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CORE COURSE - EN5CRT07 - ACTS ON THE STAGE

Common to B.A English Language and Literature Model I, B.A English Language and Literature - Model II (Vocational: Careers and Communication Skills), B.A English Language and Literature Model II Administrative Assistant, B.A English Language and Literature Model II Copy Editor, B.A English Language and Literature Model II Journalism, B.A English Language and Literature Model II Teaching, B.A English Language and Literature Model II Tutor in Conversational English & B.A English Literature, Communication and Journalism Model III (Triple Main)

For Regular Candidates 2018 Admission Only

For Private Candidates 2017 & 2018 Admissions Only

CEBCC1D8

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks : 80

Instructions to Private candidates only: This question paper contains two sections. Answer SECTION I questions in the answer-book provided. SECTION II, Internal examination questions must be answered in the question paper itself. Follow the detailed instructions given under SECTION II

Part A

*Answer any **ten** questions.*

*Each question carries **2** marks.*

1. What is the setting of the play King Lear?
2. Where is the subplot of the play King Lear borrowed from?
3. What is Lear's reaction to Regan's suggestion that he should go back to Goneril?
4. What happens to the Fool in the play King Lear?
5. Who is Edgar in the play King Lear?
6. How does Cornwall die?
7. Who is King of France?
8. Why does Gloucester travel to the heath?
9. What is Njango's attitude towards Asinjo?
10. Why does the policeman arrest the stranger?

11. Why is the Gadhikakkaran being taken to trial?

12. Who were the two witnesses in the case of the accidental death of an anarchist?

(10×2=20)

Part B

*Answer any **six** questions.*

*Each question carries **5** marks.*

13. Write a note on the theme of blindness in the play King Lear.

14. Which are some of the instances in the play King Lear that prove the strength of Cordelia?

15. Why was Kent put on stocks?

16. Why was Gloucester blinded?

17. How do Goneril and Regan die?

18. Describe the meeting of Edgar and Gloucester on the heath.

19. Discuss the relationship between Njango and her daughter Wanjiro?

20. Discuss the role of Nadugadhika as a ritual among the Adiyas.

21. How is the theme of fear and submission depicted by Fo?

(6×5=30)

Part C

*Answer any **two** questions.*

*Each question carries **15** marks.*

22. Attempt a character sketch of Edmund.

23. What is the significance of the Opening scene of the play King Lear?

24. Discuss the themes of feudalism, slavery and pseudo democracy and the all pervading exploitation, as exposed in Nadugadhika.

25. Narrate the events that took place while the maniac was disguised as a forensic expert.

(2×15=30)