K21U 6512

I Semester B.A. Degree (CBCSS Supplementary) Examination, November 2021 (2015 – 2018 Admissions) CORE COURSE IN ENGLISH 1 B01 ENG : History of English Language and Literature

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 40

 $(2 \times 4 = 8)$

- Write an essay of not more than 200 words on any one of the following questions : (1×8=8)
 - 1) Explain the origin and descent of Indo-European family of Languages.
 - Describe the ways in which new words are formed in English with suitable examples.
- II. Write an essay of not more than 200 words on any one of the following questions : (1×8=8)
 - 3) Examine the rise and growth of the English novel in the eighteenth century.
 - 4) Analyse the contributions of Shakespeare to the English Language.
- III. Write an essay of not more than 200 words on any one of the following questions : (1×8=8)
 - Elucidate on the various experimental theatres which came into existence during the twentieth century.
 - Briefly describe features of twentieth century poetry with reference any two poets of that era.
- IV. Answer any two questions in about 80 words each.
 - 7) Write a note on the Latin loan words in English.
 - 8) Comment on the concept of 'New Englishes'.
 - 9) Characteristics of old English.
- V. Answer any two questions in about 80 words each. (2×4=8)
 - 10) Charles Lamb as the 'prince among English essaylists'.
 - 11) John Milton and his 'grand style'.
 - 12) Periodical essays.