
354. "When beggars die no comets are seen
Heaven themselves blaze forth the death of
princes".
The above lines occur in **Julius Caesar.**

355. Who was the first to use the term “Metaphysical” for a particular kind of poetry?
Dryden.
356. Who wrote “Of Myself”? **Abraham Cowley.**
357. Who called Dryden and Pope “**the classics of our prose**”? **Mathew Arnold.**
358. Lady Booby is a character in **Joseph Andrews.**
359. The author of **The Lady’s Last Stake** is **Colley Cibber.**
360. What kind of tragedy is **Dryden’s The Conquest of Granada**? **Heroic tragedy.**
361. Who advised fellow poets in the 18th c to “**follow nature**”? **Pope.**
362. Robinson Crusoe is supposed to be based on **the real-life adventures of Alexander Selkirk.**
363. Edward King is mourned in **Lycidas (Milton).**
364. Milton’s **Arcades** is a **masque.**
365. When did the Authorised Version of the Bible in English appear? 1611.
366. Name the writer who called Bacon’s essays “**Dispersed meditations**”? **Bacon.**
367. Who called poetry “the breath and finer spirit of all knowledge”? **Wordsworth.**
368. Who coined the phrase “willing suspension of disbelief”? **Coleridge.**
369. “**The Growth of a Poet’s Mind**’ is the subtitle of **The Prelude.**
370. Asia figures in **Prometheus Unbound (Shelley).**
371. Who is Keats’ “Sylvan historian”? **the Grecian Urn.**
372. Who wrote the essay, “On the Knocking of the Gate in Macbeth”? **De Quincey.**
373. Dramatis Personae is a collection of poems by **Browning.**
374. In Which year did Queen Victoria ascend the throne? **1837.**
375. Which character in Dickens novel keep on waiting for “something to turn up”? **Micawber (David Copperfield).**
376. **Diana of the Crossways** is a novel by **George Meredith.**
377. The theme of Tennyson’s **The Princess** is **Women’s Education.**
378. **The Idea of a University** was written by **Newman.**
379. Who said about Keats, “**He is, he is with Shakespeare**”? **Mathew Arnold.**
380. **Bathsheba** figures in **Far from the Madding Crowd (Hardy).**
381. Heptameter is a line of verse containing **7feet.**
382. Name the writer associated in her craft with “a little bit of ivory two inches wide”? **Jane Austen.**

383. The concept of the 'objective correlative' was propounded in **Hamlet and His Problems (T.S.Eliot)**.
384. "Benevolent Christian Conspirators" in **The Cocktail Party (T.S.Eliot)** are **Amy Julia and Sir Harcourt Reilly**.
385. Which one, among the following, is a Marxist critic? **Terry Eagleton**.
386. The most significant of the **Movement poets** is **Thom Gunn**.
387. The statement, poetry is the language of paradox, is associated with **Cleanth Brooks**.
388. Who are Imagists? **Ezra Pound, Amy Lowell, T.E.Hulme**.
389. **C.P.Snow's** novel about the working of the upper echelons of the civil service is **The Masters**.
390. The term "Absurd" has been taken from **The Myth of Sisyphus**.
391. **The Congo** occurs in **Heart of Darkness (Joseph Conrad)**.
392. Who was the First English novelist who used the **stream of consciousness** technique? **Dorothy Richardson**.
393. Jack figures in **Lord of the Flies (William Golding)**.
394. **The Birthday Party (Harold Pinter)** is an **absurd play**.
395. Who is the exponent of the epic theatre? **Brecht**.
396. The myth of creation occurs in **Genesis**.
397. In which play of Marlowe's is **Helen of Troy** referred to as follows: "Was this the face that launched a thousand ships ...? **Dr.Faustus (Marlowe)**.
398. **Sissy Jupes** is a character in **Dicken's Hard Times**.
399. Which of the following arrangements of English poems is in the correct chronological sequence? **L'Allegro-Lamia-Thyrsis-Lapis Lazuli**.
400. The words "beaded bubbles winking at the brim" occur in **Ode to a Nightingale (Keats)**.
401. The verse in The Canterbury Tales consists of **rhymed couplets**.
402. The story of Sohrab and Rustum is taken from **Firdausi**.
403. For Horace the most important literary value is **decorum**.
404. Eugenius in **Dryden's Essay of Dramatic Poesie** criticizes the Greek drama on the ground that **it is too formal an account of the unities**.
405. Identify the critic who has explained the distinction between organic form and mechanical form **Coleridge**.
406. The Oxford movement sought to reconcile **the Church of England and the Roman Catholic Church**.
407. Chartist movement was a movement for **electoral reforms**.

408. Who describes poetry as “the impassioned expression which is in the countenance of all science”? **Wordsworth.**
409. Philistines in **Culture and Anarchy (Arnold)** stand for the **English middle class.**
410. Who attacked the Pre-Raphaelite poetry in the Fleshy School of Poetry? **Robert Buchanan.**
411. The object of imitation in drama, according to Aristotle is **action of human beings.**
412. The first English comedy was **Ralph Roister Doister (Nicholas Udall).**
413. The Unfortunate Traveller or The Life of Jack Wilton was written by **Thomas Nash.**
414. Chapman is best known for his **Translations of Homer.**
415. English puritanism found its allegorist in **John Bunyan.**
416. Sir Gawayne and the Green Knight was written by **An Unknown poet.**
417. The first complete version of the Bible in English was made by **King James.**
418. The first example of blank verse in English is **Surrey’s translation of the Second Aeneid.**
419. Miracle plays were based on stories from **the lives of the saints.**
420. Who, among the following, is a ‘materialist’, according to Virginia Woolf? **Arnold Bennett.**
421. Which novelist is primarily known for his epistolary novels? **Richardson.**
422. Johnson’s phrase, “**fatal Cleopatra**”, refers to Shakespeare’s **fondness for puns.**
423. One of the sources of the symbolism of The Waste Land is **The Golden Bough (Frazer).**
424. Existentialism in its religious aspect goes back to **Kierkegaard.**
425. In which of his books does Carlyle discuss “the condition –of- England questions? **Chartism.**
426. When was the First Folio of Shakespeare’s plays published? **1623.**
427. Who said that Hamlet is “most certainly an artistic failure”? **T.S.Eliot.**
428. Whose style was praised by Dr.Johnson as “elegant but not ostentatious, familiar but not coarse”? **Addison.**
429. Who, in Pope’s Epistle to Dr.Arbutnot, was “willing to wound but afraid to strike”? **Addison.**
430. Surrealism was launched in France by **Andre Breton.**
431. Who are the Pylon poets? **W.H.Auden, Stephen Spender, Day Lewis.**
432. Which of the following names is associated with the controversy over the “two cultures”, scientific and literary? **C.P.Snow.**
433. **The Shield of Achilles** is by **W.H.Auden.**
434. “Nuptial love maketh mankind; friendly love perfecteth it; but wanton love corrupteth and embaseth it”. Where do these words occur? **Francis Bacon.**

435. Sir Philip Sidney's **Apologie for Poetrie** is a rejoinder to **Stephen Gosson's School of Abuse**.
436. **Spenser's Astrophel** is an **elegy on Sir Philip Sidney**.
437. **Milton's Comus** is a **masque**.
438. Dryden's *The Conquest of Granada* is a **Heroic play**.
439. By "Pathetic Fallacy" is meant **investing objects with human emotions**.
440. *De Profundis* is a **personal letter**.
441. **The Gates of Paradise** is by **William Blake**.
442. **Tennyson's The Princess** deals with **Women's education**.
443. The character subtle appears in **Ben Jonson's The Alchemist**.
444. Who calls Shelley "a beautiful and intellectual angel, beating in the void his luminous wings in vain"? **Mathew Arnold**.
445. Who said that Donne in his poetry "affected the metaphysics"? **John Dryden**.
446. In Dryden's *Absalom and Achitophel* (Dryden) **Corah** stands for **Titus Oates**.
447. A writer's characteristic "mighty line" is associated with **Marlowe (Ben Jonson- mighty line- blank verse)**.
448. Shakespeare history plays may be read as a complement to **the Plantagenets**.
449. To which Genre doe the Faerie Queene (Spenser) belong? **Metrical Romance**.
450. Of all the characters in the Prologue (Chaucer) there are only three who are described without some touch of irony. Who are they? **The Knight, The Parson, The Plowman**.
451. The correct title of William Langland's whole poem is the **Vision of Piers the Plowman**.
452. *Utopia* was written by **Sir Thomas More**.
453. The Mystery plays were based on **stories from the Bible**.
454. Who complained that Spenser "writ no language"? **Ben Jonson**
455. The *Astrophel and Stella* sonnets were composed by **Sidney**.
456. 'Affective Fallacy' is defined as **the error of judging a work by its effects on the reader**.
457. Doctor Faustus in Marlowe's play is a **headstrong physician**.
458. Who in Dryden's *Essay of Dramatic Poesie* says that there is no theatre in the world has anything so absurd as English tragi-comedy? **Lisideus**.
459. According to Coleridge, in poetry, metre is a **mere ornament**.
460. The title of Robert Burton's well-known book is **The Anatomy of Melancholy**.
461. Which one of the following is a Movement poet? **Thom Gunn**.
462. Utilitarianism identified 'what is good' with **what makes for happiness**.

463. The Suffragette movement was a movement for **women's rights**.
464. The Decline and Fall of the Romantic Ideal was written by **F.L.Lucas**.
465. Aldous Huxley writes about his visit to India in **Jesting Pilot**.
466. Lady Bracknell is a character in **The Importance of Being Earnest (Wilde)**.
467. In which of the following plays Shakespeare attacks the Puritans? **Twelfth Night**.
468. Who said that Shakespeare has in his comedies only heroines and no heroes? **John Ruskin (Sesame and Lilies- of Queen's Garden)**.
469. Milton's Aeropagitica is a **defence of freedom of expression**.
470. 'Metaphysical conceit' is basically a **simile**.
471. Who said: "It is not enough that Aristotle has said so, for Aristotle drew his models of tragedy from Sophocles and Euripedes and if he had seen ours, might have changed his mind"? **Dryden**.
472. Who wrote **The Defence of Lucknow**? **Rudyard Kipling**.
473. The theme of Browning's Paracelsus is **search for knowledge**.
474. Who first attacked most prominently the Restoration Comedy for its 'immortality'? **Jeremy Collier**.
475. Whose style was praised by Dr.Johnson as "elegant but not ostentations, familiar but not coarse"? **Addison**.
476. John Bunyan's The Pilgrim's Progress is a **religious allegory**.
477. The Spider and the Bee episode occurs in **The Battle of the Books (Swift)**.
478. W.H.Auden wrote '**Homage to Clio**'. Which discipline is she the Muse of? **History**.
479. The theme of Bacon's The New Atlantis is discovery of the **new world**.
480. Ben Jonson is a **Jacobean dramatist**.
481. According to Longinus, the most important source of the sublime is a **lofty cast of mind**.
482. Which one of the following is an '**artificial**' comedy? **The Way of the World**.
483. Pamela(Richardson) is an **Epistolary novel**.
484. Which is the first English tragedy? **Gorboduc (Ferrex and Porrex)**.
485. For Mathew Arnold a poetry of revolt against moral ideas is a **poetry of revolt against life**.
486. Who called Wordsworth 'the lost leader'? **Browning**.
487. The Gothic novel is satirized in **Northanger Abbey (Jane Austen)**.
488. Carlyle's Sartor Resartus is a **fictive autobiography**.
489. Who wrote the book **Road to Xanadu**? **J.L.Lowes**.

490. Don Juan by Byron is **an epic satire**.
491. On whose real-life experience is Defoe's Robinson Crusoe supposed to be based? **Alexander Selkirk**.
492. Which of the following plays by G.B.Shaw attacks Darwinism? **Back to Methuselah**.
493. Bacon's Nuvum Organum is **Philosophical treatise**.
494. Who found Shakespeare works highly deplorable, and thus referred to the bard as 'that drunken fool'? **Voltaire**.
495. Chaucer's contribution to English verse is **Decasyllabic line (10lines)**
496. 'Well of English undefiled'- the comment is about **Chaucer (by Spenser)**
497. Will Kemp was **a famous clown in Elizabethan theatre**.
498. The year 1477 is associated with **the setting up of the first printing press in England by Caxton**.
499. Bel-imperia is a character in **The Spanish Tragedy by Kyd**.
500. Who said: 'No man will ever write a better tragedy than Lear'? **G.B.Shaw**.
501. The stanza form of Chaucer's Troilus and Criseyde is **Rime Royal**.
502. Besides Chaucer and Shakespeare, the legend of Troilus and Cressida was treated by **Robert Henryson (The Testament of Criseyde)**.
503. Machiavelli figures in the Prologue to **The Jew of Malta (Marlowe)**.
504. In Lady Macbeth's invocation to "spirits/ That tend on mortal thoughts", "mortal" means **murderous**.
505. Beside Holinshed, a major source of Shakespeare's English History Plays was the work of **Edward Hall**.
506. That Milton was "of the devil's party without knowing it" was said by **Blake**.
507. The ancient rules of writing were described as "Nature methodized" by **Alexander Pope**.
508. The fable of the spider and the bee occurs in a work by **Swift**.
509. Wordsworth's The Prelude was intended as a prelude to **The Recluse**.
510. The song beginning "On a poet's lips I slept" is to be found in **Prometheus Unbound**.
511. Men and Women is a collection of poems by **Robert Browning**.
512. "The technologico-Benthamite civilization" is most prominently attacked by Dickens in **Hard Times**.
513. "The story of a Man of character" is the subtitle of **The Mayor of Casterbridge**.
514. The life of a famous artist provides the basis for **The Moon and Sixpence**.
515. Crazy Jane is a character created by **W.B.Yeats**.

516. The Cocktail Party (T.S.Eliot) reworks the classical myth of **Alcestis**.
517. Virginia Woolf first used the stream of consciousness technique extensively in **Mrs.Dalloway**.
518. 'When Lilacs Last in the Dooryard Bloom'd' (Walt Whitman) is an elegy on the death of **Abraham Lincoln**.
519. Aegisthus' counterpart in Mourning Becomes Electra is **Brant**.
520. The title For Whom the Bell Tolls is borrowed from **John Donne's Devotions**.
521. The Bhasmasura myth is used in R.K.Narayan's **A Tiger for Malgudi**.
522. The writer who deplores "my tongue in English chains" is **R.Parthasarathy**.
523. My Son's Father is the autobiography of **Dom Moraes**.
524. Ngugi changed the medium of his writing from English to **Gikuyu**.
525. The novel by **George Lamming** which retells the Prospero-Caliban tale from the point of view of Caliban is **Water with Berries**.
526. **The Gunny Sack** is a novel by **M.G.Vassanji**.
527. Patrick White's novel dealing with an expedition to explore the Australian desert is **Voss**.
528. According to Longinus, the most important source of the sublime is **a certain lofty cast of mind**.
529. The goal of drama, according to Aristotle, is **the enactment of actions**.
530. A major text of neoclassical critical theory is **Horace's Art of Poetry**.
531. According to Coleridge, the primary imagination is an attribute of **All human beings**.
532. A line quoted by Arnold as a '**touchstone**' for poetry is "**Absent thee from felicity awhile**".
533. The function of a critic is "the elucidation of works of art and the correction of taste." **T.S.Eliot**.
534. The term "**New Historicism**" is associated with **Stephen Greenblatt**.
535. The line, "She cannot fade, though has not thy bliss", illustrates the figure of speech **metaphor**.
536. An 'Alexandrine' is a line in **iambic hexameter**.
537. Of the following publications, which are the periodicals? **RES, PMLA, TLS. (DNB is not a periodical)**
538. All theatres in England were closed during the rule of **Oliver Cromwell**.
539. **An Essay on the Subjection of Women** is written by **J.S.Mill**.
540. The Caroline Age refers to the reign of **Charles I**.
541. "The sad heart of Ruth" in Keats' "Ode to a Nightingale" is an allusion to **The Old Testament**.
542. A prominent leader of the Oxford Movement was **Cardinal Newman**.

543. The Great Depression occurred in the **1920s**.
544. **“Tenor”**, according to I.A.Richards, refers to **the structure of the metaphor**.
545. **“Gesture”** is used as a basic critical concept by **R.P.Blackmur**.
546. The Proscenium Stage has the audience sitting **on three sides**.
547. **“School of a Night”** is a term which figures in **Love’s Labour’s Lost (Shakespeare)**.
548. **Juliet** appears in a play (other than Romeo Juliet) Measure for Measure.
549. Shakespeare was not at all an astronomy buff. All the same one of his plays is loaded with astronomical references **Hamlet**.
550. What bird does king Lear compare his ungrateful daughters (**Goneril and Regan**) to **vulture**.
551. The words “What’s in a name?” occur in Romeo and Juliet.
552. The film version of Pygmalion is My Fair Lady.
553. Pozzo appears Waiting for Godot.
554. Who first used the term the theatre of the Absurd? Martin Esslin.
555. Which was the first book of essays to be published? Montaigne’s Essais.
556. Who was the first ever Poet Laureate? Dryden.
557. “On the knocking of the Gate in Macbeth” is written by Thomas de Quincey.
558. Who wrote Confessions? Rousseau.
559. Who advised his fellow poets to follow nature? Pope.
560. Who is associated with the term “Tension”? Allan Tate.
561. When did Constantinople fall? 1453.
562. Who according to Dr.Johnson is the father of English Criticism? John Dryden.
563. Who wrote the book the New Criticism? J.C.Ransom.
564. The observation “Age cannot wither her ... “ about Cleopatra is made by Enobarbus.
565. In Things Fall Apart Achebe depicts Igbo Community.
566. Who wrote The Accidental Man? Murdoch.
567. Synecdoche is a figure of speech in which **a part represents the whole**.
568. **Clym** is a character in **The Return of the Native**.
569. Who is the author of the Sacred Wood? **Eliot**.
570. Who is the author of A Gun For sale? **Greene**.
571. **Imogen** is a character in **Cymbeline**.
572. Which school of criticism has been called ‘**Neo-Aristotleans**’? **The Chicago Critics**.
573. ‘**Positivism**’ was enunciated by **August Comte**.
574. **The Cenci** was written by **Shelley**.

575. Which one of the following is associated with the Royal Court Theatre, London? **Edward Bond.**
576. Byron, Shelley and their imitators were described as '**the Satanic School**' by **Southey.**
577. The term '**Postmodernism**' was first used in connection with **painting.**
578. Who wrote the following line: "I fall upon the throns of life, I bleed" **Shelley.**
579. The title of the novel **The Sound and The Fury** reminds one of **Macbeth.**
580. John Bunyan belongs to **17th c.**
581. **The Great Fire of London** took place in **1666.**
582. "Time held me green and dying/ Though I sang in my chains like the sea," Who wrote these lines **Dylan Thomas.**
583. Who made this statement: "An aged man is but a paltry thing"? **Yeats.**
584. The 4th book of Spenser's *The Faerie Queene* is titled **Friendship.**
585. The Grain of wheat is written in the background of **Mau Mau Rebellion.**
586. King George VI formally abandoned his title of "**Emperor of India**" in **August 1947.**
587. **Ambiguity** according to Empson is **verbal nuance.**
588. "Oh, he flies through the air with the greatest of ease". This line is in **anapestic meter.**
589. Shelley's last unfinished poem is '**The Triumph of life**'.
590. Strophe, antistrophe and epode are the components of **Pindaric Ode.**
591. The rocks of Brittany feature in **Chaucer's Franklin's Tale.**
592. Sir Epicure Mammon is a character in **The Alchemist by Ben Jonson.**
593. In the phrase "O brave new world" used by Miranda, brave means **beautiful.**
594. The editors of the First Folio of Shakespeare's plays were **Heminge and Condall.**
595. The phrase "**The wasp of Twickenham**" is applied to **Pope.**
596. The Battle of the Books discusses the conflict between **the ancients and the moderns.**
597. **A Prince of Abyssinia** features in a work by **Johnson.**
598. **Cain** is the subject of a work by **Byron.**
599. Dickens treats of '**the law's delay**' in **Little Dorrit.**
600. Hardy's title *Far from the Madding Crowd* is taken from a poem by **Gray.**
601. T.S.Eliot's line "Sweet Thames run softly till I end my song" is a quotation from **Spenser.**
602. The group known as the Movement Poets included **Robert Conquest, Kingsley Amis, Philip Larkin.**

603. Shaw's concept of the Life Force is enunciated in **Man and superman**.
604. Many of D.H.lawrence's novels are set in **The Nottingham region**.
605. Robert Frost's nature poems are chiefly set in **New Hampshire**.
606. The Zoo Story is an absurdist play because **the characters are absurd persons**.
607. Hester wore the Scarlet letter as **a mark of sexual transgression**.
608. The Harikatha tradition has been extensively used in **Kanthapura**.
609. The poet who wrote about "Whoring after the English Gods" is **R.Parthasarathy**.
610. An Indian English Novelist who is also a prominent writer of verse, is **Vikram Seth**.
611. The Mau Mau Rebellion is used in a major way in **A Grain of wheat**.
612. The novel by Achebe which describes the celebration of the Uri feast of Obierika's daughter, is **Things Fall Apart**.
613. A Fine Balance is a novel by **Rohinton Mistry**.
614. Patrick White's The Solid Mandala shares the concept of mandala with **Jung**.
615. According to Aristotle, the least essential part of tragedy is **Melody**.
616. The concept of literary 'decorum' is memorably proposed by **Horace**.
617. The observation "He invades authors like a monarch; and what would be theft in other poets, is only victory in him"- is about **Shakespeare**.
618. Wordsworth presents his views on the nature and function of poetry first in **The 'Advertisement' appended to the first edition of the Lyrical Ballads**.
619. The dictum that **Life imitates Art** is expounded by **John Ruskin**.
620. F.r.Leavis's '**great tradition**' of the English Novel included **Jane Austen, George Eliot, Joseph Conrad**.
621. Structuralism was first employed in the study of **Anthropology**.
622. The lines "Stern Daughter of the Voice of God, O Duty!" illustrate **apostrophe**.
623. The line "Bare ruined choirs, where late the sweet birds sang" contains feet that are **Hypermetrical**.
624. Information about the lives of famous Englishmen will be found in **DNB**.
625. The Authorized Version of the Bible appeared in the reign of **James I**.
626. The English writer who was imprisoned in France during the French Revolution was **Tom Paine**.
627. A Vindication of the Rights of Woman was written by **Mary Wollstonecraft**.

628. In Lycidas, “the Pilot of the Galilean lake” refers to **St.Peter**.
629. The Origin of the Species was published in **1859**.
630. The assassination of the archduke Francis Ferdinand led to **World War I**.
631. The notion of ‘tension’ to poetry was advanced by **Allan Tate**.
632. ‘strong lined’ poetry was a term applied in its day to **Hopkin’s poetry**.
633. The term ‘apron stage’ refers to **Elizabethan theatre**.
634. Who wrote Travels? **Swift**.
635. Who wrote the following line: “The proper study of mankind is man”. **Pope**.
636. The Act of Supremacy to make Henry VIII “Supreme head on earth of the church of England” was passed in **1534**.
637. Which are the following dramatists belong to the group called “University wits”? **Lyly, Peele, Lodge, Nash, Kyd, Marlowe, Greene**.
638. Who wrote the following line: “A hard time we had of it”? **Pound**.
639. The phrase “dissociation of sensibility” was used by **Eliot** in **The Metaphysical Poets**.
640. The author of The Purloined letter is **Poe**.
641. The phrase “Art for Art’s sake” was introduced by **Gautier**.
642. Who wrote **Masque of Anarchy**? **Shelley**.
643. **The Woman in White** is written by **Collins**.
644. ‘The grizzly bear is huge and wild’. This line is in **iambic meter**.
645. Venus and Adonis is a poem written by **Shakespeare**.
646. Belinda is a character in **The Rape of the Lock (Pope)**.
647. Who is the author of **The Moon and Sixpence? Maugham**.
648. Bobadill is a character in **Every Man in His Humour (Ben Jonson)**.
649. A novel tracing the development of the artist is known as **Kunstleroman**.
650. Bhowani Junction is written by **John Masters**.
651. Archeology of Knowledge is written by **Michael Foucault**.
652. “When I consider how my light is spent ... “ is an example of **Metonymy**.
653. Who are all Marxist critics? **Christopher Caudwell, Raymond Williams, Terry Eagleton**.
654. In An Essay of Dramatic Poesie, the views of Dryden are expressed by **Neander**.
655. Stephen Greenblatt is associated with **Resonance and Wonder**.
656. Velutha, the untouchable, appears in **The God of Small Things**.
657. Who is considered to be the founder of the Chicago School of Criticism? **R.S.Crane**.

658. Uncle Toby appears in **The Life and Opinions of Tristram Shandy (Sterne)**.
659. Germaine Greer wrote **The Female Eunuch**.
660. "Honest criticism and sensitive appreciation is directed not upon the poet but upon the poetry". Who said the above sentence? **Ransom**.
661. The founder of the **Oxford Movement** was **John Keble**.
662. Who is the author of **Rosencrantz and Guildenstern Are Dead**? **Tom Stoppard**.
663. Who wrote '**The Vanity of Human Wishes**'? **Samuel Johnson**.
664. Who admired Ben Johnson but loved Shakespeare? **Dryden**.
665. Who coined the term **Stream of Consciousness**? **William James**.
666. Who among the following is also known as a **lexicographer**? **Johnson**.
667. How many years did Tennyson take in composing **In Memoriam**? **Nearly 17 years**.
668. The writer who said, "I describe not men but manners ..." was **Swift**.
669. Which are the poets won Sahitya Akademi Award? **Nissim Ezekiel, Shiv.K.Kumar, A.K.Ramanujan**.
670. The rhyming scheme of a Shakespearean sonnet is **ab ab, cd cd, ef ef, gg**.
671. The first name of Marlow, in **Heart of Darkness**, is **Charlie**.
672. Which are the bilingual writers? **Dilip Chitre, Kamala Das, Gieve Patel**.
673. **Philip Larkin** belongs to a loose group of writers known as **New Generation Poets**.
674. "I speak and write in English but do not altogether share the preoccupations and perspectives of an Englishman"- was said by **Conrad**.
675. Who wrote **The Inheritors**? **Golding**.
676. **The Future Poetry** is written by **Aurobindo**.
677. '**Egotistical Sublime**' is a phrase coined by **John Keats**.
678. "Thy soul was like a star, and dwelt apart" **Wordsworth** writes this legendary line about **Milton (London 1802 sonnet)**.
679. Name the poet whose well-known sonnet ends: "They also serve who only stand and wait". **Milton (On His Blindness)**.
680. **Pope's The Dunciad** satirizes **Literary Tastes**.
681. **The Rights of Man** is written by **Tom Paine**.
682. Which book, so to say, is the **hometown of Girl Friday**? **Robinson Crusoe (Defoe)**.
683. '**A Lyrical Drama in Four Acts**' by **P.B.Shelley** is **Prometheus Unbound**.
684. Who are '**the rivals**' in Sheridan's play? **Captain Absolute and Bob Acres**.
685. **Mount Abora** is featured in **Coleridge's Kubla Khan**.

686. Who of the following belong to **Cockney School of Poetry? Keats, Leigh Hunt, Shelley.**
687. **Alice in Wonderland (Lewis Carroll)** is basically a **chess game.**
688. **Queen Victoria** became Empress of India in **1876.**
689. **'The Hungry Forties'** is a period in Britain **1840s.**
690. Which 19th c English Novelist insisted on writing 2500 words before breakfast everyday? **Anthony Trollope.**
691. An unfavourable portrait of American life and manners, given by **Dickens** in **Martin Chuzzlewit.**
692. One of Dickens' novels mentions a cricket match between **All-Muggleton** and **Dingley Dell. The Pickwick Papers.**
693. Which famous classic in English Literature is actually arranged in a series of chess moves? **Through the Looking Glass (Lewis Carroll).**
694. Who called **Sarojini Naidu**, the **'Florence Nightingale of India'**? **Gandhi.**
695. Who wrote the screenplay for the English version of **The Guide**? **Pearl S.Buck.**
696. The title of a novel has entered the English language as a reference to a no-win situation. **Joseph Keller's Catch-22.**
697. Who first introduced the term **'intertextuality'** into critical theory? **Julia Kristeva.**
698. What was the name of Gabriel Garcia Marquez's fictional village in **One Hundred Years of Solitude**? **Macondo.**
699. Who was the Gorgon with staring eyes and snakes in her hair? **Medusa.**
700. Which part of Achilles' body was vulnerable? **His heel.**
701. In **Hawthorne's The Scarlet Letter**, the letter of the title is **A.**
702. The term **'Womanism'** was applied to Black Feminism by **Alice Walker.**
703. Which of the following is a historical play? **A Man for all seasons- Robert Bolt.**
704. The title Lord of the Flies refers to **Beezlebub.**
705. The author of **A Discourse Concerning the Original and Progress of Satire** is **John Dryden.**
706. 'The old order changeth, yielding place to new' is a line from **Tennyson's Idylls of the King.**
707. The French Revolution was the subject of works by **Carlyle and Ruskin.**
708. Which of the following was a famous diarist? **Samuel Pepys.**
709. The novel **Possession** is written by **A.S.Byatt.**
710. **Caryl Churchill** is a successful **playwright.**
711. **The Heart of Midlothian (Walter Scott)** refers to a **prison (Old Tolbooth).**

712. The origin of the term '**Angry Young Man**' can be traced back to **John Osborne (Look Back in Anger)**.
713. The poem '**Under Ben Bulbin**' contains the epitaph of **W.B.Yeats**.
714. **Past and Present** is the work of **Carlyle**.
715. **Christy Mahon** is a character in **The Playboy of the Western World**.
716. **A Passage to India** is dedicated to **Syed Ross Masood**.
717. **Milton's Comus** is a **masque**.
718. The Romantic poet who transformed a sequence of 14-line units into an Ode is **Keats**.
719. The phrase '**hysterica passio**' occurs in **King Lear**.
720. 'The unplump'd salt, estranging sea' is a line from **Arnold's 'To Marguerite'**.
721. The manuscript that Jane Austen revised into **Pride and Prejudice** was originally titled **First Impressions**.
722. The narrative structure of **Chaucer's The Canterbury Tales** is based on **Boccaccio's Decameron**.
723. Poetry should be surprise by '**a fine excess**', said **Keats**.
724. The term '**Restoration**' refers to the restoration of **Charles II**.
725. The word '**dirge**' appears on **Ode to the West Wind**.
726. **The Monk** was written by **Matthew Lewis**.
727. **Dr.Johnson** discusses '**the metaphysical poets**' in his life of **Abraham Cowley**.
728. The line '**Thrice and thrice to mine**' is in the **iambic metre**.
729. Which of these arrangements is in the right chronological order? **The Parlement of Fowles-Utopia-Euphues-Hamlet**.
730. In **The Tempest** Prospero's absent wife is alluded to **once**.
731. Which of the following figures of speech involves the **repetition of a vowel sound**? **Assonance**.
732. Which of these novels by **J.M.coetzee** is set in Post-Apartheid South Africa? **Disgrace**.
733. **Arden of Faversham** is a **domestic tragedy**.
734. **Sidi** is a character in **Soyinka's The Lion and the Jewel**.
735. **The Female Spectator**, in four volumes (1744-1746) was authored by **Eliza Haywood**.
736. The term, '**malapropism**' is derived from the name of a character in a play by **Sheridan (Mrs.Malaprop- The Rivals)**.
737. A line of **Alexandrine** verse has **six feet**.
738. The term '**post-modern**' was first used by **Lyotard**.
739. The last novel of Thomas Hardy is **Jude the Obscure**.

740. Gramsci originally used the term ‘**subaltern**’ to describe **social groups marginalized owing to their religion or political beliefs.**
741. The epithet ‘**esemplastic**’ has been applied to **imagination.**
742. Which of the works by Amitav Ghosh is set in the future? **The Calcutta Chromosome.**
743. ‘**Dialogism**’ is term used by **Mikhail Bakhtin.**
744. Ulysses is a portrait of a city, **Dublin, on 16th June, 1904.**
745. Who called the eighteenth century “our excellent and indispensable age of Prose and Reason”? **Mathew Arnold.**
746. **Arun Kolatkar’s Jejuri** is set in a place of **pilgrimage.**
747. Who used the phrase “**Nature Methodiz’d**”? **Alexander Pope.**
748. In **Heart of Darkness (Joseph Conrad)**, heart of Africa is **Congo River (Africa & London-places of darkness).**
749. Which one of the following author-book pair is correctly matched? Saul bellow- Herzog. Shame- Rushdie, Disgrace- J.M.Coetzee
750. Which novel has a nameless narrator? Invisible Man- Ralph Ellison.
751. **Samuel Beckett** wrote **Endgame.**
752. **Willy Loman** is a character in **The Death of a Salesman- Arthur Miller.**
753. **The Plough and the Stars** was written by **Sean O’casey.**
754. The subtitle of Dryden’s **Absalom and Achitophel** is **a satire.**
755. Who are all periodical essayists? **Swift, Addison, Steele.**
756. John Evelyn and Samuel Pepys were the famous writers of **diarists.**
757. Samuel Butler’s Hudibras is modeled upon **Don Quixote (Cervantes).**
758. Who was the last of the Christian Humanists? **John Bunyan.**
759. The narrative of Raja Rao’s Kanthapura is based on **Puranas.**
760. Which of the author-book pair is correctly matched? **Arundhati Roy- Algebra of Infinite Justice. (The city of Djins-William Dalrymple, The English Patient- Michael Ondaatjee, Trotter Nama- Allan Sealy).**
761. Who wrote “A tiger does not proclaim its tigretude”? **Soyinka.**
762. “Jindiworobak” movement relates to **Australian literature.**
763. The figure of the “Abyssinian maid” appears in **Kubla Khan.**
764. “Did he who made the Lamb thee” appears in **The Tyger.**
765. “Essays of Elia” are **personal impressions.**

766. Who among the following is a writer of historical romances? **Walter Scott.**
767. Which of the following thinker-concept pair is rightly matched? **Stanley Fish- Reader Response.**
768. Which of the following thinker-concept pairs is rightly matched? **Bharata-Natya Shastra.**
769. Choose the correct sequence of the following schools of criticism: **New Criticism, Structuralism, Deconstruction, and Reader Response.**
770. "Peripetia" means **reversal of fortune.**
771. "Gynocriticism" focuses on **Women as writers.**
772. Which of the following sequences is correct? **Vanity Fair, Henry Esmond, Middlemarch, The Return of the Native.**
773. The concept of "mad woman in the attic" can be traced to **Jane Eyre.**
774. Who among the Victorians is called "the prophet of modern society"? **Arnold.**
775. Bosola is the executioner in **The Duchess of Malfi.**
776. The Faerie Queene is based on **Orlando Furioso.**
777. Choose the correct sequence of the following plays? **Hamlet, Othello, King Lear, Macbeth.**
778. Pre-Raphaelite poetry is mainly concerned with **form and design.**
779. Queen Victoria's reign, after whom the Victorian period is named, spans **1837-1901.**
780. Pope's "Essay on Criticism" sums up the art of poetry as taught first by **Longinus.**
781. Swift's Tale of a Tub is a satire on **dogma and superstition.**
782. **Dr. Johnson** started **The Rambler.**
783. Who among the following cautioned against the dangers of popular liberty? **Mary Wollstonecraft.**
784. Which famous American classic opens with "Call me Ishmael"? **Moby Dick.**
785. Allen Ginsberg's vision of America is inspired by **Walt Whitman.**
786. Who among the following represents the Sri Lankan diaspora? **Michael Ondaatje.**
787. Out of Africa is a film adaptation of a work by **Margaret Lawrence.**
788. The Empire writes Back was written by **Bill Ashcroft, Helen Tiffin, Gareth Griffiths.**
789. The theatre of cruelty is associated with **Antonin Artaud.**
790. A particle is **a patchwork of words, sentences, passages.**
791. "Careless she is with artful Care/ Affecting to seem unaffected" is an example of **Paradox.**
792. A metrical foot containing **a stressed, followed by an unstressed, syllable is trochee.**

793. The rhyme scheme of a Spenserian sonnet is **abab,bcbcb,cdcd,ee**.
794. Using the expression "Crown" for the monarchy is an example of **Metonymy**.
795. The title **The Sound and the Fury** is taken from **Macbeth**.
796. Pecola is a character in **The Bluest Eye**.
797. Which of the following was associated with the "Bloomsbury group"? **Virginia Woolf**.
798. Which of the following characters appear in **Waiting for Godot: Lucky**.
799. About whom did T.s.eliot write "A thought to him was an experience": **Donne**.
800. The last book of Gulliver's Travels is **Voyage to Houyhnhnms**.
801. Who edited The Tatler **Addison and Steele**.
802. John Locke's "Essay Concerning Human Understanding" is about **nature of the human mind**.
803. Restoration Comedy marks the **restoration of monarchy**.
804. Which of Alexander Pope's poems begins with the line "Shut, shut the door, good John, fatigued I said": **Epistle to Dr.Arbutnot**.
805. The statement "One has to convey in a language that is not one's own the spirit that is one's own" appears in **Kanthapura**.
806. Which of the following author-book pair is correctly matched: **Gabriel Garcia Marquez- Love in the Time of Cholera**.
807. Which of the following women writers received the noble Prize? **Toni Morrison (1993), Nadine Gordiner (1991), Doris Lessing (2007)**.
808. Which of the following are Australian writers? **David Malauf, Mudooroo Narogin, Peter carey**.
809. The Tulsis of Naipaul's a House for Mr.Biswas lived in **Hanuman House**.
810. The quotation "a repetition in the finite mind of the eternal act of creation in the infinite I AM" appears in **Biographia Literaria**.
811. "Fearful Symmetry" appears in the poem **The Tyger**.
812. The quotation "when a man is capable of being in uncertainties, mysteries, doubts, without any irritable reaching after fact and reasons" is a definition of: **Negative Capability**.
813. Which of the following prose-writers belong to the Roman period: **Peacock, De Quincey, Hazlitt**.
814. In Pride and prejudice, Lydia and Wickham eloped to **Gretna Green**.
815. Which of the following thinker- concept pairs is correctly matched: **Derrida- Deconstruction**.
816. Which of the following thinker- concept pairs is correctly matched: **Mamata- Kavya Prakash**.

817. Choose the correct sequence of the following schools of criticism: **Structuralism, Deconstruction, Reader-Response, New Historicism.**
818. 'Hamartia' means **error of judgement.**
819. The term "Gynocriticism" was coined by **Elaine Showalter.**
820. Which is the correct sequence: **Thackeray, Bronte Sisters, George Eliot, D.G.Rossetti.**
821. Which of Dickens' novels opens with the words "It was the best of times, it was the worst of times ...". **A Tale of Two Cities.**
822. The term "The Fleishy School of Poetry" is associated with **Pre-Raphaelites.**
823. The line "The Sea is calm tonight" occurs in **Arnold's Dover beach.**
824. The term "gothic", a category of fiction, also applies to **architecture.**
825. The gap-toothed character in "prologue" to The Canterbury Tales is **the Wife of Bath.**
826. Which of the following are Revenge Tragedies? **Duchess of Malfi, Volpone, Hamlet.**
827. The Red Cross Knight is Spenser's Faerie Queene represents **Truth.**
828. The first book of The Faerie Queene represents **holiness (2nd- temperance, 3rd- chastity, 4th- friendship).**
829. The line "Present fears/ Are less than horrible imaginings" appears in **Macbeth.**
830. The author of Ars Poetica is **Horace.**
831. Which are the works of Dr.Johnson? **Preface to the English Dictionary, Preface to Shakespeare, Lives of the English Poets.**
832. Which novel of Daniel Defoe was considered to be the best by E.M.Forster? **Moll Flanders.**
833. Edmund Burke denounced the **French Revolution in Reflections.**
834. The line "a man can be destroyed but not defeated" appears in **The Old Man and the Sea.**
835. Who among the following is called "**A New England Poet**" **Robert Frost.**
836. Which are the plays by Tennessee Williams **Night of the Jguana, A Streetcar named Desire, Cat on a Hot Tin Roof.**
837. Margaret Atwood's Survival is a **thematic guide to Canadian literature.**
838. The term "**Negritude**" was coined by **Ainee Cesaire and Leopald Senghor.**
839. **Bertolt Brecht's** concept of theatre was influenced by **Irwin Piscator.**
840. The relationship between Othello and Iago is an example of **inversion.**
841. A metrical foot **consisting of an unstressed syllable followed by a stressed syllable is iamb.**
842. Using "the Bench" for the judiciary is an example of **metonymy.**

843. Four feet, comprising a monosyllable, trochee, dactyl and first paeon is often called **sprung rhythm**.
844. The author of The Provok'd Husband was **Vanbrugh**.
845. Who among the boys in Golding's Lord of the Flies is associated with Christ? **Simon**.
846. The complete title of Sterne's novel Tristram Shandy is **The Life and Opinions of Tristram Shandy, Gentleman**.
847. Feminine ending refers to **the ending of a poem in an unstressed syllable**.
848. The essay "The Death of the Author" is written by **Roland Barthes**.
849. Salman Rushdie's shame is set in **Pakistan**.
850. Choose the correct chronological sequence in **Milton's Paradise Lost, Bunyan's The Pilgrim's progress, Dryden's Hind and the Panther, Hutchinson's Memoirs**.
851. The Little Minister is a novel by **James M.Barrie**.
852. Which Augustan writer's epitaph reads: 'one who strove with all his might to champion liberty'? **Jonathan Swift**.
853. In which of the following novels incidents relating to the declaration of Emergency in India in 1975 figure? **Rohinton Mistry's Such a Long Journey**.
854. Identify the matching pair **The Jew of Malta: Barabas**.
Edward II: Zenocrate, The Spanish Tragedy: Horatio, Tamburlaine: Gaveston.
855. The future ruin of Troy and the murder of Agamemnon are referred to by **W.B.Yeats in Leda and Swan**.
856. In which play Edward Albee uses the 'success' myth? **Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf**.
857. 'The voice of poetry comes from a region above us, a plane of our being above and beyond our personal intelligence'. Who among the following is the author of the above lines? **Sri Aurobindo**.
858. Inscape refers to **the individuating character of a natural thing**.
859. The number of poems in Sidney's sonnet sequence Astrophel and Stella is **108**.
860. J.M.Coetzee's Foe is a postmodern retelling of **Robinson Crusoe**.
861. Johnson's Shakespeare appeared in **1765**.
862. The main character in Gogol's dead Souls is **Chichikov**.
863. After Shakespeare made his debut as a London playwright, he was described as an 'upstart crow' by **Robert Greene**.
864. What was the first play of Mrs.Dalloway called? **Hours**.

865. Which of the following Caribbean novels makes intertextual references to Jane Eyre? **Wide Sargasso Sea.**
866. The term 'metaphysical poets', was first used by **Dryden.**
867. 'Only Connect' is the epigraph to a novel by **E.M.Forster (Howards End).**
868. The expression "Thy hand, great Anarch" occurs in a satire by **Pope.**
869. In which of the following novels by Graham Greene does the little girl **Brigitta** appear? **The Power and the Glory.**
870. The author of 'A satire Against Reason and Mankind' is **Rochester.**
871. 'Anagnorisis' is a term used by Aristotle for describing **the moment of discovery by the protagonist.**
872. Which of the following feminist critics used the expression 'Gynocriticism' for the first time? **Elaine Showalter.**
873. John Keats's poem 'Ode to a Nightingale' was composed in **1819.**
874. The Female Quixote was written by **Charlotte Lennox.**
875. Which contemporary British poet has translated Beowulf? **Seamus Heaney.**
876. 'The Praise of Chimney-Sweepers' is an essay by **Charles lamb.**
877. The Loneliness of a Long Distance Runner is a novel by **Alan Sillitoe.**
878. In 'Black Venus' Angela carter takes elements from the poetry of a famous French poet and places them in a very different paradigm. Who is the French poet? **Bundelaire.**
879. Strophe, antistrophe and epode from a three-part structure in **a classic ode.**
880. The words 'where are the songs of spring? Ay, where are they?' occur in **Ode to Autumn.**
881. 'Music that gentler on the spirit lies than tired eyelids upon tired eyes' the above lines occur in **Tennyson's The Lotos Eaters.**
882. Which of the following pairs is correctly matched? **Thomas De Quincey- Recollections of the Lakes and the Lake Poets.**
883. Which famous English novel opens with a young woman who is 'handsome, clever and rich'? **Emma.**
884. It appears that in Paradise Lost Book I 'Milton belongs to the Devil's party without knowing it'. Who among the following made this statement? **William Blake.**
885. Live Like Pigs is **a play by Arden.**
886. A woman drew her long black hair out tight And finished whisper music on those strings'. From which section of T.S.Eliot's The Waste Land are the above lines taken? **What the Thunder Said.**

887. Which is the correct sequence of Achebe's African Trilogy? **Things Fall Apart- No Longer At ease- Arrow of God.**
888. Which are the figures of speech used in the following lines by Blake? "Tyger, tiger, burning bright/ In the forest of the night/ What immortal hand or eye/ Could frame thy fearful symmetry?" **metonymy and apostrophe.**
889. In which of the following American novels does 'the Valley of Ashes' occur? **The Great Gatsby.**
890. To whom is Chaucer referring when he says 'He knew the tavern well in every town'? **Friar.**
891. 'Poetry is a criticism of life under the conditions fixed for such a criticism by laws of poetic truth and poetic beauty'. Who, among the following made the above statement? **Mathew Arnold (The Study of Poetry).**
892. 'She is inspired but diabolically inspired'. Who is this lady? **Saint Joan.**
893. Tennyson's poem about women's rights and women's sphere is **The Princess.**
894. 'Hymn to Adversity' is a poem by **Thomas Gray.**
895. The King James Bible was published in **1611.**
896. IL Migilor fabro is the expression Eliot used for **Ezra Pound.**
897. "This Figure a poem Makes" is an essay by **Robert Frost.**
898. "Ripeness is all" occurs in **King Lear.**
899. A.C.Bradley's Shakespearean Tragedy was published in **1904.**
900. "Topsy" appears in **Uncle Tom's Cabin.**
901. A poem that captures the essence of a moment in a simple image is **Haiku.**
902. Who wrote the **Heart of the matter?** **Graham Greene.**
903. Which of the following Shakespearean plays are in the correct chronological sequence? **Henry IV Part I- Romeo and Juliet-The Merchant of Venice-Richard II.**
904. Who is given credit for first using the term "romantic"? **Friedrich Schlegel.**
905. Gudrun is a character in a novel by **D.H.Lawrence.**
906. July's People is a novel by **Nadine Gordimer.**
907. Heroic couplet is a **pair of Rhyming iambic pentameter lines.**
908. "Gestalt" theory of literature considers **text as a unified whole.**
909. Margaret Lawrence is a novelist from **Canada.**
910. Sartor Resartus is a text by **Carlyle.**
911. Which 19th century English novelist insisted on writing 2500 words before breakfast every day? **Anthony Trollope.**
912. Who wrote the Spenser series novels? **Robert Parker.**

913. What is closet drama? **To be read but not to be performed.**
914. The Lotus is written by **Toru Dutt**, The Lotos Eaters is written by **Tennyson**.
915. Who is known as the Jackie Collins of India? **Shoba De.**
916. Who is called as the Mother of Modern English Indian Poetry? **Kamala Das (Madhavikutty).**
917. "I had a lover's quarrel with the world". This epitaph engraved on whose tomb? **Robert Frost (The Lesson for Today-last line).**
918. Who wrote **Laodamia**? **Wordsworth. (Lamia-Keats).**
919. Who coined the term **New Historicism**? **Stephen Greenblatt.**
920. Who coined the term **Interpellation**? **Louis Althusser (Marxist).**
921. 'Society is necessary but corrupting, solitude is inevitable but it destroys' is a recurring theme in which modern novelist? **Conrad.**
922. "Bliss was it in that dawn to be alive, But to be young was very heaven". This occurs in a poem by **Wordsworth.**
923. A Dance of the Forest is written by **Wole Soyinka.**
924. The first Canadian poet is **Charles Heavysege.**
925. Heroic quatrain is **four line stanza in iambic pentameter.**
926. "**Buildingsroman**" translated literally means **Development novel.**
927. A book that faithfully renders a young man's confused images of love and rejection is a **Portrait of the Artist as a Young man.**
928. Victorian Age witnessed a clash between **faith and reason.**
929. "For gold in Physique is Cordial/ Therefore, he loved gold in special" relate to chaucer's **doctor.**
930. The historical novel began in **Romantic Period.**
931. The term "Campus novel" is associated with **Kingsley Amis.**
932. Which of the following author-book pair is correctly matched? **Sohrab and Rustum- Arnold.**
933. The new humanism school of philosophy and literary criticism was popular in America during **1910-1930.**
934. Interanl Rhyme rhymes of **two or more words in the same line of poetry.**
935. The macabre element in drama was introduced by **John Lyly.**
936. The line "I am no Prince Hamlet nor was meant to be ..." Appears in **T.S.Eliot's The Love Song of J.Alfred Prufrock.**
937. "Fancy" deals with **Fixities and definities.**

938. Swift's Modest Proposal is written **in the form of a Project in political economy.**
939. The main idea of **Pope's The Dunciad** was taken from **Mac-Flecknoe.**
940. The most obvious feature of Johnson's The Lives of the Poets is the equipoise between **Biography and Criticism.**
941. "The Kelson of creating is love". The line occurs in **Walt Whitman's Song of Myself.**
942. With whom was Dr. Johnson intimately associated in his personal life? **Boswell.**
943. The early religious drama is associated with **Miracles and morality.**
944. **The Tale of Two Cities** has a romantic hero with a **weakness.**
945. Sheridan's first play was **The Rivals.**
946. Anti-sentimental comedy is a **criticism of excess of emotion.**
947. Which of the following novel-novelist pair is correctly matched? **Arun Joshi- The Apprentice.** (Bhabhani Bhattacharya- G.V.Desani, Nayantara Saghala Anita Desai, Bhagwandas Gidwani- Manohar Malgonkar).
948. The Indian English poet who addressed the question 'of time' in his poetry is **Nissim Ezekiel.**
949. Symbolist movement was influenced by **Poetic theory of Edgar Allan Poe.**
950. The Victorian period refers to the reign of queen Victoria of England during **1837-1901.**
951. The rambler appeared every **Tuesday and Saturday.**
952. "Tottel's Miscellany" contained **60 Sonnets.**
953. "Imagism" is associated with **T.E.Hulme.**
954. The title Things Fall Apart is drawn from a poem by **W.B.Yeats.**
955. "Formal criticism" relates to the structure of **Literary devices.**
956. A 'Foot' in prosody is a basic unit of **rhythming measurement.**
957. Who of the following is known for aphoristic prose style? **Francis Bacon.**
958. The Confessions of an English Opium eater was written by **De Quincey.**
959. **Ireland** emerges as the most important metaphor in **Seamus Heaney.**
960. Which of the following Shakespearean plays is in chronological order? **Much Ado...,' hamlet, King Lear, Troilus and Cressida.**
961. The major contribution of the Restoration period is in the field of **Drama.**
962. The correct chronological order of the following poets is **Walter Scott, Byron, Shelley, Keats.**
963. **Where Angels Fear to Tread** is a novel by **E.M.Forster.**
964. The plays of Edward Albee deal with **hypocrisy of aristocracy.**
965. Heptameter consists of **seven metrical feet.**

966. The loneliness of the Long- Distance runner is a novel by **Alan Sillitoe**.
967. "**Rugby Chapel**" is a poem by Arnold in the memory of his **father**.
968. The earliest woman novelist of significance in the 18th century is **Mary Edgeworth**.
969. "Cut is the branch that might have grown full straight" is a line that occurs in **Dr.Faustus**.
970. **Pope's "essay on Man"** can best be read as a poem of **philosophical apprehension of life**.
971. The term "**Victorian**" evokes the attitudes of **moral earnestness**.
972. **Larry slate** is a character in **The Iceman Cometh**.
973. "**Iambus**" is a metrical foot consisting of **two syllables**.
974. The lines "Not that he wished is greatness to create/ For politicians neither love nor hate", occur in **Absalom and Achitophel**.
975. 11,396 definitions of romanticism were given by **F.L.Lucas**.
976. Sean O' Casey's **Juno and the Paycock** is a **tragi-comedy**.
977. The 'Reader-Response Theory' implies that **the readers of an age construct the meaning**.
978. Which of the following author-book pair is correctly matched? **Browning- The Ring and the Book**.
979. "**Myth Criticism**" focuses on **recurrence of archetypal patterns**.
980. An "**Idyll**" is usually a poem about a **picaresque country life**.
981. "**The Lost Generation**" refers to the generation that **came to naturality in the 1920 s**.
982. The French Revolution had a significant impact on **Romantic Literature**.
983. In which poem does the following line appear? "Our birth is but a sleep and a forgetting." **Immortality Ode**.
984. Tale of a Tub is about contending **religious parties**.
985. Congreve's The way of the World ends with reconciliation of **Petulant Whitwood**.
986. On seeing whom does Miranda exclaim, "O, father, surely, that is a spirit? Lord! How it looks about?" **Ferdinand**.
987. Secular influences on the early English drama were **village festivals, folk plays and minstrels**.
988. John bunyan's The Pilgrim's progress was written while he was **in prison**.
989. In Juvenalian satire the speaker is a **serious moralist**.
990. Jane Austen's Pride and Prejudice most clearly shows the influence of **Richardson**.
991. The most important of the 'evolutionists' during the Victorian period was **Charles Darwin**.

992. A philosophical attitude pervading much of modern literature is **Absurdism**.
993. The term “**magic realism**” was first introduced by **Franz Roh (the New Objectivity)**.
994. The Indian English novelist who, for the first time. Addressed the question of language and indigenous experience was **Mulk Raj Anand**.
995. G.V.Desani’s **All about H.Hatterr** is written in the **picaresque mode**.
996. A classical influence on **Ben Jonson’s Volpone** is **Aristophanes**.
997. **Kipling’s “the white man’s Burden”** is addressed to **The American imperial mission in the Philippines**.
998. Poetry: A Magazine of verse was founded by **Harriet Monroe in 1912**.
999. Who among the following was Chaucer’s contemporary? **John Gower**.
1000. “**Provincializing Europe**” is a concept propounded by **Dipesh Chakravarty**.
1001. The earliest tract on feminism is **Mary Wollstonecraft’s A Vindication of the Rights of woman**.
1002. Match the imaginary location with its creator
Emily Bronte-Egdon Heath, Lowood Parsonage-Charlotte Bronte, Thomas Hardy-Wessex, Charles Dickens- Coketown.
1003. Which Chaucerian text parodies **Dante’s The Divine Comedy**? **The House of Fame**.
1004. Which of the following is an example of homosexual fiction? **Maurice**.
1005. W.B.Yeats’ “**Easter 1916**” is a response to a **major political uprising**.
1006. William Empson’s Seven Types of Ambiguity is an analysis of **poetic ambivalence**.
1007. Who among the following is associated with the ideology of Utilitarianism? **J.S.Mill**.
1008. The ‘Condition of England’ literature refers to The literature of England depicting the vulnerably of **labour classes**.
1009. Philip Sidney wrote An apology for Poetry in immediate response to **Stephen Gosson’s The school of abuse**.
1010. Silence! The Court is in Session (Vijay Tendulkar) is a Marathi play translated into **English**.
1011. Arrange the following in ascending order in terms of size: **epigram, stanza, sonnet, epic**.
1012. “Fail I alone in words and deeds?/ Why, all men strive and who succeeds?” These lines are from **The Last Ride Together (Robert Browning)**.
1013. **Dr.Johnson’s “the Vanity of Human Wishes”** expresses **Cynicism**.
1014. ‘A trivial comedy for serious people’ was the subtitle for **The Importance of Being Earnest (Oscar Wilde)**.
1015. Which famous elegy closes with the following lines?

“In the deserts of the heart/ Let the healing fountain start,/ In the prison of his days,/ Teach the free man how to praise.” **In Memory of W.B.Yeats (W.H.Auden).**

1016. **The Temple** is a collection of poems by **George Herbert.**
1017. Ben Jonson’s comedies are **Volpone, The Alchemist, Epicone.**
1018. What is ‘L’ Allegro’s companion piece called? **Il Penseroso.** (L’ Allegro- the happy man, Il penseroso- the melancholy man)
1019. Match the character with the novel
Caddy- The Sound and the Fury (William Faulkner)
Lennie- Of Mice and Men (John Steinbeck)
Jake Barnes- The Sun also Rises (Ernest Hemingway)
Tommy Wilhelm- Seize the Day (Saul Bellow)
1020. Who are all belong to the American Beat Movement? **Allen Ginsberg, Herbert Hunckle, Burroughs, Lucien Carr, Jack Kerouac.**
1021. **“The Lost Generation”** is a name applied to the disillusioned intellectuals and aesthetes of the years following the First World War. Who called them “The Lost Generation”? **Gertrude Stein.**
1022. Hyperbole is **an extravagant exaggeration, a figure of speech.**
1023. **“Imagined Communities”** is a concept propounded by **Benedict Anderson.**
1024. The New Historicists include **Greenblatt, Montrose, Goldberg.**
1025. **Wallace Stevens’ “The Man with the Blue Guitar”** (33 sections) may be linked to the work of the following artist: **Picasso’s painting (the Old Guitarist).**
1026. The author of **Gender Trouble** is **Judith Butler.**
1027. The structural analysis of signs was practiced by **Roland Barthes.**
1028. Which of the following is a spoof of a Gothic Novel? **Northanger Abbey (Jane Austen).**
1029. The **“madwoman in the attic”** is a specific reference to **Bertha Mason of Jane Eyre (Charlotte Bronte).**
1030. What is the correct chronological sequence of the following? **Moll Flanders (Defoe), Pamela (Richardson), Joseph Andrews (Fielding), Tristram Shandy (Sterne).**
1031. “How can what an Englishman believes be heresy? It is a contradiction in terms.” This means **An Englishman doesnot know what heresy is, And, Therefore, there is no question of his heresy.**
1032. Which of the following is an essentially Freudian concept? **The Absurd.**

1033. He wrote an essay called "**Conrad's Darkness**" where he praises the earlier writer for offering him a vision of the world's "**half-made societies**". Identify the writer. **V.S.Naipaul**.
1034. "**Magic Realism**" is closely associated with **Italo Calvino**. (Gunter Grass, Benhard, Peter Handke, John Fowles, Angela Carter, John Banville, Tournier, Giannina Braschi, Willem Brakman, Louis Ferron)
1035. Who among the following combines' anthropology, history and fiction? **Mulk Raj Anand**.
1036. Which of the following are partition novels? **Train to Pakistan, Sunlight on a Broken Column, The Shadow Lines**.
1037. Which of the following options is correct? **Transcendentalism was a philosophical and literary movement. Among the major texts of Transcendentalist thought are the essays of Emerson, Thoreau's Walden and the writings of Margaret Fuller**.
1038. The epithet "**a comic epic in prose**" is best applied to **Fielding's Tom Jones**.
1039. **Muriel Spark** has written a dystopian novel called **The Prime of Miss Jean Brodie**.
1040. Samuel Butler's Erehwon is an example of **Utopian Literature**.
1041. The line "**moments of unageing intellect**" occurs in **Yeats's Sailing to Byzantium**.
1042. In his 1817 review of Coleridge's Biographia Literaria, **Francis Jeffrey** grouped the following poets together as the 'Lake School of Poets': **Wordsworth, Coleridge and Southey**.
1043. Which of the following novels are by Patrick White? **The Vivisector, The Tree of Man, Voss**.
1044. The famous line "... where ignorant armies clash by night" is taken from a poem by **Mathew Arnold**.
1045. Which of the following novels are written by **Margaret Atwood**? **Surfacing, The Blind assassin, The Handmaid's tale**.
1046. The term '**theatre of cruelty**' was coined by **Antonin Artaud**.
1047. The verse form of **Byron's Childe Harold** was influenced by **Spenser**.
1048. Tennyson's Ulysses is a poem expressing the **need for going forward and braving the struggles of life, a dramatic monologue**.
1049. Which post-war British poet was involved in a disastrous marriage with **Sylvia Plath**? **Ted Hughes**.
1050. Chaucer's Parliament of Fowls is in part a **puzzle, a debate, a beast fable**.
1051. Who among the following wrote a book with the title the **Age of reason**? **Thomas Paine**.
1052. The Restoration comedy has been criticized mainly for **its indecency and permissiveness**.

1053. **Ideology and Ideological State Apparatuses** is an essay by **Louis Althusser**.
1054. **Sexual Possessiveness** is a theme of **Shakespeare's A Midsummer Night's Dream**.
1055. The term '**Cultural Materialism**' is associated with **Raymond Williams**.
1056. Which of the following author-book pair is correctly matched? **Doris Lessing- The Grass is Singing**.
1057. Who among the following is a Canadian critic? **Northrop Frye**.
1058. Sethe is a character in **Beloved (Toni Morrison)**.
1059. Which of the following plays are written by **Wole Soyinka**? **The Lion and the Jewel, The Dance of the Forests, Kongi's Harvest**.
1060. Which of the following plays by **William Wycherley** is in part and adaptation of **Moliere's The Misanthrope? The Plain Dealer**.
1061. 'Inversion' is the change in the word order for creating rhetorical effect, e.g. this book I like. Another term for inversion is **Hyperbation**.
1062. The phrase '**the willing suspension of disbelief**' occurs in **Biographia Literaria (Coleridge)**.
1063. The religious movement Methodism in the 18th century England was founded by **John Wesley**.
1064. **My First Acquaintance with Poets**, an unforgettable account of meeting with meeting with literary heroes, is written by **William Hazlitt**.
1065. The figure of the Warrior Virgin in **Spenser's Faerie queene** is represented by the character **Britomart**.
1066. The book **Speech acts** is written by **John Searle**.
1067. Which are the following are the sonnet sequences? **Philip Sydney- Astrophel and Stella, Samuel Daniel- Delia, D.G.Rossetti- the House of Life**.
1068. '**Incunabula**' refers to books published before the year **1501**.
1069. The most notable achievement in Jacobean prose was **King James' translation of the Bible**.
1070. **The Court of Chancery** is a setting in **Dickens' Bleak House**.
1071. Which poet coined the famous phrase '**spots of time**'? **William Wordsworth**.
1072. The statement 'I think, therefore, I am' is by **Descartes**.
1073. Which is the correct sequence of publication of **Pinter's Plays**? **The Room, The Homecoming, No Man's Land, One for the Road**.
1074. Johnson's Dictionary of the English Language was published in the year **1755**.
1075. The literary prize, **Booker of Bookers**, was awarded to **Salman Rushdie**.

1076. In Keats' poetic career, the most productive year was **1819**.
1077. **Pope's the Rape of the lock** was published in 1712 in **two cantos**.
1078. **Stephen Dedalus** is a fictional character associated with a **Portrait of the Artist as a young Man, Ulysses (James Joyce)**.
1079. In **Moby Dick or The Whale** (white whale) Captain Ahab (captain of the whaling ship **Pequod**) falls for his
1080. The first complete printed English bible was produced by **Miles Coverdale**.
1081. **Elizabeth Gaskell's** novel **Mary Barton** is sub-titled **A Tale of Manchester Life**.
1082. Some of the Jacobean playwrights were prolific. One of them claimed to have written 200 plays. The playwright is **Thomas Heywood**.
1083. The character Ahab was created under the influence of **S.T.Coleridge's lecture on Hamlet. (Biblical & classical figures such as Shakespeare, Milton)**.
1084. The concept of '**Star-equilibrium**' in connection with man-woman relationship appears in **Women in Love (D.H.Lawrence)**.
1085. Jeremy Collier's A Short View of the Immortality and Profaneness of the English stage attacked among others. **William Congreve**.
1086. The Crystal Palace, A key exhibit of the Great Exhibition, was designed by **Joseph Paxton**.
1087. Influence of the Indian Philosophy is seen in the writings of **T.S.Eliot**.
1088. In which of his voyages, Gulliver discovered mountain-like beings? **The Land of the Lilliputians**.
1089. **Patrick white's Voss** is a novel about the **landscape**.
1090. Opening line "**Call me Ishmael**" occurs in **Herman Melville's Moby- Dick** (book is dedicated to Nathaniel Hawthorne- in token of admiration for his genius).
1091. Although Nobel Laureate Seamus Heaney writes in English, in voice and subject matter, his poems are **Irish**.
1092. To whom is **Mary Shelley's** famous work **Frankenstein (The Modern Prometheus)** dedicated? **William Godwin**.
1093. Which among the following poems by **Philip Larkin** records his impressions while travelling to London by train? **The Whitsun Wedding**.
1094. The English satirist used the sharp edge of praise to attack his victims was **John Donne**.
1095. One of the most famous movements of direct address to the reader - "Reader, I married him"- occurs in **Charlotte Bronte's Jane Eyre**.
1096. Langland's Piers Plowman is a satire on **clergy**.
1097. **J.M.Barrie's** character **Captain Hook** (antagonist in Peter Pan or the Boy who wouldn't

- grow up) obsessed not with a whale but a **crocodile**.
1098. Which of the following thinker-concept pair is correctly matched? **Jacques Derrida-Deconstruction**.
1099. **Sexual jealousy** is a theme in **Shakespeare's Othello**.
1100. The title, **The New Criticism**, published in 1941, was written by **John Crowe Ransom**.
1101. Which of the following are Revenge Tragedies? **The White Devil, The Duchess of Malfi, The Spanish Tragedy**.
1102. Who of the following playwrights rejects the Aristotelian concept of tragic play as imitation of reality? **G.B.Shaw**.
1103. The Label 'Diasporic Writer' can be applied to **Meena Alexander, Kiran Desai**.
1104. The letter 'A' in The Scarlet Letter stands for **Adultry, Able**.
1105. A monosyllabic rhyme on the final stressed of two lines of verse is called **masculine rhyme**.
1106. A fatwa was issued in Salman Rushdie's name following the publication of **Midnight's Children**
1107. "There is nothing outside the text" is a key statement emanating to **deconstruction**.
1108. The Augustan Age is called so because **The English writers imitated the Roman writers during this period**.
1109. One of the important texts of Angry Young Man Movement is **Lucky Jim by Kingsley Amis**.
1110. Whom does Alexander Pope satirise in the portrait of Sporus? **Lord Harvey**.
1111. The hero of Marlowe's Tamburlaine was born as a **shepherd**.
1112. In a letter to his brother George in September 1819, John Keats had this to say about a fellow romantic poet: "He describes what he sees- I describe what I imagine - Mine is the hardest task." The poet under reference is **Byron**.
1113. A sequence of repeated consonantal sounds in a stretch of language is **alliteration**.
1114. Reformation was predominantly a movement **in religion**.
1115. English Iambic Pentameter was brought to its first maturity in **sonnet**.
1116. Who among the following are the members of Bloomsbury Group? **Lytton Strachey, Clive Bell, E.M.Forster**.
1117. The concept of human mind as tabula rasa or blank tablet was propounded by **John Locke**.
1118. The terms '**resonance**' and '**wonder**' are associated with **Stephen Greenblatt**.
1119. The rhetorical pattern used by Chaucer in The Prologue to Canterbury Tales is **ottava rima**.
1120. Charles Darwin's Origin of the Species was published in the year **1859**.

1121. Who of the following is the author of *Juno and the Paycock*? **Sean O'casey**.
1122. "Silverman has never read Browning." This is an example of **metonymy**.
1123. The term '**Intentional Fallacy**' is first used by **Wimsatt and Beardsley**.
1124. "Recessional: A Victorian Ode", Kipling's well-known poem. **Laments the end of an Era, marks a new commitment to scientific knowledge, expresses the sincerity of his religious devotion**.
1125. Who among the following are the Restoration playwrights? **William Congreve, Wycherley, George Etherge**.
1126. Which famous Romantic poem begins with the line: 'Hail to thee, blithe spirit!/ Bird thou never wert'? **To a Skylark**.
1127. Who among the following Victorian poets disliked his middle name? **D.G.Rossetti**.
1128. Aston is a character in **Pinter's The Caretaker**.
1129. Byron's English Bards and Scottish reviewers are about the **survey of English poetry, evangelism in English poetry**.
1130. Which Eliotian character utters the question-"Do I eat a peach"? **Prufrock**.
1131. Which among the following works by Daniel Defoe landed him in prison and the pillory? **Moll Flanders**.
1132. About which nineteenth century English writer was it said that "He had succeeded as a writer not by conforming to the Spirit of the Age, but in opposition to it"? **Lord Byron on Coleridge**.
1133. The Restoration comedy, **The Double Dealer** was written by **Congreve**.
1134. The Chief exponents of the "**Magic Realism**" are **Salman Rushdie, Alice Hoffman**.
1135. Little Nell is a character in **Dickens' The Old Curiosity Shop**.
1136. Who, among the following Indian writers in English, has created an identifiable imagined locale? **R.K.Narayan (Malgudi)**.
1137. Who among the following are the formalistic critics? **Allen Tate, Cleanth Brooks, William Empson (New Criticism)**.
1138. Who among the following Marlovian characters is consumed by greed? **Barabas (The Jew of Malta by Marlowe)**.
1139. The plan of Arthurian stories has influenced the composition of **Tennyson's Idylls**.
1140. There are two lists given below. Match the following.
**Patrick White- Australia, Nadine Gordimer- South Africa
Margaret Atwood-Canada, Keri Hulme- new Zealand.**

1141. The rhyme scheme of the **Spenserian sonnet** is **abab bcbc cdcd ee**
1142. A **Shakespearean sonnet** has the following rhyme scheme **abab cdcd efef gg**.
1143. “The future of poetry is immense, because in poetry ... our race, as time goes on, will find an ever surer and surer stay.” – This claim for poetry is made in **Arnold’s The study of Poetry**.
1144. Which of the following are about dystopia? **Orwell’s 1984, Huxley’s Brave New World, Golding’s Lord of the Flies**.
1145. Arrange the following stages in a sequence in which all Shakespearean tragedies are structured. Use the code given below: **Exposition, Conflict, Climax, Denouement**.
1146. The term ‘**curtal sonnet**’ was coined by **Gerald Manley Hopkins (Pied beauty, peace, Ash Boughs)**.
1147. The author of the pamphlet **Short view of Immorality and Profaneness of the English Stage (1698)** was **Jeremy Collier**.
1148. Identify the plays written by Oscar Wilde: **A Woman of no importance, The importance of being Earnest, An Ideal husband**.
1149. Put the following novels by Charles Dickens in a sequential order with the help of the code: **Bleak House, Hard Times, a Tale of two cities, Great Expectations**.
1150. **Thomas Kyd’s the Spanish Tragedy** was influenced by **Seneca**.
1151. In its final published version, **Eliot’s The Waste Land** contains a total of **433 lines. (434 lines)**
1152. **Jean Rhys’s Wide Sargasso Sea** is set in **The Carribbean**.
1153. Hamlet, lying wounded, says to his friend, “Horatio, I am dead.” This is an example of **prolepsis**.
1154. **The Castle of Otranto** is an example of **Gothic fiction**.
1155. “**The city of Dreadful Night**” a long poem depicting the late Victorian sense of gloom and despondency, is written by **James Thomson**.
1156. Which of the following novels by V.S.Naipaul is set in Africa and carries echoes of Joseph Conrad? **A Bend in the River**.
1157. In *The Rape of the Lock*, Belinda’s lapdog is named **Shock**.
1158. *You Can’t Do Both* is a novel by **Kingsley Amis**.
1159. The character, **Nathan Zuckerman**, is associated with the fiction of **Philip Roth**.
1160. Plato ensured poetry because he believed it distorts **reality**.
1161. Which of the following Tennyson poems is a dramatic monologue? **Tithonus**.

1162. The character **Giovanni** features in one of the following texts: **John Ford's 'Tis Pity she's a Whore.**
1163. Which of the following poems features the phrase, "the still, sad music of humanity"? **Tintern Abbey.**
1164. **Molly Bloom** is a character in **James Joyce's Ulysses.**
1165. Eliot uses the term "**objective correlative**" in his essay **Hamlet.**
1166. **Seamus Heaney** was awarded the Nobel Prize for literature in the year **1995.**
1167. The pamphlet on the Irish condition, "**An Address to the Irish people**" was composed by **P.B.Shelley.**
1168. Which of the following arrangements of English novels is in correct chronological sequence? **Kim, Sons and Lovers, A Passage to India, Brave New World.**
1169. "**Verses on the Death of Dr.Swift**" is written by **Jonathan Swift.**
1170. **Widowers' Houses** was written by **G.B.Shaw.**
1171. Who among the following Marxist critics has reconsidered the classic problem of 'base and superstructure' in relation to literature? **Raymond Williams.**
1172. "**Heteroglossia**" refers to the juxtaposition of **multiple voices in a text.**
1173. **Margaret Drabble** is the author of **The Witch of Exmoor.**
1174. **Mac Flecknoe** is an attack on Dryden's literary rival, **Thomas Shadwell.**
1175. Eighteenth century writers used satire frequently for **attacking human vices and follies.**
1176. **Byron's "The Vision of Judgement"** is a satire directed against **Robert Southey.**
1177. **Tom Paine's The Rights of Man** was published in **1791.**
1178. **Andrew Marvell's "An Horatian Ode upon Cromwell's Return from Ireland"** was written in **1650.**
1179. "**The Rime of Ancient Mariner**" is about **the guilt and expiation of the Ancient mariner.**
1180. "**To Daffodils**" is a poem, written by **William Wordsworth.**
1181. Which of the following novels reconstructs the historical events of the Indian Mutiny? **The Siege of Krishnapur (J.G.Farrell).**
1182. "**England, my England**" is a poem by **W.E.Henley.**
1183. Shelley was expelled from the Oxford University due to the publication of **The Necessity of atheism.**
1184. Poems Descriptive of Rural Life and scenery is written by **John Clare.**
1185. Hemingway's novel A Farewell to Arms is divided into **five books.**

1186. "Panopticism" is the title of a chapter in a well-known book by **Michel Foucault**.
1187. The lines, "She was a worthy woman al hir lyve:/ Housbondes at cherche dore she hadde five", are an example of **heroic couplet**.
1188. Who, among the following women writers, famously imagined the plight of Shakespeare's sister? **Virginia Woolf**.
1189. Read the following statement and the reason given for it. Choose the right response.
Assertion (A): Dicken's novels are called 'Newgate Novels'.
Reason (R): They are called so, because Dickens adulates in these novels the careers and adventures of criminals.
Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation.
1190. Who among the following writers does not belong to the group, the University wits? **Thomas Kyd**.
1191. Which of the following characters of **Webster's The White Devil** utters the memorable words:
Oft gay honour'd robes those tortures try:
We think cag'd birds sing, when indeed they cry. – **Flamineo**.
1192. "All great literature is, at bottom, a criticism of life" – This statement is attributed to **Mathew Arnold**.
1193. Who are all Jewish-American novelists? **J.D.Salinger, William Faulkner, Philip Roth**.
1194. Which among the following plays by Christopher Marlowe has epic features? **Tamburlaine**.
1195. Sir Fopling is a character in **Etherge's The Man of Mode**.
1196. Who famously said, "Three or four families in a Country Village is the very thing to work on"? **Jane Austen**.
1197. Ikemefuna is a character in the novel **Things Fall Apart (Chinua Achebe)**.
1198. A foot consisting of a strong syllable followed by a weak syllable is called **Trochee**.
1199. What is it that Chaucer focuses on in the depiction of the Wife of Bath in The Canterbury Tales? **Defiance**.
1200. Who is the nurse of Cleopatra in Shaw's Caesar and Cleopatra? **Ftataetea**.
1201. Put the following books of Pope in a sequence of publication. **An Essay on Criticism, The Rape of the Lock, The Dunciad, An Essay on Man**.
1202. Dinah Morris is a character in **George Eliot's novel Adam Bede**.
1203. The Booker Prize is awarded by a panel of judges to **the best novel by a citizen of the British Commonwealth or the Republic of Ireland**.
1204. The Unfortunate Traveller or The Life of Jacke Wilton has been authored by **Thomas Nashe**.

1205. Who are all the practitioners of Jacobean tragedy? **John Marston, John Webster, Thomas Middleton.**
1206. The author of Nation and narration is **Homi Bhabha.**
1207. Which of the following novels has a great impact on the formal experimentation in contemporary fiction? **Laurence Sterne's Tristram Shandy.**
1208. Which of the following books is by **Margaret Atwood? The Stone Angel.**
1209. The expression "murderous innocence" is an example of **Oxymoron.**
1210. Read the following statement and the reason given for it. Choose the right response:
Assertion (A): Othello killed Desdemona.
Reason (R): Because Desdemona committed infidelity.
A is true but R is false.
1211. The Enlightenment believed in the universal authority of **Reason.**
1212. Which of the following poem by Keats uses the Spenserian stanza? **The Eve of St. Agnes.**
1213. Match the following authors with their respective works.
**Oliver Goldsmith- the Vicar of Wakefield, John Gay- The Beggar's Opera
Samuel Johnson-The Vanity of Human Wishes,
Sheridan-She stoops to Conquer.**
1214. Put the following novels of George Eliot in a sequential order: **Romola, Middlemarch, Felix Holt, the Radical, Daniel Derondo.**
1215. Who, among the following writers, is known for his unforgettable sense of humour and comedy? **John Galsworthy.**
1216. Which of the following are apocalyptic novels? **Doris Lessing's The Four-Gated City, L.P.Hartley's Facial Justice, V.S.Naipaul's A House for Mr.Biswas.**
1217. Identify the author of the following lines:
Let sea-discoverers to new worlds have gone
Let Maps to other, worlds on worlds have shown
Let us possess one world, each hath one, and is one.
– **John Donne.**
1218. In the summer of 1712, The spectator published a series of essays on "**The Pleasures of Imagination,**" written by **Joseph Addison.**
1219. Read the following statement and the reason given for it.
Assertion (A): Gulliver's Travels earned Jonathan Swift the bad name of being a misanthrope.
Reason (R): Swift in the novel was neutral to the image of man.
Both A and R are true, but R is not the correct explanation.
1220. Who, amongst the following, does not belong to the 'Great Tradition', enunciated by **F.R.Leavis? James Joyce.**

1221. **Isaac Bashevis Singer** is an **American-Jewish writer**.
1222. **Samuel Beckett's Waiting for Godot** has **two acts**.
1223. **James Joyce's Exiles** is a **play**.
1224. "It was a bright cold day in April and the clocks were striking thirteen"- is the opening sentence of **Nineteen Eighty-Four**.
1225. The subtitle of **William Godwin's Caleb Williams** is **Things As They Are**.
1226. Who amongst the following belongs to the group of radical feminists? **Helene Cixous**.
1227. "**On the Knocking at the Gate in Macbeth**" is a longer essay by **Thomas De Quincey**.
1228. The expression, "**dreaming house**" is an example of **Transferred epithet**.
1229. The term '**Practical Criticism**' is coined by **I.A.Richards**.
1230. **Victor Shklovsky's** name is associated with **Russian Formalism**.
1231. To refer to the unresolvable difficulties a text may open up, derrida makes use of the term **aporia**.
1232. Who, among the following English playwrights, scripted the film Shakespeare in Love? **Tom Stoppard**.
1233. Arrange the following in the chronological order: **Percy's Reliques of Ancient English Poetry, French Revolution, Mary Wollstonecraft's A**

Vindication of the Rights of Women, Lyrical Ballads.

1234. Which of the following employs a narrative structure in which the main action is relayed at second hand through an enclosing frame story? **Heart of Darkness (Conrad)**.
1235. The Irish Dramatic Movement was heralded by such figures as **W.B.Yeats, Lady Gregory and Edward Martyn**.
1236. Which poem of Chaucer was written on the **death of Blanche**, Wife of John of Gaunt? **The Book of Duchess**.
1237. **The tragedy of Ferrex and Porrex** is the other title of **Gorboduc (Norton & Sackville)**.
1238. Who of the following poets is Australian? **Judith Wright**.
1239. "He found it (English) brick and left it marble", remarked one great writer on another. Who were they? **Johnson on Dryden**.
1240. Match the following:
Because I could not stop for death...- Emily Dickinson
O Captain! My Captain! - Walt Whitman
Two roads diverged in a wood ... - Robert Frost
So much depends upon - William Carlos Williams
1241. The predominant tone and thrust of Jonathan Swift's "A Modest Proposal" are **irony**.

1242. I sit in one of the *dives* / On Fifty second Street, / Uncertain and afraid/ As the clever hopes expire/ Of a low dishonest decade. So begins Auden's "September 1, 1939". What is the meaning of the word in italics? **Night club.**
1243. C.K. Ogden and I.A.Richards were reputed in the 1930s for introducing **Basic English Project.**
1244. In which of the following works does Mrs.Malaprop appear? **The Rivals.**
1245. Which of the following statements about Marlowe are true?
Edward II was written in the last year of Marlowe's life.
Many critics consider Doctor Faustus to be Marlowe's best play.
1246. "Art for art's Sake" became a rallying cry for the **Aesthetes.**
1247. Which of the statement about the Canterbury Tales is true?
"The General Prologue' is appended to The Canterbury Tales.
1248. Who among the following, was a catholic novelist, an intelligence officer, a film critic and set his fictions in far-away places wrecked by political conflicts? **Graham Greene.**
1249. In which of the following travel books does **Mark Twain** give an account of his visit to India? **Following the Equator.**
1250. William Blake's famous poems such as 'London', 'The Sick Rose', and 'The Tyger' appear in **Songs of Experience.**
1251. Match the following
Good sense is the body of poetic genius- **Biographia Literaria (Coleridge)**
Poetry is the breath and a finer spirit of all knowledge- **Preface to Lyrical Ballads (Wordsworth)**
Literary criticism is a description and evaluation of its object- **The Formalist Critic (Brooks)**
Nature never set forth the earth in as rich a tapestry as diverse poets have done- **Defence/ An Apology for poetry (Sidney)**
1252. Who among the following English artists illustrated the novels of Dickens and Scott? **George Cruishank.**
1253. The last of Gulliver's Travels is to **The Land of the Houyhnhnms.**
1254. Madam Merle is a character in **The Portrait of a Lady (Henry James).**
1255. In which of the following scenes of The Waste Land do we have a departure from Standard English? **The Pub Scene.**
1256. The words "If it were done when tis done, then twere well/ It were done quickly ..." are uttered by **Macbeth.**
1257. John Dryden's Absalom and Achitophel is a **political allegory.**

1258. The term 'the comedy of menace' is associated with the early plays of **Harold Pinter**.
1259. Examine the following statements and identify which are true? **Rudyard Kipling died in the year 1936, He was born in India but schooled in England, He is the author of Jungle Book and Barrack Room Ballads.**
1260. What is the correct combination of the following?
Balachandra Rajan- The Dark Dancer
R.K.Narayan- The Dark Room
Kamala Markandaya- The Coffin Dams
Romen Basu- The Tamarind Tree
1261. Name the poet who chooses his successor and the successor-poet whom Dryden satirizes in his famous poem. **Richard Flecknoe and Thomas Shadwell.**
1262. "If ___ comes, can ___ be far behind?" (Shelley, "Ode to the West Wind") **winter, spring.**
1263. The following passages are the very first lines of well-known works. Match the lines and the works:
 Let us go then, you and I- **The Love Song of J.Alfred Prufrock**
 Call me Ishmael ... - **Moby Dick or the Whale**
 When shall we three meet again? – **Macbeth**
 He disappeared in the dead of winter – **In Memory of W.B.Yeats**
 I wish either ... begot me ... - **Tristram Shandy**
1264. Which of the following are revenge tragedies? **Hamlet- Shakespeare, The Duchess of Malfi- Webster, Gorboduc- Norton & Sackville.**
1265. What is a neologism? **A word newly coined or used in a new sense.**
1266. Which of the following are true of Edward Said's Orientalism? **Makes use of Foucault's concept of discursive formulation, Is one of the founding texts of Postcolonial theory, Utilises the Gramscian notion of hegemony.**
1267. Thomas Love Peacock classified poetry into 4 periods. They are **iron, gold, silver and brass.**
1268. Which among the novels has more than one ending? **The French Lieutenant's Woman by John Fowles.**
1269. "You have seen how a man was made a slave; you shall see how a slave was made a man" is an example of **Chiasmus.**
1270. Which of the following statements are correct?
Chaucer used the rhyme royal, a stanzaic form in some of his major poems.
Chaucer was the author of The Legend of Good Women
Chaucer wrote in English when the court poetry of his day was written in Anglo-Norman and Latin.
1271. Material feminism studies inequality in terms of **both class and gender.**

1272. Who are the following are Irish writers?
Oscar Wilde, Oliver Goldsmith, Edmund Burke.
1273. Entries in The Diary of Samuel Pepys begin after **The Restoration.**
1274. In a poem, a line may either be end-stopped or **run-on.**
1275. Which of the following poets wrote the essay “**Naipaul’s India and Mine**”? **Nissim Ezekiel.**
1276. Match the following:
James Joyce – Richard Ellman
T.S.Eliot – Peter Ackroyd
Life of Johnson – James Boswell
Lives of Poets – Samuel Johnson
1277. “The pen is mightier than the sword” is an example of **metonymy.**
1278. An epilogue is suffixed to a text which **it sums up or extends.**
1279. Identify the works belong to the 18th c literature. **Gulliver’s Travels, The Spectator, An Epistle to Dr. Arbuthnot.**
1280. The period of Queen Victoria’s reign is **1837-1901.**
1281. Which of the following statements about The Lyrical Ballads are true?
It carried only one ballad proper, which was Coleridge’s The Rime of the Ancient Mariner.
It also carried pastoral and other poems.
It carried a ‘Preface’ which Wordsworth added in 1800.
1282. One of the following texts was published earlier than 1955. Identify the text. **William Empson- Collected Poems.**
(William Golding- The Inheritors, Philip Larkin- the Less deceived, Samuel Beckett- Waiting for Godot-1955).
1283. Who among the poets in England during the 1930s had left-leaning tendencies? **W.H.Auden, Louis MacNeice, Cecil Day Lewis.**
1284. Match the following:
The Sage of Concord – R.W.Emerson
The Nun of Amherst – Emily Dickinson
Mark Twain – Samuel L.Clemens
Old Possum – T.S.Eliot
1285. Name the theorist who divided poets into ‘strong’ and ‘weak’ and popularized the practice of misreading: **Harold Bloom.**
1286. In **The Rape of the Lock** repeatedly compares **Belinda to the sun.**
1287. Which of the following awards are given to Indian- English writers? **The Booker Prize, The Sahitya Akademi Award, Whitbread Prize.**
1288. Identify the correct statement below:
Gorboduc is a tragedy, while Ralph Roister Doister and Gammer Gurton’s Needle are comedies.
1289. **W.M.Thackeray’s Vanity Fair** owes its title to **Bunyan’s Pilgrim’s Progress.**

1290. The Puritans shut down all theatres in England in **1642**.
1291. Who of the following were **contemporary of Wordsworth and Coleridge**? **Robert Southey, Sir Walter Scott, William Hazlitt**.
1292. **The Bloomsbury Group** included British intellectuals, critics, writers and artists. Who among the following belonged to the Bloomsbury Group? **John Maynard Keynes, Lytton Strachey, E.M.Forster, Roger Fry, Clive Bell**.
1293. In **Dryden's Essay of Dramatic Poesy (1668)**, who opens the discussion on behalf of ancients? **Crites**.
1294. The term invective refers to the abusive writing or speech in which there is harsh denunciation of **some person or thing**.
1295. Which of the following novels depicts the plight of the Bangladeshi immigrants in East London? **Brick Lane**.
1296. The year 1939 proved to be a crucial year for two important writers in England. Identify the correct phrase below: **for Yeats who died, for Auden who left England for the U.S**.
1297. In which of the following texts do Aston, Davies and Mick appear as characters? **Harold Pinter's The Caretaker**.
1298. The Enlightenment was characterized by a belief in the universal authority of **reason and emphasis on scientific experimentation**.
1299. Which Shakespearean play contains the line: "... there is a special providence in the fall of a sparrow"? **Hamlet**.
1300. What is common to the following writers? Identify the correct description below: **William Congreve, George Etherge, William Wycherley, Thomas Otway- All of these were Restoration playwrights**.
1301. Match the following pairs of books and authors:
Condition of the Working class in England- Friedrich Engels
London Labour and the London Poor- Henry Mayhew
Past and Present- Thomas Carlyle
Unto this Last- John Ruskin
1302. In which Jane Austen novel do you find the characters **Anne Elliott, Lady Russell, Louisa Musgrove** and **Captain Wentworth**? **Persuasion**.
1303. In which of his essays does **Homi Bhabha** discuss the '**discovery**' of English in colonial India? **Signs taken for Wonders**.
1304. ___ was the first Sonnet sequence in English. **Edmund Spenser's Amoretti**.
1305. Which is the correct sequence of the novels of **V.S.Naipaul**? **The Mystic masseur- The Suffrage of Elvira, Miguel Street- A House for Mr.Biswas**.
1306. "**Kubla Khan**" takes an epigraph from **Samuel Purchas' Purchas His Pilgrimage**.

1307. Which among the following titles set a course for academic literary feminism? **A Room of One's Own.**
1308. In which play do we see a reworking of **E.M.Forster's A Passage to India** as a cameo? **Indian Ink.**
1309. Which of the following poems uses terza rima? **P.B.Shelley's Ode to the West Wind.**
1310. When one says that "someone is no more" or that "someone has breathed his/her last", the speaker is resorting to **Euphemism.**
1311. Which of the following are "companion poems"? **L'Allegro and Il Penseroso.**
1312. What does the term episteme signify? **Knowledge.**
1313. Which of the following is a better definition of an image in literary writing? **A speaking picture.**
1314. Whom did Keats regard as the prime example of 'negative capability'? **William Shakespeare.**
1315. Charles Dickens's A Tale of Two Cities begins with the sentence: **It was the best of times, it was the worst of times.**
1316. The works of Gerard Manley Hopkins were published posthumously by **Robert Bridges.**
1317. Which of the following is the correct chronological sequence? **The Deserted Village- A Poison Tree- Ozymandias- The Blessed Damozel.**
1318. The term homology means a correspondence between two or more structures. Who of the following developed a theory of relations between literary works and social classes in terms of homologies? **Raymond Williams.**
1319. F.Turner's famous hypothesis is that **the Frontier has been the one great determinant of American civilization.**
1320. Which statement on the Spenserian stanza is accurate? **An eight-line stanza with six iambic feet followed by a ninth in iambic pentameter.**
1321. Match the following texts with their respective themes:
Aeropagitica (Milton) - The liberty for unlicensed printing
Leviathan (Hobbes) - Absolute sovereignty
Alexandria's Feast- (Dryden) - The power of music
The Way of the World (Congreve) - Fashion, courtship, seduction
1322. The preliminary version of James Joyce's Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man was called **Stephen Hero.**
1323. Which are the correct statements?
A pastiche is a mixture of themes, stylistic elements or subjects borrowed from other works.
It is distinguished from parody because not all parody is pastiche.
1324. ___ the very word is like a bell

To toll me back from thee to my sole self!" Which word? Forlorn.

In Poems like "The Altar" and "easter Wings" ____ exploits ____.

1325. No, no thou hast not felt the lapse of hours!
'Tis that repeated shoks, again, again,
Exhaust the energy of strongest souls
And numb the elastic powers ...
Who does the poet address here? **The Scholar Gipsy.**
1326. The roman a clef (French for "novel with a key") uses **contemporary historical figures as its chief characters. They are of course given fictional names. One example is Aldous Huxley's Point Counter point. Its mark Rampion is modeled on D.H.Lawrence.**
1327. She was a worthy woman al hir lyve,
Housbondes at cirche-dore she hadde five
In the 'Prologue' Chaucer represents the **Wife of Bath** as:
Crude and vulgar, outspoken and boastfully licentious, Bubbling with vitality.
1328. The novel tells the story of twin brothers, Waldo, the man of reason and intellect, and Arthur, the innocent half-wit, the way their lives are inextricably intertwined. Which is the novel? **The Solid Mandala.**
1329. Who are the members of Scriblerus Club?
Thomas Parnell, Alexander Pope, John Gay.

1330. ____ is a theological term brought into literary criticism by ____.

1331. ____ the Almighty Power
Hurled headlong flaming from th' Ethereal Sky,
With hideous ruin and combustion down
To bottomless perdition, there to dwell
In Adamantine Chains and penal Fire
Who durst defy th' Omnipotent to Arms.
(Paradise Lost, I)
Choose the appropriate word? **Him.**
1332. Which of the following works does not have a mad woman as a character in it? **The Mad woman in the attic.**
(The Yellow wallpaper, Jane Eyre, wide Sargasso Sea).
1333. Which of the following are quest narratives?
Shelley's Alastor, Byron's Manfred, Keats's Endymion.
1334. The novel has a scene where African American students are made to complete and fight with each other as they rush for the gold coins tossed on an electric blanket. Identify the novel.
Ralph Ellison- Invisible Man.
1335. **G.M.Hopkins's 'Windhover'** (semi romantic religious poem) is dedicated **To Christ our lord.**
1336. Match list I with list II according to the code given below:

Ted Hughes- ghost crabs, Seamus Heaney- The Otter, W.H.Auden- Prevent the Dog from barking with a juicy Bone, D.H.Lawrence- Snake.

1337. His cooks with long disuse their trade forgot
Cool was his kitchen, though his brains were hot.

Who is this character whose stinginess passed into a proverb? **Shimei.**

1338. “The story and the novel, the idea and the form, are the needle and thread, and I never heard of a guild of tailors who recommended the use of the thread without the needle, or the needle without the thread.” This famous passage describing the relation of idea to form is found in **Henry James, The Art of Fiction.**

1339. Identify the correctly matched set below:
The Norman Conquest- 1066, William Caxton and the introduction of printing- 1475, The King James Bible- 1611, Dr.Johnson’s English Dictionary- 1755.

1340. Leopold Bloom in Ulysses is a **jewish advertising agent.**

1341. “Late capitalism”, by which is meant accelerated technological development and the massive extension of intellectually qualified labour, was popularized by **Ernst Mandel.**

1342. Which of the following arrangements is in the correct chronological sequence? **Their Eyes were Watching God by Zora Neil Hurston- Native Son**

by Richard Wright- Invisible Man by Ralph Ellison- Another Country by James Balswin.

1343. Along the shore of silver streaming Thames ...
Sweet Thames! Run softly till I end my song.

(Spenser’s

Prothalamion)

Another poet fondly recalls these lines but cannot conceal their heavily ironic tone in **T.S.Eliot’s The Waste Land.**

1344. The tramp in Pinter’s first big hit, The Caretaker, often travels under an assumed name. It is **Bernard Jenkins.**

1345. Where odes Act I Scene I of William Congreve’s The Way of the World open? **A Chocolate-House.**

1346. While “a well-boiled icicle” for “a well-oiled bicycle” is an example of Spoonerism, someone saying “Congenital food” for ‘Continental food’ is an example of **Malapropism.**

1347. It is unimaginable that all the following events happened in one year:

1. Arthur Evans discovered the first European civilization; his excavations in Crete revealed a culture that was far older than either Attic Greece or Ancient Rome.
2. Sir Arthur Quiller-Couch published the Oxford book of English Verse.
3. Pablo Picasso stepped off the Barcelona train at Gare d’ Orsay, Paris.

4. Max Planck unveiled the Quantum Theory.
5. Hugo de Vries identified what would later come to be called genes.
6. Sigmund Freud published The Interpretation of Dreams.
7. Coca-cola arrived in Britain.

Identify the year- 1900.

1348. Brother to a Prince and fellow to a beggar if he be found worthy. This is the epigraph to **Rudyard Kipling's "the Man Who Would be the King"**.

1349. Robert Graves's 'In Broken Images' ends thus:

He in a new confusion of his understanding;
I in a new understanding of my confusion.

The figure of speech here is **Chiasmus**.

1350. The phrase "**leaves dancing**" is an example of **pathetic fallacy**.

1351. At the end of The Great Gatsby, the narrator Nick Carraway observes:

"They were careless people". Who were they?

Tom and Daisy.

1352. William Wordsworth's statement of purpose in publishing the Lyrical Ballads carries the following phrase. (Complete the phrase correctly). "to choose incidents from common life and to relate or describe them, throughout, as far as possible, **in a selection of language really used by men.**"

1353. **Lord Jim**- "He feels it himself and says often that he is 'preparing to leave all this; preparing to

leave ..', while he waves his hands sadly at his butterflies.

To the Lighthouse- 'It was done; it was finished. Yes, she thought laying down her brush in extreme fatigue, I have had my vision.'

A Passage to India- "No not yet," and the sky said, "No, not there".

A Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man- 'April 27. Old father, old artificer, stand me now and ever in good stead ...'

1354. Identify the correct descriptions of "Sprung Rhythm" from the following:

In Sprung Rhythm the feet are of equal length.

A foot may have one to four syllables in Sprung Rhythm.

Its metre is derived from the metre of Anglo-Saxon poetry which was based on accent and linked by alliteration.

1355. Who among the following proposes that the unconscious comes into being only in language?
Jacques Lacan.

1356. The Elizabethan Settlement established during the reign of Elizabeth I.

Ensured the supremacy of the Church of England. Allowed the extremer Protestants to be part of the Anglican church.

1357. Which of the following poems by Tennyson speak of old age and death? **The Lotus-Eaters, Ulysses, Tithonus.**

1358. One English poet addressing another:
 “Thy soul was like a star, and dwelt apart
 Thou hast a voice whose sound was like the sea:”
 Whose lines are these? To whom are they
 addressed? **William Wordsworth- John Milton.**
1359. Samuel Johnson’s Lives of the Poets (1781)
 was originally a series of introductions to the poets
 he wrote for a group of London publishers. They
 were collected as: **Prefaces, Biographical and
 Critical, to the Works of English Poets.**
1360. Which of the following are mentioned in
Northrop Frye’s four ‘generic plots’(Anatomy of
 Criticism)? **The comic, The tragic, The ironic, the
 mimetic.**
1361. Arrange the sections of The Waste Land in
 the order in which they appear in the poem: **The
 Burial of the Dead, A Game of Chess, The Fire
 Sermon, Death by Water, What the Thunder Said.**
1362. **Sir Plume** is a character in **Pope’s The Rape
 of the Lock.**
1363. Steeling herself to the murder, Lady Macbeth
 calls on **the spirits of hell** to “unsex me here”.
1364. You will find the following lines in an English
 poem:
 Thou by the Indian Ganges’ side
 Shouldst rubies find; I by the side
 Of humber would complain.
 Which poem? Who is the poet? **“To His Coy
 Mistress.” -Andrew Marvell.**
1365. Teach me half the gladness
 That thy brain must know,
 Such harmonious madness
 From my lips would flow
 The world should listen then, as I am
 listening now.
 Whose lines are these? To whom are they
 addressed? **P.B.Shelley- The Skylark.**
1366. Match the following.
 1. **Dombey and Son- Train**
 2. **The Return of the Native- Health**
 3. **Bleak House- Fog**
 4. **Tess- Mist**
1367. The following postmodernist novel has an
 unusual protagonist whose gender is not revealed.
 So much so, that we keep wondering whether that
 person’s relationships are **homo-/hetero-sexual:
 Written on the Body.**
1368. Which novel of Graham Greene in the
 following list end in some form of suicide by the
 protagonist? **The Heart of the Matter, Brighton
 Rock, The Power and the Glory.**
1369. Who among the following gave a happy
 ending to King Lear? **Nahum Tate.**
1370. Jane Austen’s Pride and Prejudice starts with
 the famous statement : “it is a truth universally
 acknowledged that a single man in possession of a
 good fortune must be in want of a life.” As we get to
 read the novel this statement seems to be made

from the point of view of: **the surrounding families, Mrs.Bennet, The women of Jane Austen's age and society.**

1371. Match the following
- Abt Volger – A Musician**
 - Andrea Del Sarto – An Artist**
 - Childe Ronald to the Dark Tower Came– A medieval Night**
 - Cleon – A Poet**
1372. All forms of feminism posit that: **The relationship between the sexes is one of inequality and oppression. Women need financial independence.**
1373. Which one of Brecht's works was intended to lampoon the conventional sentimental musical but the public lapped up the work's sentiment and missed the humour? **Three Penny Opera.**
1374. Ostensibly a musical treatise, The Anatomy of Melancholy is a reflection on human learning and endeavor published under the pseudonym. **Democritus Junior.**
1375. Horace Walpole's novel The Castle of Otranto tells the story of **an usurper and a tyrant who kills his own daughter by mistake.**
1376. In the Literature of Romanticism there was a widespread frustration with visions experienced in dreams, in nightmares and other altered states. The following list contains poems which illustrate this theme. Identify the works. **Kubla Khan,**

Confessions of an English Opium Eater, The Fall of Hyperion.

1377. A.S.Byatt in her famous award winning novel of 1990 contrasts past and present involving a search for a Victorian poet's past illuminating a contemporary university researcher's life and times. Which is the novel? **Possession.**
1378. Which of the following statements best describes J.M.Coetzee's Disgrace? **It is a complex narrative of sin and redemption which involves both White and Black South Africans.**
1379. Which of the following statements are true of Mahesh Dattani's Final Solutions? **The play centers around a middle class Hindu family during a communal riot. It challenges communalism. It promotes religious pluralism in South Africa.**
1380. According to Bhaktin the idea of the Carnavalesque represents the following characteristics: **a liberation from the prevailing truth and established order, emphasis on play, parody, pleasure and the body, the suspension of all hierarchical rank, principles, norms and prohibitions.**
1381. Which of the following statements are true of Patrick White? **He is remembered today for his epic and psychological narrative art. He is the only Australian to receive the Nobel Prize in literature. He pioneered a new fictional**

landscape and introduced a new continent in literature.

1382. Conventional scholarship dates 'Early Modern English' as beginning around **1500**.

1383. "Every demon carries within him unknown to himself, a tiny seed of self-destruction and goes up in thin air at the most unexpected moment." To which of R.K.Narayan's characters the above statement applies? **Vasu – Man Eater of Malgudi.**

1384. Which of the following are true of post-structuralism? **It seeks to undermine the idea that meaning pre-exists its linguistic expression. There can be no meaning which is not formulated and no language formulation reaches anywhere beyond language. There is no a-textual 'origin' of a text.**

1385. Which of the following statements are true of Wole Soyinka's *The Swamp Dwellers*? **It talks about the family, the extended family in the African society. It is confrontation between the traditional and modern society. It is a comment about the city, urban, modern era and the country rural, the swamp, the ancient.**

1386. Arrange the following English literary period: **Anglo Norman, Early Tutor, Elizabethan, Caroline.**

1387. Which of the following plays are written by Tagore? **Sacrifice, Chandalika, Muktheadhara.**

1388. Given below are two statements, one is labeled as Assertion (A) and the other labeled as Reason (R).

Assertion: A quarto refers to a text in which each leaf was a quarter the size of the original sheet.

Reason: Because eight pages of text were printed on large sheets of paper, which were then folded four times to produce four leaves.

(A) Is correct but (R) is wrong.

1389. The purpose of the Pre-Raphaelites was primarily to promote **simplicity and naturalness in art and literature.**

1390. Which of the following plays use the device of "the play within the play"? **Hamlet, The Spanish Tragedy, A Midsummer Night's dream.**

1391. Given below are two statements, one is labeled as Assertion (A) and the other labeled as Reason (R).

Assertion: In the absurd plays of Pinter and Beckett, lack of communication seems to be a predominant theme.

Reason: Existentialist philosophy had a tremendous influence on the dramatists of the period, nihilism and meaningless of life taking a front seat.

Both (A) and (R) are true and (R) is the correct explanation of (A).

1392. Which of the following observations are true about Beatrice Culleton's *April Raintree*? **It is a fictional account of the lives of twometis sisters**

growing up in Winnipeg. The two sisters have been removed from their parents home and placed with a series of foster families.

1393. “She dwells with beauty – Beauty that must die”, - wrote Keats in one of his odes, referring to **Melancholy**.

1394. Kafka’s Trial has all the following characteristics: **Vivid yet surreal, dystopian, the depiction of totalitarian society**.

1395. Match the following
Sound of stick upon the floor- No Second Troy
Hade’s bobbin bound in mummy cloth- Byzantium
With beauty like a tightened bow- Coole and Ballylee, 1931
A tattered coat upon a stick- Sailing to Byzantium

1396. Which of the following statements best describes the term ‘**deconstruction**’? **It seeks to expose the problematic nature of ‘centered’ discourses**.

1397. Which of these writers are the writers of **African American slave narratives**? **Solomon Northrop, Frederick Douglass, Sojourner Truth**.

1398. “For nature then
 The courser pleasures of my boyish days,
 And their glad animal movements all gone by
 To me was all in all”. In these lines from “**Tintern Abbey Revisited**”, **Wordsworth** is talking about:

both the first and second stages in his relationship with Nature.

1399. “A Tun of Man in thy large Bulk is writ,
 But sure thou’rt but a Kilderkin of wit”. In the above lines what does Dryden mean by ‘Kilderkin’? **a small barrel of wine**.

1400. Which of the following statements are true of Kazuo Ishiguro’s Remains of the Day? **The novel uses a butler as a pivotal character, refers to England in the 1930s, became a very successful film**.

1401. “From a Second Space perspective city space becomes more of a mental and ideational field, conceptualized in imagery, reflexive thought and symbolic representation, a conceived space of the imagination or what I will henceforth describe as the urban imaginery.” (Edward Soja, Postmetropolis)
 Which of the following statements can be applied to Soja’s proposition on the Second Space? **Second space perspective tends to be more subjective. Second Space prespective is concerned with symbolic representation of reality. Second space perspective deals with ‘thoughts about space’**.

1402. “Lightly, O lightly we bear her along,
 She sways like a flower in the wind of our song”
 These lines occur in a poem **Palanquin Bearers**.

1403. Which among the following novels of Anita Desai is a children’s book? **The Village by the Sea**.

(Fire and the Mountain, Fasting, Feasting, The Zig Zag way)

1404. Who among the following writers describes novels as “not form which you see but emotion which you feel”? **Virginia Woolf.**
1405. In Paradise Lost, Milton invokes his ‘Heav’nly Muse’, ‘Urania’ at the beginning of: **book one and book seven.**
1406. In Pinter’s Birthday Party, Stanley is given a birthday present. What is it? **A drum.**
1407. How does Lord Jim end? **Jim kills himself with a last unflinching glance.**
1408. “Where I lacked a political purpose, I wrote lifeless books.” To which of the following authors can we attribute the above admission? **George Orwell.**
1409. Modernism has been described as being concerned with “disenchantment of our culture with culture itself”. Who is the critic? **Lionel Trilling.**
1410. “Only that film, which fluttered on the grate, Still flutters there, the sole unquiet thing.” The above lines are quoted from **Frost at Midnight.**
1411. Which one of the following modern poems employs ottava rima? **Among School Children.**
1412. John Dryden in his heroic tragedy All for Love takes the story of **Shakespeare’s Antony and Cleopatra.**
1413. Arrange the following works in the order in which they appear. **Things fall Apart, No Longer at Ease, Arrow of God, A Man of the People.**
1414. Samuel Pepys kept his diary from **1660 to 1669.**
1415. In the Defence of Poetry, what did Sydney attribute to poetry? **A moral power whereby poetry encourages the reader to evaluate virtuous models.**
1416. **An Epistle to Dr.Arbutnot** presents portraits of the following contemporary individuals: **Addison and Lord Hervey.**
1417. Match the following authors with their works:
Alice walker – The Color Purple
Ralph Ellison – Invisible Man
Richard Wright – Native son
Zora Neale Hurston - Their Eyes were Watching God.
1418. Which of these plays by Shakespeare use ‘cross-dressing’ as a device? **As you Like It, Cymbeline, two gentlemen of Verona.**
1419. Which of the following works can be categorized under postcolonial theory? **Nation and Narration, Orientalism, white Mythologies.**
1420. Locke’s Essay **Concerning Human Understanding** is a classic statement of **Empiricist philosophy.**

1421. "Power circulates in all directions, to and from all social levels, at all times." Who said this?
Michael Foucault.
1422. Which of the following are written by **Australian Aboriginal writers**? **Kath Walker, Robert Bropho, Jack Davis.**
1423. Sir Thomas Wyatt and the Earl of Surrey jointly brought out Tottel's Miscellany during the Renaissance. Identify the name of the Earl of Surrey from the following: **Henry Howard.**
1424. Match the following:
Margaret Laurence – The Stone Angel
Margaret Atwood – Surfacing
Sinclair Ross – As for Me and My House
Thomas King – Medicine River
1425. The dramatic structure of Restoration comedies in it the features of **The Irish Theatre and the Greek Theatre.**
1426. Which American poet wrote: "I sound my barbaric yawp over the roofs of the world"? **Walt Whitman.**
1427. The etymological meaning of the word "trope" is **turning.**
1428. Who among the following English Poets defined poetic imagination as "a repetition in the finite mind of the eternal act of creation in the infinite 'I AM'"? **Coleridge.**
1429. Little Nell is a character in **Dickens' The Old Curiosity Shop.**
1430. Match the following:
Formalism- Victor Shklovsky
New Critics – John Crow Ransom
Psychological Theory of the value of Literature – I.A.Richards
Literary Art as archetypal image – The Jungians
1431. In the late 17th century a "Battle of Books" erupted between which two groups? **Champions of Ancient and Modern Learning.**
1432. "Everything that man esteems
Endures a moment or a day Love's pleasure
Drives his love away ... " In the above quote the last line is an example of **paradox.**
1433. Match the author with the work:
Kingsley Amis – the Left Bank
Allan Silletoe – The Golden Note book
Doris Lessing – Saturday and Sunday Morning
Jean Rhys –Lucky Jim
1434. In which of Hardy's novels does the character **Abel Whittle** appear? **The Mayor of Casterbridge.**
1435. The phrase "**dark Satanic mills**" has become the most famous description of the force at the centre of the industrial revolution. The phrase was used by **William Blake.**
1436. "Five miles meandering with a mazy motion
Through wood and dale the sacred river ran."
Where does this 'sacred river' directly run to?
The caverns measureless.

1437. Who is the twentieth century poet, a winner of the Nobel Prize for literature who rejected the label “British” though he has always written in English rather than his regional language? **Seamus Heaney.**
1438. Which of the following statements best describes **Sir Thomas Browne’s Religio Medici**? It **emphasizes Browne’s love of mystery and wonder.**
1439. Which of the following characters from *The Waste Land* are correctly mentioned? **The typist, madam Sosostri, The Young Man Carbuncular.**
1440. Which one of the following best describes the general feeling expressed in literature during the last decade of the Victorian era? **Studied melancholy and aestheticism.**
1441. Which poem by Shelley bears the alternative title, “**The Spirit of Solitude**”? **Alastor.**
1442. Which tale in *The Canterbury Tales* uses the tradition of the beast fable? **The Nun Priest’s Tale.**
1443. At the end of *Sons and Lovers* Paul Morel **sets off in quest of life away from his mother.**
1444. Match the following
Women Beware Women- Bianca
The Malcontent- Malevole
The City Madam – Doll Tearsheet
The Changeling – Beatrice
1445. With Bacon the essay form is **the aphoristic expression of accumulated public wisdom.**
1446. Evelyn Waugh’s *Trilogy* published together as *Sword of Honour* is about **The English at War.**
1447. Who coined the phrase “**The Two Nations**” to describe the disparity in Britain between the rich and the poor? **Benjamin Franklin.**
1448. Milton introduces Satan and the fallen angels in the Book I of *Paradise Lost*. Two of the chief devils reappear in Book II. They are **Moloch, Belial.**
1449. When Chaucer describes the Friar as a “noble pillar of order”, he is using **irony.**
1450. John Osborne’s *Look Back in Anger* is an example of **kitchen-sink drama.**
1451. Which character in *Jane Eyre* uses religion to justify cruelty? **Mr. Brocklehurst.**
1452. Which Romantic poet defined a slave as ‘a person perverted into a thing’? **Coleridge.**
1453. Sir Thomas More creates the character of a traveller into whose mouth the account of Utopia is put. His name is **Raphael.**
1454. Matthew Arnold’s “touchstones” were “short passages, even single lines” of classic poetry beside which the lines of other poets may be placed in order to detect the presence or absence of high poetic quality. In his ‘Study of Poetry’ Arnold cited ‘touchstones’ from such non-English poets as Homer and Dante and also from the English Poets, Shakespeare and Milton. Which English poet did he disapprovingly call “not one of the great classics” in the list below? **Chaucer**

1455. Samuel Pepys began his diary on **New Year's Day 1660**
1456. On which of the following authors has Peter Ackroyd written a biography? **Dickens, Blake, T.S.Eliot.**
1457. Which group of the following poets was called the Auden Group because they developed a style and viewpoint similar to that of W.H.Auden? **Louis Macneice, C.D.Lewis, Stephen Spender.**
1458. When one line of poetry runs into the next, with no punctuation to slow the reading, it is a case of **enjambment.**
1459. Which of the following are characteristics of the Victorian Age? **The rise of a highly competitive industrial technology, An emphasis on strictly controlled social behavior, A romantic focus on home and family.**
1460. In *The Heart of Midlothian*, Walter Scott deals with real political and personal details, but notable among his characters is the depiction of **Queen Caroline.**
1461. What was Lamb's connection with India? **He was clerk in South Sea House that prepared patents and documents for British trading companies in India.**
1462. In the lines "with gold jewels cover every part,/ and hide with ornaments their want of art" (*Essay on Criticism*), Pope rejects **artificiality.**
1463. The opposite of hyperbole is **meiosis.**
1464. What significance do we attach to the publication of *I Am an Indian in Canada*? **The first anthology of Native Canadian writing following the Civil Rights Movement of the 1960s.**
1465. What is the moral of "the Nun's Priest's tale"? **Never trust a flatterer.**
1466. The author of the essay "silly novels by Lady Novelists" is **George Eliot.**
1467. The unquenchable spirit of Robinson Crusoe struggling to maintain a substantial existence on a lonely island reflects **the ideal of rising bourgeoisie.**
1468. Who is the author of the collection *The Celtic Twilight*? **W.B.Yeats.**
1469. In medieval England a ___ was understood to be a trained craftsman, one who worked under a master who owned the business. **journeyman**
1470. Marlowe's heroes are said to be larger than life, exaggerated both in their faults and in their qualities. They have a desire for everything in extreme. In one of his plays the hero wants to conquer the whole world. The name of the play is **Tamburlaine the Great.**
1471. With what odes does the speaker claim to be half in love in "Ode to a Nightingale"? **the peace that comes with death.**
1472. In which chapter of *Poetics* does Aristotle use the word 'catharsis' in his definition of tragedy? **Chapter VI.**

1473. Match the following
 The function of criticism – **T.S.Eliot**
 The function of criticism at the present time-
Mathew Arnold
 The function of criticism: From the Spectator to Post
 structuralism- **Terry Eagleton**
 The Function of English at the present time-
Richard Ohmann
1474. Identify the true statements on Thomas
 More's Utopia. **Utopia is divided into two parts;
 the first records a conversation between Thomas
 More and Raphael Hythloday, and the second is
 Hythloday's discourse on the institutions and
 practices of utopia.**
1475. In "the Rime of the Ancient Mariner" what
 disaster befalls the ship and the crew? **The ship is
 becalmed and the crew dies of thirst.**
1476. Falstaff is a character in Henry IV part I,
 Merry Wives of Windsor.
1477. In her essay "Professions for Women"
 Virginia Woolf finds an analogy between the act of
 writing and **fishing.**
1478. The ascension of King James I in ___
 inaugurated the Jacobean Age. **1603.**
1479. Which of the following are true of Byronic
 Hero? **Moody, passionate, remorse-torn.**
1480. Like many other novelists, Hardy employed
 language variation (dialect and standard) with a
 purpose. In this respect which of the following
 statements is correct? **His major characters such
 as Tess and Jude rarely speak in local dialects, in
 spite of their social positions.**
1481. "It used to be said," began a famous English
 writer, "everyone had a novel in them ... Just now,
 though, in 1999, you would probably be obliged to
 doubt the basic proposition: What everyone has in
 them, these days, is not a novel but a memoir".
 Identify the source: **Martins Amis 'Experience'**
1482. The opening sixteen lines of Paradise Lost
 comprise **one sentence.**
1483. Who among the following poets compared
 human tears to "love's wine"? **John Donne.**
1484. Ernest Pondifex is a character in **The Way of
 all flesh.**
1485. In which of the following stories does
 Rudyard Kipling present a newspaper editor who
 recounts his dealings with a couple of "loafers"? **The
 Man who would be King.**
1486. Trying to capture the upbeat mood of 1964-
 65, the poet Thom Gunn said: "They stood for a great
 optimism, barriers seemed to be coming down all
 over, it was as if World War II had finally drawn to
 close, and there was an openness and high-
 spiritedness and relaxation of mood". Who were
 "they"? **The Beatles.**
1487. In Paradise Lost Milton presents the action of
 the fall of man in two stages in Books **IV and IX.**

1488. In Gulliver's Travels Struldbruggs are **people exempt from natural death.**
1489. Margaret Atwood has tried a revisionist writing of a crucial scene in Hamlet called "Gertrude Talks Back". The scene in Atwood opens with a reference to the name of an implied listener. Who is this implied listener? **Hamlet**
1490. Dr. Johnson wrote London in imitation of **Juvenal**
1491. Which of the following are written by Buchi Emecheta? **The Joys of motherhood, Second-class citizen, Kehinde.**
1492. Dr. Johnson's use of the term "metaphysical" in a piece of criticism was **disapproving.**
1493. "I am not an angel ... and I will not be one till I die: I will be myself." This is **Jane Eyre in the Eponymous novel.**
1494. Who among the following playwrights was the son of a gardener? **Joe Orton.**
1495. Saussure argued that meaning is generated through **a system of structured differences in language.**
1496. Identify the group known as "**The Wesker Trilogy**"? **Chicken soup with Barley, Roots, I'm talking about Jerusalem.**
1497. Who is the central character of Derek Walcott's Dream on the Monkey Mountain? **Makak, a charcoal burner.**
1498. "He is the very pineapple of politeness!" This sentence is an example of **malapropism.**
1499. What is common to writers such as Sam Selvon (The Lonely Londoners), Timothy Mo (Sour Sweet), and Hanif Kureishi (The Black Album)? **They are diasporic writers who depict post colonial London very different from its colonial representations.**
1500. F.R. Leavis and Q.D. Leavis launched a critical journal devoted to the moral centrality of English studies. Name the Journal. **Scrutiny.**
1501. Two of the following list are "Angry Young Men" of the 1950's British literary scene. **John Osborne & Kingsley Amis**
1502. Laurence Sterne's Tristram Shandy contains **nine volumes**
1503. Which of the following statements are true of Areopagitica? **It was published in 1644, it argues for the liberty of Unlicensed Printing, it is a speech addressed to the Parliament of England.**
1504. Thomas Hardy's last major novel was **Jude the Obscure**
1505. **The Hind and the Panther Transvers'd to the Story of the Country Mouse and the City Mouse** is a satire on **John Dryden**

1506. Match the columns :

Terms **Theorists**

I. Apollonian - Dionysian - **Friedrich**

Nietzsche

II. Fancy - Imagination - **S.T. Coleridge**

III. Hellenism - Hebraism - **Matthew Arnold**

IV. Inscap - Instress - **G.M. Hopkins**

1507. In *King Lear* who among the following speaks in the voice of Poor Tom? **Edgar**

1508. In Wordsworth's *Prelude* the Boy of Winander is affected by **Muteness**

1509. Which of the followings are mentioned as part of the London locale in *The Waste Land*? **St. Magnus Martyr, St. Mary Woolnoth, Lower Thames Street**

1510. Which of the following novels are written by Jean Rhys ? **After Leaving Mr. Mackenzie, Good Morning, Midnight, Wide Sargasso Sea.**

1511. The first official royal Poet Laureate in English literary history was **John Dryden**

1512. Who does Alexander Pope refer to in the following lines ?

"Born to no pride; inheriting no strife,
Nor marrying discord in a noble wife,
Stranger to civil and religious rage,
The good man walked innoxious through his age."

Pope's father

1513. The Theory of Natural Selection is attributed to **Charles Darwin.**

1514. Which character in William Golding's *Lord of the Flies* maintains, "Life is scientific"? **Piggy**

1515. Match the authors under List - I with the titles under List - II :

List - I

List - II

I. Claude Levi-Strauss - **Structural Anthropology**

II. Jacques Derrida - **Of Grammatology**

III. Northrop Frye - **Anatomy of Criticism**

IV. Michel Foucault - **The Archaeology of Knowledge**

1516. How did Chaucer's Pardoner make his living ? **By selling indulgences to those who committed sins**

1517. From among the following, identify Coleridge's companion in a fanciful scheme to establish a Utopian community of free love on the banks of the Susquehanna river ? **Robert Southey**

1518. **18.** Which of the following novels by H.G. Wells is about the condition of England as Empire ? **Tono-Bungay**

1519. *Joothan* by Om Prakash Valmiki is **an autobiography**

1520. Listed below are some English plays across several centuries :

Twelfth Night, She Stoops to Conquer, The Importance of Being Earnest, Pygmalion and Blithe Spirit. What is common to them? **All romantic comedies; love and laughter**

1521. Who among the following wrote a poem comparing a lover's heart to a hand grenade?

Abraham Cowley

1522. The Uncertainty Principle is attributed to **Werner Heisenberg**

1523. "Jabberwocky" is a creation in **Lewis Carroll's work**

1524. Who are Didi and Gogo? **They are nicknames, respectively, for Vladimir and Estragon.**

1525. Who among the following theorists talks about "the circulation of social energy"? **Stephen Greenblatt**

1526. How many legends of good women could Chaucer complete in his *The Legend of Good Women*? **Nine**

1527. *The Round Table* is a collection of essays jointly written by **William Hazlitt and Leigh Hunt**

1528. Dylan Thomas is associated with the group **The New Apocalypse**

1529. Which of the following writers writes from Canada? **Margaret Atwood**

1530. "The boast of heraldry, the pomp of power,
And all that beauty, all that wealth e'er gave,
Awaits alike the inevitable hour
The paths of glory lead but to the grave."
What is the subject of *awaits*? **Hour**

1531. "Heav'n has no rage, like love to hatred
turn'd / Nor Hell a fury, like a woman

scorn'd."

Identify the text in which the above quote occurs: ***The Mourning Bride***

1532. **A Young Lady's Entrance into the World** is the sub-title of ***Evelina***

1533. "The old order changeth, yielding place to new" is from **"Idylls of the King"**

1534. Which of the following can be classified as fantasy fiction? ***The Inheritors* (William Golding), *The Magus* (John Fowles), *The Lord of the Rings* (J.R.R. Tolkein)**

1535. *Philosophy of Symbolic Forms* is a work associated with **Ernst Cassirer**

1536. Which of the following facts are true of Spenser?

He is a kind of English Homer, telling stories of heroic confrontations, He fashioned an original verse form: The Spenserian Stanza, He is a Christian poet.

1537. William Blake developed the ideas of "Prolifics" and "Devourers" in ***Marriage of Heaven and Hell***.

1538. Surrealism is associated with **Andre Breton**.

1539. "And miles to go before I sleep" is a line from a poem by **Robert Frost**.

1540. What common link do you find among "The Disquieting Muses" by Sylvia Plath, "The Starry Night" by Anne Sexton,

- “Mourning Picture” by Adrienne Rich, and
 “Musee des Beaux Arts” by W.H. Auden ?
They are all inspired by paintings.
1541. “All Rising to *Great Place* is by a ____ *staire*.”
 (Francis Bacon) **Winding.**
1542. In Jeremy Collier’s 1698 pamphlet attacking
 the immorality and profaneness of the English stage,
 who among the following was the principal target ?
John Vanbrugh.
1543. Charles Dickens’s visit to the United States
 produced ***Martin Chuzzlewit*.**
1544. Who among the following is a working-class
 poet? **Tony Harrison.**
1545. *New Science* is a work associated with _____.
G. Battista Vico.
1546. Identify Petrarch’s sonnet sequence from
 among the following : ***Rine Sparse***
1547. The island setting of Latmos figures in Keats’s
***Endymion*.**
1548. The Artist Hero is a theatrical creation
 emphasized by **W.B. Yeats, Charles Baudelaire,
 Oscar Wilde, Andre Gide.**
1549. Which of the following African writers won
 the Nobel Prize for Literature? **Nadine Gordimer.**
1550. “My lute, be as thou wert when thou didst
 grow
 With thy green mother in some shady
 groove”
 - William Drummond

The above quote is an example of **Run-on
 line.**

1551. “The just man justices. What kind of
 foregrounding do you find in the above lines ?
Syntactic, Semantic.
1552. Match the items in List – I with items in List –
 II according to the code given :
List – I List – II
- i. Iambic - **An unstressed syllable is followed by a
 stressed syllable**
 - ii. Anapaestic – **An unstressed syllable followed
 by a stressed syllable**
 - iii. Dactylic - **A stressed is followed by two
 unstressed syllables.**
 - iv. Trochaic - **A stressed syllable is followed by an
 unstressed syllable.**
1553. The separation of styles in accordance with
 class appears more consistently in _____ than in medieval
 works of literature and art. **Shakespeare**
1554. “Had we but world enough, and time, This
 coyness, lady, were no crime.” This statement is an example
 of **Irony**
1555. A Spenserian stanza has **eight iambic
 pentameters**
1556. Match the items in List – I with items in List –
 II according to the code given below :
List – I (Critic) List – II (Theory)
- i. Cleanth Brooks 2. Paradox
 - ii. William Empson 1. Ambiguity

iii. Mark Schorer 4. Techniques as discovery

iv. Maud Bodkin 3. Archetypal patterns in poetry

1557. "The artist may be present in his work like God in creation, invisible and almighty, everywhere felt but nowhere seen." Henry James is talking here about the artist's **impersonality**

1558. Match the items in List – I with items in List – II according to the code given below :

List – I (Theorist) List – II (Book)

i. Michel Foucault 3. *History of Sexuality*

ii. Judith Butler 1. *Gender Trouble*

iii. Alan Sinfield 4. *Cultural Politics- Queer Reading*

iv. Eve Kosofsky Sedgwick 2. *Epistemology of the Closet*

1559. "The greatness of a poet", Arnold says, "lies in his powerful and beautiful application of ideas to life". But a critic pointed out it was "not a happy way of putting it, as if ideas were a lotion for the inflamed skin of suffering humanity". Who was this critic ? **T.S. Eliot**

1560. Derrida's American disciples were **Geoffrey Hartman, Paul de Man, J. Hills Miller**

1561. Identify the correct group of playhouses in late sixteenth century London from the following groups : **Curtain, Rose, Swan, Globe, Hope** or **Hope, Curtain, Rose, Swan, Globe**

1562. "Keep up your bright swords, for the dew will rust them.

Good Signior, you shall more command with years.

Than with your weapons." The above lines are addresses by Othello to **Brabantio, Roderigo and Officers**

1563. Act V of Marlowe's *Edward the Second* shows the murder of the king. Where does it take place ? **A room in Berkeley Castle**

1564. Identify the correctly matched set : **"The Shepherds Calender" – 1579 Tottels Miscellany – 1557 Astrophel and Stella – 1591 The Spanish Tragedie – about 1585.**

1565. Match the items in the List – I with items in List – II according to the code given below :

List – I (Authors) List – II (Works)

i. Lucy Hutchinson 4. *Memoirs of the Life of Colonel Hutchinson*

ii. John Bunyan 1. *The Life and Death of Mr. Badman*

iii. John Evelyn 2. *Sylva : or a Discourse of Forest Trees*

iv. Margaret Cavendish 3. *Natures Pictures*

1566. "But deeds, and language, such as men do use;
And persons, such as comedy would choose,
When she would show an image of the time,
and sport with human follies, not with crime."

In the above lines Jonson **opposes the artificiality of the romantic tragic-comedy. Initiates the use of realism. Considers analysis of moral shortcomings more important.**

1567. "And if no piece of chronicle we prove,
We'll build in _____ pretty rooms. **sonnets**

1568. "That glory never shall his wrath or might
extort from me." (*Paradise Lost*, Book I)

What 'glory' is being referred to by Satan? **The courage never to submit or yield**

1569. It has been described as a "novel without predecessors", the product of an original mind and became immediately popular. It is a peculiar blend of pathos and humour, though the pathos is sometimes overdone to the point of becoming offensively sentimental. The novel was published in 1760. What is the name of the novel? ***Tristram Shandy***

1570. The son of a joiner, he was apprenticed as a printer. He remained a printer throughout his life. He was asked to prepare a series of modern letters for those who could not write for themselves. This humble task taught

him the art of expressing himself in letters. Who is the novelist? **Samuel Richardson**

1571. "Where ignorance is Bliss 'Tis folly to be wise."
Who wrote the following lines? **Gray**

1572. Which of the following works is not actually a prose essay? ***Essay on Man***

1573. Whom does Mirabell deceive into believing that he loves her in *The Way of the World*? **Lady Wishfort**

1574. "Competence to age is supplementary to youth, a sorry supplement indeed, but I fear the best that is to be had. We must ride where we formerly walked : live better and be softer and shall be wise to do so – than we had means to do in the good old days you speak of." Who speaks these words and to whom? **Lamb to Bridget**

1575. *The Prelude* although begun as early as 1799 and finished in its first version in 1805, was not published until _____. **1850**

1576. "A rosy sanctuary will I dress With the wreathed trellis of a working brain." The above lines are quoted from '**Ode to Psyche**'

1577. "Love seeketh only self to please, To bind another to its delight." This selfish and possessive nature of love is illustrated in Blake's '**The Clod and the Pebble**'

1578. Who is the author of *Mary*, and the unfinished *The Wrongs of Woman*? **Mary Wollstonecraft**

1579. Identify the incorrect factor in Henry James' theory of the novel : **It should be sentimental**

1580. Match the items in List – I with items in List – II according to the code given below :

List – I (Novels) List – II (Characters)

i. *Ulysses* - Molly Bloom

ii. *A Passage to India* - Mrs. Moore

iii. *To the Lighthouse* - Lily Briscoe

iv. *Women in Love* - Gerald Crich

1581. Which among the following novels was not written in 1922? ***A Passage to India***

1582. "A sudden blow : the great wings beating still
Above the staggering girl, her thighs caressed
By the dark webs, her nap caught in his bill,
He holds her helpless breast upon his breast."

Who is the author of the above lines? **W.B. Yeats**

1583. "Consume my heart away; sick with desire
And fastened to a dying animal." The above lines are taken from "**Sailing to Byzantium**"

1584. Who among the following is not a surrealist poet? **C. Day Lewis**

1585. The protagonist returns with an admonition, the diamond sent to him for smuggling out a packet of diamonds as bribe. This scene occurs in one of the novels of Graham Greene – Identify the novel ***The Heart of the Matter***

1586. Samuel Beckett's trilogy published together in London in 1959 under the English titles is **Molloy, Malone Dies, The Unnamable**

1587. Among the following playwrights, who was awarded the Pulitzer prize in 1920? **Eugene O'Neill**

1588. D.H. Lawrence popularized the concept of _____ in his novels. **Primitivism**

1589. Who among the following is not an American modernist poet? **William Ellery Channing, the younger**

1590. An important poet and playwright who in the 1960s led the Black Arts Movement, in the spirit of negritude, posited a 'Black Aesthetic' that expressed a pan-African, organic and whole sensibility. **Amiri Baraka**

1591. Match List – I with List – II according to the code given below :

List – I (Authors) List – II (Books)

i. V.S. Naipaul - Mimic Men

ii. Jean Rhys - Wide Sargasso Sea

iii. Marina Warners - Indigo or Mapping the Waters

iv. J.M. Coetzee - Foe

1592. Yasmine Gooneratne's *The Pleasures of Conquest* termed as a postcolonial novel of the nineties is ironically enough set in the tropical island nation of **Amnesia**

1593. Which of the following is not an Asian – Canadian writer? **Meena Alexander**

1594. Which of the following is true? '**Aurora Leigh**' is a poem in nine books

1595. "The old order changeth yielding place to new,

And God fulfils himself in many ways.”

In which of the following poems do these lines appear ?

‘Morte d’Arthur’

1596. George Eliot’s attempt to write a historical novel of the Italian Renaissance was not successful. Which was this novel? **Romola**

1597. In which novel, does the hero, driven by passion and revenge, add a new dimension to the concept of suffering? **Wuthering Heights**

1598. Choose the following women characters in Hardy’s novels: **Bathsheba Everdene, Eustacia Vye, Lucetta**

1599. “Out of the gosple he tho words caughte

And this figure he added eek therto,

That if gold ruste, what shal iren do ?”

In the Prologue the Parson is represented as a man :

who loved money, who criticized the corrupt clergy, who was a poor but honest clerk

1600. Match the items in List – I with items in List –

II according to the code given below :

List – I (Plays) List – II (Characters)

i. *White Devil* - Vittoria Corombona

ii. *Maids Tragedy* - Aspatia

iii. *Every Man in his Humour* - Old Knowell

iv. *The Spanish Tragedie* – Hieornimo.

1601. In the following cluster of poems by Shelley, which one has the voyage motif? **Alastor**.

1602. In Sydney’s sonnet sequence, *Astrophil and Stella*, the final sonnet (#108) **brings no resolution**.

1603. Who among the following English writers opposed the Licensing Act of 1643? **John Milton**.

1604. Who claimed: “I have not published a single paper that is not written in a spirit of benevolence and with a love of mankind”? **Addison**.

1605. A protagonist writes a letter of confession, but it gets lost under the carpet only to be found on the wedding day. Who is the protagonist? **Tess**.

1606. In an age of *pressurized happiness*, we sometimes grow insensitive to subtle joys. The italicised words are an example of **a transferred epithet**

1607. In Graham Greene’s *Brighton Rock*, Hale is murdered with the help of ‘brighton rock’ which is **a kind of sugar-candy**

1608. Which poet among this group does not belong to the ‘Auden Generation’ group of poets? **Alun Lewis**

1609. In *Lord of the Flies* which character comes to realize that the ‘beast’ is actually the evil inside the boys

themselves and it is that which is breaking things up?

Simon

1610. Which text exemplifies the anti- Victorian feeling prevalent in the early twentieth century? **Eminent Victorians, The Way of All Flesh.**

1611. What event allowed mainstream British theatre companies to commission and perform work that was politically, socially and sexually controversial without fear of censorship? **The abolition of the Lord Chamberlain's office in 1968.**

1612. The Wife of Bath's philosophy of marriage shows that she is a **strong person with keen awareness of her own rights.**

1613. Which of the following characters is killed in Achebe's *Things Fall Apart* in conformity with an African tribal custom? **Ikemefuna**

1614. "We will do it, I tell you; we will do it." The repetition of a phrase is **Diacope**

1615. Find **the confessional poets** group:

Robert Lowell, Sylvia Plath, Anne Sexton, W.D.Snodgrass.

1616. Which one of the following characters in Shakespeare's *Tempest* is associated with the Earth?

Caliban

1617. In the *Advancement of Learning* Bacon attempted a preliminary survey of the entire field of learning, by analyzing the principal obstacles to its advancement. Identify them: **Rhetoric, Medieval scholasticism, Pseudo sciences**

1618. Who among this group of young male characters in Jane Austen's novels are sent to the University for Education? **Tom Bertram, John Thorpe, James Morland.**

1619. Charles Dickens caricatured utilitarian thinking with telling directness in his portrayal of **Thomas Gradgrind**

1620. Which one of the following playwrights will not be covered under the category / term "Theatre of the Absurd"? **Jean Genet, Samuel Beckett, Eugene Ionesco.**

1621. The following are two lists of lines from poems and their titles.

List - I

List

- II

(Lines from poems) poems)	(Titles of
I. "The squat pen rests as snug as a gun." "Digging"	1.
II. "A serious house on serious earth it is." "Church Going"	2.
III. "Time held me green and dying." "Fern Hill"	3.
IV. "I hold creation in my foot." "Hawk- Roosting"	4.

1622. _____ is the use of words whose pronunciation imitates the sound the word describes.

Onomatopoeia

1623. Arrange the following books in the order in which they appeared. Use the code given below: **The Vanity of Human Wishes, The Dictionary of the English Language, The History of Rasselas, Lives of the English Poets.**

1624. Arrange the following forms in the order in which they appeared. Use the code given below: **commedia dell'arte, picaresque novel, agitprop, confessional poetry.**

1625. Which of the following poems deals with neighbourly relations? **"Mending Wall"**

1626. The following are two lists of writers and their works.

List - I	List - II
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(Works)	(Writers)
I. Katherine Susannah Prichard <i>Coonardoo</i>	1.
II. Colin Johnson <i>Wild Cat Falling</i>	2.
III. Sally Morgan <i>My Place</i>	3.
IV. Jack Davis <i>Barungin</i>	4.

1627. How does John Stuart Mill define 'happiness'?

Pleasure and the absence of pain

1628. "Had we but world enough, and time,
This coyness, lady, were no crime ...
But at my back I always hear
Time's winged chariot hurrying near."

Andrew Marvell in these lines emphasizes the theme of **love and transience**

1629. The following are two lists of dramatists and their plays.

List - I	List - II
(Dramatists)	(Plays)
I. George Etheredge <i>of Mode</i>	1. <i>The Man</i>
II. William Wycherley <i>Country Wife</i>	2. <i>The</i>

III. John Vanbrugh 3. *The Provok'd Wife*

IV. William Congreve 4. *The Double Dealer*

1630. The following are two lists of writers and their works.

**List - I
(Writers)**

- I. Uma Parameswaran
- II. Bharati Mukherjee
- III. Michael Ondaatje
- IV. Cyril Dabydeen

Flesh

1631. Dryden's dramatization of *Paradise Lost* is entitled **The State of Innocence**

1632. Two pioneering feminist tracts, Kate Millet's *Sexual Politics* and Germaine Greer's *The Female Eunuch* were published in **1970**

1633. Who defined poetry as 'the best words in the best order'? **Coleridge**

1634. What did Thomas Carlyle mean by "Close thy Byron; open thy Goethe"? **Abandon the introspection of the Romantics and turn to the higher moral purpose found in Goethe.**

1635. Conrad's *Heart of Darkness* presents two conflicting discourses present in his own culture. Identify the two discourses from the following: **Anti-colonialism and Eurocentricism.**

**List - II
(Works)**

1. Trishanku
2. Jasmine
3. Anil's Ghost
4. Drums of My

1636. Who among the following poets defined free verse as playing tennis without a net? **Robert Frost.**

1637. Christopher Marlowe wrote all the following plays ***Tamburlaine the Great, The Jew of Malta, Edward II***

1638. According to Barthes, a text which draws attention to its artifice, to the ways in which it is structured, is called **writerly text**

1639. Which of the following descriptions are applicable to Pope's *The Rape of the Lock*? **A mock heroic poem, Written in heroic couplets, Produced in two versions, consisting of 2 and 5 cantos.**

1640. From the following list, choose the works which are written by E.M. Forster: ***Where Angels Fear to Tread, Maurice, the Longest Journey***

1641. The 'Vulgate Bible' was prepared to make the *Bible* available to **the common men**

1642. Literary works such as Charles Dickens's *David Copperfield*, Samuel Butler's *The Way of All Flesh* and James Joyce's *A Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man* provide examples of which following novelistic form? ***Bildungsroman***

1643. "I fall upon the thorns of life! I bleed!" expresses a pathetic cry of a wounded heart from "Ode to the West Wind" by Shelley. The poem consists of **fourteen line terza rima stanzas**

1644. In the *Fall of Hyperion* Keats's Muse figure is **Moneta**

1645. What literary work best captures a sense of the political turmoil particularly regarding the issue of

religion just after the Restoration? **Dryden's *Absalom and Achitophel***

1646. Who among the Victorian authors has described himself/herself as an agnostic? **George Eliot**

1647. Preface to Frantz Fanon's *The Wretched of the Earth* was written by **Jean Paul Sartre**

1648. Who among the following theorists formulated the concept of the *utile dulci*, profit combined with delight? **Horace**

1649. Out of the four humours of the body, the Jacobean thought of themselves as especially prone to **melancholy**

1650. Who among the following Romantic poets ended his life, lauded and respected as 'The Sage of Highgate'? **S.T. Coleridge.**

1651. Which poem of G.M. Hopkins was inspired by the felling of a row of trees? **Binsey Poplars.**

1652. The 20-line sonnet form is most frequently used for satire is **caudate sonnet.**

1653. The "terrible sonnets" are a group of poems in which poet struggles with problems of religious doubt? **G.M.Hopkins.**

1654. In 'The Windhover', the bird can be viewed as a metaphor for **Christ.**

1655. Which poem is dedicated to the memory of Five Franciscan Nuns? **The Wreck of the Deutschland.**

1656. The Wreck of the Deutschland is by G. M. Hopkins with Christian themes? **a 35-stanza ode.**

1657. **Ulysses** has been called "a demonstration and summation of the entire movement".

1658. T. S. Eliot's "The Waste Land" is a **foundational text of modernism.**

1659. Yeats wrote the preface for the English translation of **Rabindranath Tagore's Gitanjali or the Song offerings.**

1660. **The Wanderings of Oisin** is an epic.

1661. Where does it occur? "In my beginning is my end/ In my end is my beginning"- **T.S.Eliot's East Coker.**

1662. "School of Night" is a term which figures in **Shakespeare's Love's Labour's Lost.**

1663. Which of Shakespeare's one of his plays is loaded with astronomical references? **Hamlet.**

1664. "**This dead butcher and his fiend-like queen**". Who speaks about whom? **Malcolm about Macbeth and his wife.**

1665. Gloriana in Spenser's *The Faerie Queene* is identified with **Elizabeth I.**

1666. "No man will ever write a better tragedy than Lear" Who stated this? **G.B.Shaw.**

1667. "Thy soul was like a star, and dwelt apart"- Wordsworth writes this legendary line about **Milton (London, 1802).**

1668. Name the poet whose well-known sonnet ends: "They also serve who only stand and wait". **Milton-On his blindness.**

1669. Thomas Wolfe took the title of his book *Look Homeward, Angel* (A Story of the Buried Life) from a famous poem **Lycidas by Milton**.

1770. The English philosopher John Locke conceived of the **mind as tabula rasa** in his work 'An essay concerning Human understanding'.

1771. "This foul melancholy/ will poison all his goodness" Who says about whom? **Antonio about Bosola (Webster-The Duchess of Malfi)**.

1772. Uncle Toby is a character in **The Life and Opinions of Tristram Shandy by Lawrence Sterne**.

1773. Who wrote 'the Rights of Man'? **Tom Paine**.

1774. The term 'noble savage' was popularized by J.J.Rousseau. Which English writer first used this expression in his/her works? **Dryden**.

1775. "Plain living and high thinking" is an oft-quoted maxim of **Wordsworth**.

1776. Who are 'the rivals' in R.B.Sheriden's play? **Captain Absolute and Bob Acres**.

1777. Dogberry in Shakespeare's *Much ado about nothing* is a precursor of a character from another literary work, in his gift for misapplying words and hence the word 'malapropism'. **Mrs.Malaprop in 'The Rivals'**.

1778. Which is the title of a long Romantic poem which is partly an imitation of Milton's *Paradise Lost*? **Hyperion by Keats**.

1779. The words, "beaded bubbles winking at the brim" occur in **Keats' Ode to a Nightingale**.

1880. Mount Abora is featured in **Coleridge's Kubla Khan**.

1881. Name the renowned English poet who was so good at skating that he could cut his name on ice with skates. **Wordsworth**.

1882. The Eumenides appear in **T.S.Eliot's The Family Reunion**.

1883. "It is a far, far better thing that I do than I have ever done; it is a far, far better rest that I go to than I have ever known". Thus ends a novel by Charles Dickens. **A Tale of Two Cities**.

1884. According to Arnold, Oxford is a **city of Dreaming spires**.

1885. Which work of Dickens was originally called *Nobody's Fault*, and G.B.Shaw called it a masterpiece among many masterpieces. **Little Dorrit**.

1886. Which 19th century English novelist insisted on writing 2500 words before breakfast every day? **Anthony Trollope**.

1887. An unfavourable portrait of American life and manners, given by Dickens, in **Martin Chuzzlewit**.

1888. Who wrote a long essay commenting on the porter scene in *Macbeth*? **Thomas De Quincey**.

1889. One of the Dickens' novels mentions a cricket match between All-muggleton and Dingley Dell. **The Pickwick Papers**.

1990. Which famous classic in English Literature is actually arranged in a series of chess moves? **Lewis Carroll's Through the Looking Glass**.

1991. A fictional character perceptively welcomes disillusionment as it is “only life educating you”. The theme is featured in **Heartbreak House by G.B.Shaw.**

1992. How many years did Joyce spend working on Finnegans Wake? **17 years.**

1993. Which line is ascribed to E.M.Forster? **‘secret understanding of the heart’.**

1994. What was the profession of Leopold Bloom, a fictional character in Joyce’s novel Ulysses? **Advertising salesman.**

1995. “Only connect!...” Where does it figure? **E.M.Forster’s Howard’s End.**

1996. Name the play by G.B.Shaw on the Salvation Army. **Major Barbara.**

1997. What is the title of the Indian-born Ved Mehta’s memoirs? **The Stolen Light.**

1998. George Orwell wrote 1984. Who wrote 1985? **Anthony Burgess.**

1999. “War is peace/ Freedom is slavery/ Ignorance is strength” whose words are these? **George Orwell.**

2000. James Joyce’s Ulysses is the account of one day in Dublin **June 16, 1904.**

2001. The novelist has provided two alternative endings to **John Fowles’ The French Lieutenant’s Women.**

2002. G.B.Shaw was associated with a political movement whose followers included H.G.Wells and Annie Besant. **Fabian Society.**

2003. T.S.Eliot’s The Wasteland line ‘I had not thought death had undone so many’ is a quotation from **Dante.**

2004. “It was a bright cold in April and the clocks were striking thirteen”. Of which famous book is this first line? **1984 by Orwell.**

2005. Name the Italian poet who wrote more than 300 love-poems to his beloved Laura. **Petrarch.**

2006. Noah Webster compiled his last dictionary with no help from anybody, and he wrote it by hand. How many words does it have? **70000 words.**

2007. Julius Caesar, Alexander the Great, and Dostoevsky had one thing in common. They were all **Epileptics.**

2008. Amitav Ghosh has written a book dealing with Malaria is **The Calcutta Chromosome.**

2009. ‘Abbottoir’ is the word for **Public slaughter house.**

2010. The shortest verse in the Bible consists of only two words: **Jesus wept.**

2011. What stone gets its name from a Greek term that can be translated as ‘remedy for drunkenness’? **Amethyst.**

2012. Which mythical character has a name that means ‘forethought’ in Greek? **Prometheus.**

2013. “Live all you can; it’s a mistake not to” Where does this maxim occur? **Henry James’ The Ambassadors.**

2014. **Who was the father of Hester's child in The Scarlet Letter by Nathaniel Hawthorne? Arthur Dimmesdale.**

2015. If you are afraid that you might die laughing, you are suffering from **Cherophobia**.

2016. "The world is what it is; men who are nothing, who allow themselves to become nothing, have no place in it". The opening lines of **A Bend in the River by Naipaul**.

2017. Name the American movie-maker who sometimes is called 'celluloid poet'. **Frank Capra**.

2018. According to Greek mythology, who was the first woman to be created? **Pandora**.

2019. What is the study of the origin of words called? **Philology**.

2020. Identify the author and her novel in which the following lines appear: "Being a Hindu means never having to say you're sorry". **Karma Cola by Gita Mehta**.

2021. Mathew Arnold's Culture and Anarchy is concerned mainly with the problems caused in English society by **the rise of the middle class**.

2022. What is common to Bassanio (The Merchant of Venice) and Brutus (Julius Caesar)? **They both have a wife named Portia**.

2023. Juliet appears in a play (other than Romeo and Juliet) **Measure for Measure**.

2024. What is the name of the heroine of Much Ado about Nothing? **Hero**.

2025. Which famous anachronism occurs in Julius Caesar? **Shakespeare included clocks in his play when there were none in Roman times**.

2026. In a poem by T.S.Eliot, three Shakespearean heroines Cleopatra, Desdemona and Ophelia are alluded to **'A Game of Chess' in The Wasteland**.

2027. "Nothing happens, nobody comes, nobody goes, it's awful" where does it occur? **Samuel Beckett's Waiting for Godot**.

2028. "It is a terrible thing for a man to find out suddenly that all his life he has been speaking nothing but the truth". Where does this figure? **The Importance of being Earnest (A trivial comedy for serious people) by Oscar Wilde**.

2029. The albatross is a sea bird found in the Northern Pacific just off the American coast. Identify the classic poem with features albatross. **Rime of the Ancient Mariner by S.T.Coleridge**.

2030. What is a 'Doggerel'? **A verse of trivial nature and irregular rhythm**.

2031. In Shakespeare's Daffodiles lines: 'that come before the swallow dares, Daffodiles and take / The winds of March and beauty!' Here 'Take' means **remove**.

2032. Edward Lear was well-known for his five-line humorous poems. What is the correct term for this form of poetry? **Limericks**.

2033. Sometimes a stray line or two become as famous as the work itself. "Mistah Kurtz - he dead". Name

this 20th- century masterpiece. **The Heart of Darkness by Conrad.**

2034. "All animals are equal but some animals are more equal than others". Identify the writer who propounded this dictum in a magnificent satire on communism. **George Orwell- Animal Farm.**

2035. How old was Sue Townsend's fictional character, Adrian Mole? **13 ¾ . (Novel's title- The Secret diary of Adrian Mole, aged 13 ¾)**

2036. How did Robinson Crusoe find out there was another person on his island? **A foot print in the sand.**

2037. "God bless us, everyone"- the closing line of a famous novel. **Christmas Carol by Dickens.**

2038. "Four legs good, two legs bad" is the essence of animalism as described in a book. **Animal Farm by George Orwell.**

2039. What was the name of the parrot in R.L.Stevenson's *Treasure Island*? **Captain Flint.**

2040. Which fictional character is nicknamed Nathu? **Mowgli (Jungle Book by Kipling).**

2041. "Fiction is like a spider's web, attached ever so lightly perhaps, but still attached to life at all four corners". Name the literary work. **Virginia Woolf's A Room of one's own.**

2042. Prothalamion consists of ten eighteen-line stanzas, each concluding with the refrain "Sweet Thames, run softly till I end my song". The refrain is echoed ironically in **T.S.Eliot's The Wasteland (Part-III)**

2043. Which novel is a parable like one of the first English novels, *The Pilgrim's Progress*? And the last lines of the novel even paraphrase Conrad's title *Heart of Darkness*. **Lord of the Flies by William Golding. (Ralph's phrase-'the darkness of man's heart')**

2044. "Finished it's finished, nearly finished" are the opening words of the play **Endgame. (said by Clov)**

2045. "Soul of the Age!...He was not of an age, but for all time!" Who said this about whom? **Ben Jonson about Shakespeare in To the Memory of William Shakespeare.**

2046. "Sweetest Shakespeare, Fancy's child" said by **John Milton.(L'Allegro)**

2047. "Our myriad-minded Shakespeare" commented by **S.T.Coleridge. (Chapter 15, Biographia Literaria)**

2048. The twins are featured in Shakespeare's **Twelfth Night (Sebastian and Viola)**

2049. The name is used by Portia in disguise (*The Merchant of Venice*); the servant who tells Romeo that Juliet has died. **Balthasar.**

2050. Mathew Arnold in "The Study of Poetry" (1880) used the term to denote short passages of literary excellence which can be used to test the true worth of other literary works. The term has been used as a fictional character by Shakespeare in one of his mature comedies. **Touchstone method by Arnold. Touchstone in 'As You like It'.**

2051. Beckett uses the word '**muckheap**' in *Waiting for Godot* and *Endgame*. What is the significance of the word? **The word indicates the miserable, unfruitful nature of the world to Beckett's characters.**

2052. Thomas Dekker's *The Shoemaker's Holiday* is based on **Thomas Deloney's The Gentle Craft- a narrative about the London crafts.**

2053. "**Milton has a highly imaginative, Cowley a very fanciful mind**" ___ the comment is by Coleridge in *Biographia Literaria*.

2054. **Books with their authors:**

1) **Women writing and writing about women- Mary Jacobus**

2) **Explorations- L.C..Knights**

3) **Criticism and Ideology- Terry Eagleton**

4) **The Long Revolution- Raymond Williams**

5) **Structuralist Poetics- Jonathan Culler**

2055. What is that "dissolves, diffuses, dissipates, in order to recreate; struggles to idealize and to unify"? **secondary imagination.**

2056. **Lines with works:**

1) **Poetry is the image of man and nature- Wordsworth's Preface to the Lyrical Ballads**

2) **A poem is that species of composition which is opposed to works of science ...- Coleridge's biographia Literaria**

3).... **We have to turn to poetry to interpret life for us, to console us, to sustain us- Arnold's Study of Poetry**

4) **Poetry is a superior amusement- T.S.Eliot's Preface to the sacred wood.**

2057. Who developed the distinction between '**texture**' '**structure**'? **J.C.Ransom.**

2058. Name the critic who described romantic poet as "a beautiful and intellectual angel, beating in the void his luminous wings in vain". **Mathew Arnold about P.B.shelley.**

2059. One of the plays by Oliver Goldsmith is subtitled as "the Mistakes of a Night". To whom the play is dedicated? **The play is She stoops to conquer and it is dedicated to Samuel Johnson.**

2060. What are the 'Seven Deadly Sins'? **Pride, Covetousness, wrath, envy, gluttony, sloth, lechery.**

2061. The play which Shaw called "A fantasia of the Russian manner on English themes" was influenced by a production of Anton Chekhov's *The Cherry Orchard*. **Heartbreak House.**

2062. **Classic utterances with works:**

1) **Sweet are the uses of adversity- As you like it**

2) **Brevity is the soul of wit- Hamlet**

3) **Frailty, thy name is woman- Hamlet**

4) **Nothing will come of nothing- King Lear**

5) **Ripeness is all- King Lear**

6) **Fair is foul, and foul is fair- Macbeth**

7) life's but a walking shadow- Macbeth

8) I am not what I am- Othello

2063. In *'Murder in the Cathedral'* by T.S.Eliot, to what animals do the Priests like the Four Knights? **The lion, leopard, wolf and boar.**

2064. What, according to Gwendolen, is the vital thing in all matters of grave importance in Oscar Wilde's *The Importance of Being Earnest*? **"style, not sincerity".**

2065. In G.B.Shaw's *Saint Joan*, Joan's judges were accused of four falsehoods. What are they? **Corruption, cozenage, fraud and malice.**

2066. When Dr.Faustus finishes his signature (on the bond), the words **"Homo Fuge"** appear on his arm. What does it mean? **This is in Latin meaning "Fly, O Man!" The inscription warns Faustus to flee and they disappear to indicate to Faustus that he is in dire danger of damnation.**

2067. Big Brother is watching you is a dominant image in a famous novel **1984 by George Orwell.**

2068. The hero of Sir Walter Scott's first novel subsequently lent his name to all Scott's works of prose fiction, which were known collectively as **'The Waverley Novels'. Edward Waverley in Waverley or 'Tis Sixty Years Since.**

2069. The title is the same as that of one of the last and least interesting comedies of ben Jonson, but Jonathan Swift's true aim is to satirize "the numerous and gross corruptions in Religion and Learning". **A Tale of a Tub.**

2070. The parts of the novel are entitled 'The Window' and 'Time Passes'..... What is the name of the book? **To the Lighthouse by Virginia Woolf.**

2071. A prose essay by **P.B.Shelley** written as an 'antitode' to *The Four Ages of Poetry* by Thomas Love Peacock, is **A Defence of Poetry.**

2072. "A great poet, really great poet, is the most unpoetical of all creatures. But inferior poets are absolutely fascinating". Who is the authority behind this statement? **Oscar Wilde, The Picture of Dorian Gray.**

2073. In Henry Fielding's novel Tom Jones, he is the hypocritical half-brother of Tom. He tells numerous lies about his brother from behind a mask of purity and honesty. **Blifil.**

2074. Book names with subtitles:

1) Evelina- The History of a Young Lady's Entrance into the World (Fanny

2) Clarrisa- The History of a Young Lady (Samuel Richardson)

3) She- A History of Adventure (Sir Henry Rider Haggard)

4) Fanny Hill- The memoires of a Woman of Pleasure (John Cleland)

2075. *'The Razor's Edge'*, a novel by Somerset Maugham is an allusion to an **Oriental proverb. (The sharp edge of a razor is difficult to pass over. Likewise the wise say the path to salvation is hard.)**

2076. Virginia Woolf was much concerned with the rights of women and especially of women writers. This is one of the basic themes of Orlando but it comes and most clearly in her next novel. She begins by announcing her basic thesis that *"a woman must have money and a room of her own if she is to write fiction."* **A Room of One's Own.**

2077. The central theme of Milton's *Areopagitica* is **freedom of expression.**

2078. Name the sailor on whose life Daniel Defoe based *Robinson Crusoe*. **Alexander Selkirk.**

2079. What was the name of Peter Pan's fictional land? Never Never- land.

2080. W.B.Yeats introduced Tagore to the West. Many years later Graham Greene did a similar job to introduce another Indian writer to the West. R.K.Narayan.

2081. Books with subtitles:

1) Frankenstein- The Modern Prometheus (Mary Shelley)

2) Vanity Fair- A Novel without a Hero (W.M.Thackeray)

3) Pamela- Virtue Rewarded (Samuel Richardson)

4) Kipps- The Story of a Simple Soul (H.G.Wells)

2082. E.M.Forster in *Aspects of the Novel* cites Becky Sharp from Thackeray's *Vanity Fair* and Mrs.Micawber from Dickens' *David Copperfield* as two different types of characters. **Round and Plot character.**

2083. A poem by Dryden, the title of which is Latin for "year of wonders". The poem describes the London fire and the Dutch war, the chief events of the year 1666. **Annus Mirabilis.**

2084. **"Mistah Kurtz -he dead"** in Conrad's *Heart of Darkness* provides the epigraph for **T.S. Eliot's The Hallow Men.**

2085. Book titles with derivations:

1) *Darkness visible* (two novels of same title, one by William Golding & other by William Styron) – John Milton's *Paradise Lost-I*

2) *Look Homeward Angel* (Thomas Wolfe)- Milton's *Lycidas*

3) *Eyeless in Gaza* (Aldous Huxley)- Milton's *Samson Agonistes*

4) *The Well-Wrought Urn* (Cleanth Brooks)- Donne's *Cannonization*

5) *Far from the Madding Crowd* (Thomas Hardy) – Thomas Gray's *Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard*

2086. He is a devil. In the *Bible*, the name is given to **"the prince of devils"**. In Milton's *Paradise Lost*, he is second in command to Satan. **Beelze Bub.**

2087. Thomas Carew in his elegy pays a rich tribute to the dead poet as ruler of **"universal monarchy of wit"**.

Identify the poet. **John Donne. (An Elegy upon the Death of the Dean of Paul's, Dr. John Donne)**

2088. Popish Plot is featured in **Dryden's Absalom and Achitophel.**

2089. Tennyson's **Ulysses** represents the Victorian preoccupation with **Struggle and action.**

2090. The term '**Gerontology**' refers to the study of the ageing process. Two famous poems about old age are '**When You are Old**' (**W.b.Yeats**) and '**By the Fireside**' (**Robert Browning**).

2091. The theme of Wordsworth's 'Immortality Ode' was anticipated by Henry Vaughan's **The Retreat.**

2092. "The law of God is above the law of Man". This aphoristic statement is in **Murder in the Cathedral** by **T.S.Eliot.**

2093. In John Bunyan's prose allegory 'The Pilgrim's Progress', a character is identifiable with Satan- **Apollyon.**

2094. The writer who wrote a poem in memory of Sigmund Freud was **W.H.Auden.**

2095. 'Thy Hand Great Anarch' is the title of a work by **NiradC.Chaudhuri.**

2096. Who is the first American woman to win the Nobel Prize for Literature? **Pearl S.Buck.**

2097. "He is the father of English criticism who taught us to determine on principles the merits of composition". Who is talking about whom? **Dr.Johnson about Dryden.**

2098. Who is considered as 'India's premier imagist writer'? **Anita Desai.**

2099. Who was the first woman writer to win booker prize? **Bernice Rubens- The Elected Member in1970.**

2100. Name the writers and their works who won booker prize twice.

1) **J.G.Farrell- The Siege of Krishnapur in 1973**

-Troubles in 2010

2) **J.M.Coetzee- Life and Times of Michael K in 1983**

- Disgrace in 1999

3) **Pater Carey- Oscar and Lucinda in 1988**
- True history of the Kelly Gang in 2001

4) **Hilary Mantel- Wolf Hall in 2009**
- Bring up the Bodies in 2012

2101. What was Agatha Christie's pseudonym for writing romantic novels? **Mary Westmacott.**

2102. Who is considered to be the father of the detective story and the spy tale? **Edgar Allen Poe.**

2103. Match the imaginary islands with their authors.

1) **Bensalem- Bacon**

2) **Utopia- Sir Thomas More**

3) **Blefuscu- Swift**

4) **Erewhon- Samuel Butler**

5) **Oceania- Orwell**

6) **Malgudi- R.K.Narayanan**