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## Doon University ,Dehradun

Mid-Semester Examination -March, 2018  
School of Languages –Department of English  
M.A. English Second Semester  
Course SLE -508-British Poetry II

Time Allowed : 2 Hours

Maximum Marks :30

### Section A

(Short Answer Type Questions to be answered in 25 to 50 words: Attempt All)-(One Mark each)

- 1) Who is the speaker in Blake's poem "The Lamb"? And why?
- 2) Name any three aspects of Romanticism /Romantic poetry.
- 3) What does the tiger symbolize in Blake's poem "The Tiger"?
- 4) What is an Aeolian harp?
- 5) Which poem of Coleridge is called a "fragment" and why?
- 6) Whom does Keats address as "Sylvan Historian"? What does it mean?

### Section B

(Short answer type questions to be answered in 100 -200 words: attempt all: 3 Marks each)

- 1) Discuss briefly the theme of "Ode to a Nightingale" .
- 2) Describe two scenes engraved on the Grecian Urn.
- 3) What is the significance of the image of the "old moon" in the "lap of the "new moon" in "Dejection: An Ode"?
- 4) Explain Blake's concepts on innocence and experience .

### Section C

(Long answer type questions to be answered in around 700 words : Attempt any TWO out of FOUR) : 6 marks each):

- 1) Describe the various images in "Ode to a Nightingale" that bear testimony to the sensuousness of Keats's poetry , especially his odes.
  - 2) How does Coleridge's poem "Kubla Khan" create an atmosphere of strangeness, awe and mystery?
  - 3) What view of Nature does Coleridge express in "Dejection: An Ode"?
  - 4) How does "Ode on a Grecian Urn" compare Art to real life?
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