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Understanding Poetry
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Day and Date : Thursday, 04 - 04 - 2019

Total Marks : 40

Time : 03.00 p.m. to 05.00 p.m.

- Instructions:
- 1) All questions are compulsory.
 - 2) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

Q1) Complete the following sentences by choosing the correct alternative. [5]

- i) Philip Sidney defends _____ against youth.
 - a) Old age
 - b) Wisdom
 - c) Maturity
 - d) White hair
- ii) Madrigals are _____.
 - a) Mad songs
 - b) Love Songs
 - c) Sad songs
 - d) Mad birds
- iii) Spring is deprived of its beauty and freshness because _____.
 - a) it is gloomy
 - b) winter has relapsed
 - c) the birds are silent
 - d) chloris has gone away
- iv) According to William Blake, good relationships depend on _____.
 - a) capacity to love
 - b) healthy smiles
 - c) clear expressions of emotions
 - d) experience
- v) God has given man almost everything except _____.
 - a) Wisdom
 - b) Rest
 - c) Self-control
 - d) Happiness

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Q2) a) Answer the following questions in about 250-300 words. [12]

i) Examine "The Flea" as a metaphysical poem.

OR

ii) Consider "Song for a fair Young Lady" as a love poem.

b) Answer the following questions in about 200-250 words. [8]

i) What are the general characteristics of Elizabethan poetry?

OR

ii) Discuss the main features of metaphysical poetry.

Q3) Write short notes on the following in about 100-150 words each (3 out of 4) [15]

a) A Poison Tree.

b) Pope's concept of well-spent life.

c) Sidney's defense of old age.

d) Sonnet.

