

I Answer the following questions in about a sentence or two.

1. Who is William Shakespeare?
2. What is considered a stage?
3. What are all the seven stages of man?
4. Who is the speaker of the poem "All the world's a stage"?
5. In which play of Shakespeare "All the world's a stage" is taken from?
6. Who is the writer of the poem "The Road Not Taken"?
7. Why is "The Road Not Taken" regarded as ambivalent?
8. What is meant by "yellow wood"?
9. What is an ode?
10. How many cantos did Ode to the West Wind have?
11. Who is Maenad?
12. What does Shelley request the wind?
13. "If winter comes, can Spring be far behind?" - Explain.
14. What does the phrase "La Belle Dame Sans Merci" mean?
15. How does the knight-at-arms look like?
16. What does the fairy feed the knight?
17. Who is the lady love of John Keats?
18. Who is Ulysses?
19. Who is the king of Ithaca?
20. Who is Telemachus?

21. Who is Achilles?

22. What was Ulysses' experience with battle?

23. What is Happy Isles?

24. What is Dramatic Monologue?

25. Who is Robert Browning?

26. Who is Fra Pandolf?

27. What does the Duke say about dowry?

28. For whom does the poet Yeats pray? Why?

29. Who is Maud Gonne?

30. What is the first request of Yeats in his prayer?

31. Who is Helen?

32. Who is Magi?

33. What does the 'Six hands playing dice' remind?

34. What do 'the pieces of silver' refer to?

35. Who is Eugénist?

36. Why was the question 'was he free? was he happy?' absurd?

37. Where did the scorpion hide itself?

38. How does the poet regard the scorpion?

39. What is the theme of the poem 'Night of the Scorpion'?

40. What did the holyman do?

41. What is the theme of the poem 'The Night of the Scorpion'?

42. What did the father do to bring relief to the mother?

43. To what are the peasant compared?

II Answer the following questions in about 150 words each.

1. Write a short note on "As you Like It".
2. Who is Jacques? Why he spoke the passage "All the world's a stage"?
3. What are all the seven stages of men?
4. Write the paragraph on "The Road not Taken"?
5. Explain the symbols in the poem "The Road not Taken"?
6. Explain how the west wind is both "destroyer and preserver"?
7. Write a note on the imagery and lyricism in the poem "Ode to the West Wind".
8. "If winter comes, can spring be far behind" - Explain.
9. Describe the beauty of fairy?
10. What is ballad?
11. Describe the Knight's dream.
12. What happens in elfin grot?
13. Why is the poem "La Belle Dame Sans Merci" very popular?
14. Describe the Kingdom of Ulysses and its people.
15. Sketch the character of Telemachus.
16. Comment on Ulysses' philosophy of life?
17. What is Trojan war? - Explain.
18. Who is Achilles? What is Happy Isle?
19. What is dramatic monologue?
20. Write a note on the Duke Ferrar's character.
21. Comment on the character of Silent Listener.
22. "This grew; I gave commands. Then all smiles stopped together" - Explain.

- 23. Describe the painting of the Duchess.
- 24. write a note on the poem yeat's "A prayer for my daughter".
- 25. what are the qualities that a girl must possess according to yeats?
- 26. How does yeats attack intellectual hatred?
- 27. what are the hardships suffered by the Magi?
- 28. write a paragraph on the Symbolic significance in the poem "The Journey of the Magi".
- 29. Describe the temperate valley briefly.
- 30. write a note on the title of the poem "The Unknown Citizen".
- 31. How does W.H. Auden satirise modern Society?
- 32. Describe the Unknown Citizen.
- 33. How do the peasants react to the mother's pain?
- 34. write a note on the mother's love for her children.
- 35. Describe the character of the father.

III Write the Essays in about 500 words each.

- 1. What according Shakespeare are the seven stages of men?
- 2. write an Essay on William Shakespeare.
- 3. write an essay on Symbolism in "The Road not taken".
- 4. What is an ode. write an essay on "ode to the west wind".
- 5. How is the wind both destroyer and preserver?
- 6. write an essay on imagery and symbols in "ode to the west wind".

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7. Critically appreciate the poem 'ode to the West Wind'.
 8. "La Belle Dame Sans Merci" is a Folk ballad - Discuss
 9. Sketch the character of Knight-at-arms.
 10. Write the autobiographical elements in the poem "La Belle Dame Sans Merci".
 11. Write an essay on Ulysses.
 12. How is Ulysses a dramatic monologue?
 13. Compare Ulysses with Telemachus.
 14. "My Last Duchess" - a dramatic monologue - Explain.
 15. Sketch the character of the Duchess.
 16. What do you think about the poem my Last Duchess? write in your own.
 17. What is Yeats's prayer for his daughter?
 18. What do you think about Yeats ideals of womanhood through his poem 'A prayer for my daughter'?
 19. Write an essay on 'The Journey of the Magi'.
 20. Describe the Journey & the Journey of the Magi in detail.
 21. What are all the symbols and imagery used in the journey of the Magi - Explain
 22. Write an essay on the poetical devices used in the poem the Journey of the Magi?
 23. Write an Essay on 'The unknown citizen a Satire'.
 24. Comment on the poem 'The unknown Citizen'.
 25. Comment on the superstitious beliefs in the poem 'The Night of the Scorpion'.
 26. Write an essay on motherly love through the Poem 'The night of the Scorpion'.