

MAULANA AZAD NATIONAL URDU UNIVERSITY

M.A. English

1st SEMESTER EXAMINATION, February 2022

Code : MAEN101CCT Paper : The History of English Language and Literature

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks : 70 Marks

Note : This question paper consists of two parts : Part – A and Part-B Number of words to answers each question is only indicative. Attempt all parts.

Part-A contains 10 questions, of which students are supposed to answer 8 questions. Answer each question in approximately 100 words. Each question carries 05 marks. (8x5=40 marks)

Part-B contains 5 questions, of which students are supposed to answer 3 questions. Answer each question in approximately 250 words. Each question carries 10 marks. (3x10=30 marks)

**Part- A**

1. Discuss the '*Great Vowel Shift*' in detail.
2. Write a short note on '*Renaissance*'.
3. State and explain *Grimm's Law*.
4. "*Romantic poets are called as escapists*" Discuss.
5. Bring out the differences between '*human's language and animal's communication*'.
6. Give a short note on '*Analytical Language*' with examples.
7. Briefly comment on Milton's *Grand Style*.
8. Write a short note on '*Orientalism*'.
9. Explain the *classical revival and reformation*.
10. Write a note on the vocabulary of '*Middle English*'.

**Part-B**

11. Give an explanatory note on the rise of *Standard English*.
12. Write a detailed essay on any two major movements in the history of English literature.
13. Discuss the changes in vocabulary and grammar during the Middle English Period.
14. Give an account of the characteristic features of Old English.
15. Write an essay on the popularity of drama in the Elizabethan Period.

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