## SHRIMATHI DEVKUNVAR NANALAL BHATT VAISHNAV COLLEGE FOR WOMEN (AUTONOMOUS) (Affiliated to the University of Madras and Re-accredited with 'A+' Grade by NAAC) Chromepet, Chennai — 600 044. B.A. END SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS APRIL - 2022 SEMESTER - II 20UELCT2003 - British Literature - II

Total Duration : 3 Hrs.

Total Marks : 60

## Section A

Answer any **SIX** questions  $(6 \times 5 = 30 \text{ Marks})$ 

- 1. Describe the indomitable will power of Ulysses and how he motivates the sailors.
- 2. Relate 'The Birthday Party' as a comedy of menace.
- 3. Describe how an older person is happier than a younger person as mentioned by G.K. Chesterton.
- 4. What makes "Women in White" a detective novel?
- 5. Explain how the Gills finally win in The Reaping Race.
- 6. How does the poet compare Dover Beach to the decline of civilization?
- 7. How does Goldsmith sketch the character of drunkard and the watchman in "A City Night Piece"?
- 8. Justify the title "Importance of Being Earnest".

## Section B

Answer any **THREE** questions  $(3 \times 10 = 30 \text{ Marks})$ 

- 9. How will you interpret the duke as a possessive man as portrayed in My Last Duchess?
- 10. Illustrate how Pygmalion is humane comedy about love and the English class system.
- 11. Describe some of the English Snobberies mentioned by Priestley.
- 12. How does Huxley criticize society in Brave New World?
- 13. Analyze "The Body Snatcher" as a classic horror story.

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