

**MJ-107**

**May-2018**

**B.A., Sem.-II**

**Elective (EC-I) 112 : English  
(History of English Literature : 1625-1660)**

**Time : 3 Hours]**

**[Max. Marks : 70**

1. Discuss the characteristics of the Metaphysical poetry. **14**

**OR**

Discuss Milton as a Poet.

2. Show the relation between the occasion and the theme of the poem, "Lycidas". **14**

**OR**

Examine 'Lycidas' as a pastoral elegy.

3. Write a critical appreciation of the poem, "Virtue". **14**

**OR**

"'To His Coy Mistress' illustrates clearly the metaphysical blend of passion and fantastic conceit, handled by Marvell with distinctive control and poise". Explain.

4. Show your acquaintance with the following works pointing out the names of author, the type of work, the age and year of publication : (any seven) **14**

- (1) Comus
- (2) The Temple
- (3) Noble Numbers
- (4) Religio Medici
- (5) The lady of Pleasure
- (6) The Rehearsal Transposed
- (7) Holy Living
- (8) A New Way to Pay Old Debts
- (9) Paradise Lost

5. Choose the correct answer from the options given below each of the following statements.

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- (1) The Civil war started in the year \_\_\_\_\_.  
 (a) 1660 (b) 1642 (c) 1640
- (2) There is a marked decay in \_\_\_\_\_ writing during this age.  
 (a) Poetry (b) Prose (c) Drama
- (3) All Metaphysical poets were \_\_\_\_\_.  
 (a) Didactic (b) Religious (c) Cynical
- (4) The form of Lycidas is \_\_\_\_\_.  
 (a) descriptive (b) pastoral (c) romantic
- (5) Milton died in \_\_\_\_\_.  
 (a) 1670 (b) 1672 (c) 1674
- (6) The most distinctive feature of the metaphysical poets is their \_\_\_\_\_.  
 (a) Lyric (b) imagery (c) philosophy
- (7) \_\_\_\_\_ was known as the saint of the metaphysical school of poets.  
 (a) George Herbert (b) Andrew Marvell (c) Donne
- (8) Milton wrote \_\_\_\_\_ number of Pamphlets.  
 (a) 22 (b) 25 (c) 24
- (9) Donne had a \_\_\_\_\_.  
 (a) Arranged marriage (b) Runaway marriage (c) Church marriage
- (10) According to Donne if he finds a woman who is both \_\_\_\_\_, he would go to her as on a pilgrimage.  
 (a) Sweet and Soft (b) Thin and Fair (c) True and Fair
- (11) \_\_\_\_\_ is a didactic poem of George Herbert.  
 (a) Love (b) Virtue (c) Hunter
- (12) In the first stanza of the poem "Virtue", Herbert uses four adjectives for the noun \_\_\_\_\_.  
 (a) Day (b) Sky (c) Earth
- (13) In the first stanza, the speaker tells the mistress that if they had more \_\_\_\_\_ than her "coyness" wouldn't be a crime.  
 (a) Time (b) Money (c) Job
- (14) Which word is repeatedly used in the third stanza in the poem "Virtue"?  
 (a) Sweet (b) Music (c) Spring