



DOON UNIVERSITY, DEHRADUN
End Semester Examination, BA Semester-III, 2023
Academic Year: 2023-2024 (Odd Semester)
School of Languages, Department of English
Programme Name: BA Honours (English)
Course Code with Title: ENC 201 English Poetry

Time Allowed 3.00 Hours

Maximum Marks: 50

SECTION: A
(Very Short Answer Type Questions)

4X2.5= 10 Marks

Q1) Answer in about 100 words.

- i. What is the central idea of *Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard*?
- ii. Who is Ulysses?
- iii. Why does Christabel move out in the dark?
- iv. Why does Tom Dacre cry?

SECTION: B
(Short Answer Type Questions)

4x5=20 Marks

Q2) Answer in not more than 350 words:

- i) What is the skylark a symbol of according to P.B Shelley?
- ii) Why is the world too much with us as per William Wordsworth?
- iii) How is Thomas Gray a transitional poet?
- iv) Discuss the imagery in *Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard*.

SECTION: C
(Long Answer Type)

2x10=20 Marks

Answer any two in not more than 1000 words:

- Q3) *Rabbi Ben Ezra* is a deeply philosophical and thought-provoking poem that invites readers to consider the nature of time and the passing of life. Comment on this statement in light of the poem.**
- Q4) Compare and contrast the odes of P B Shelley and John Keats and discuss the difference in their approach.**
- Q5) How far do you agree with the philosophy of Tennyson as discussed in *Ulysses*? How far does it ring truly of the Victorian period?**
- Q6) Discuss the Romantic period poetry and its characteristics.**