



ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL MISSION COLLEGE

B. A. Semester V

Department of English

Internal Assessment (Honours) 2024

Paper: DSE B-1

Time – 30 minutes

Full Marks -10

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ANSWER EITHER QUESTION 1 OR 2.

1) Identify the figures of speech in *any ten* of the following lines: 1 x 10 = 10

- A) Not louder shrieks to pitying heaven are cast, When husbands or when lap dogs breathe their last!
- B) Thus idly busy roll their world away.
- C) Doublet and hose ought to show itself courageous to petticoat.
- D) All states can reach it, and all hands conceive.
- E) There are charming agonies of love, whose misery delights.
- F) Thou was not born for death, immortal Bird.
- G) And faith unfaithful kept him falsely true.
- H) The ploughman homeward plods his weary way.
- I) Better to reign in Hell, than serve in Heaven.
- J) Failures are the pillars of success.
- K) Lowliness is young ambition's ladder.
- L) Tyranny is dead! Run hence, proclaim, cry it about the streets.
- M) She seemed a splendid angel, newly drest.
- N) A speck, a mist, a ship I wist!
- O) The soul was like a star and dwelt apart.
- P) Life is as tedious as a two-told tale.
- Q) Will not the whole Arabia sweeten this little hand?

OR

2) Scan *any one* of the following passages, mention the prosodic name and point out the variations, if any: 10 x 1 = 10

A) A voice so thrilling ne'er
was heard,
In springtime from the
cuckoo bird
Breaking the Silence of the
seas,
Among the farthest Hebrides!

B) It is an ancient mariner
And he stopped one of three,
By the long grey beard and
glitt'ring eye,
Now wherefore stopp'st thou
me?

C) Stern o'er each bosom
Reason holds her state,
With daring aims irregularly
great
Prode in their port, defiance
in their eye,
I see the lords of humankind
pass by.