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B.A. (Eng) END SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS NOVEMBER - 2023

SEMESTER - III

20UELAT3003 - History of English Literature – I (From 1300–1800)

Total Duration : 2 Hrs 30 Mins.

Total Marks : 60

Section B

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

1. State the impacts of the Renaissance in English Literature.
2. Prepare a well-knit paragraph on Francis Bacon's contribution to Prose.
3. Estimate Edmund Spenser as a 'Poet's Poet'.
4. Develop an essay on 'University Wits'.
5. Examine the contribution of Samuel Richardson in popularizing Epistolary novels.
6. Analyse Christopher Marlowe as a typical Elizabethan playwright.
7. Identify any five features of Neo-Classical poetry from the works of Alexander Pope.
8. Evaluate the contribution of Samuel Johnson to Modern English prose.

Section C

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

9. Explain the characteristics of Metaphysical School of poetry.
10. 'Addison and Steele developed and popularized a style of English prose that is more or less the one that we still use in much expository writing' – Justify.
11. Bring out the contribution of William Shakespeare in the development of Elizabethan poetry.
12. Explain the various characteristics of the Restoration Drama.
13. Assess the development of novels in the 18th Century.
