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## M.A. 3rd Semester Examination, 2022

## **ENGLISH**

PAPER - ENG-301 (CCAE)

Full Marks: 40

Time: 2 hours

The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable

- A. Answer any two of the following questions:  $8 \times 2$ 
  - Write a critical note on Aristotle's idea of Mimesis with reference to poetics.
  - 2. "Sublimity is a kind of eminence or excellence of discourse". Elaborate in detail.
  - 3. Show how Dryden compares early 17th cen-

tury English drama to its French counterpart in "An Essay of Dramatic Poesy".

4. How does Coleridge differentiate Secondary Imagination from Primary Imagination?

- B. Comment on any four of the following:  $4 \times 4$ 
  - 5. Aristotle's view on the importance of plot.
  - 6. The four faults of Sublimity, according to Longinus.
  - 7. The comparison between Shakespeare and Ben Jonson in Dryden's "An Essay of Dramatic Poesy".
  - 8. Any two sources of sublimity illustrated in 'Longinus' essay.
  - The ending of Dryden's "An Essay of Dramatic Poesy".
  - 10. Coleridge's view of metre.

C. Answer any four of the following:

- $2 \times 4$
- 11. How does Aristotle distinguish between dramatic poetry and epic poetry?
- 12. Briefly explain the meaning of 'hamartia'.
- 13. Name two rhetorical figures associated with Sublimity.
- 14. Mention the year of first publication of Dryden's "An Essay of Dramatic Poesy".

  What are the actual names of the four interlocutors mentioned in the essay?
- 15. What was the initially proposed title of Coleridge's "Biographia Literaria"?
- 16. What does Coleridge mean by 'esemplastic'?