PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE (AUTONOMOUS)

BA DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2025

(Second Semester)

Branch - ENGLISH

POETRY - II

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 75 Marks

SECTION-A (10 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry **EQUAL** marks $(10 \times 1 = 10)$

Module No.	Question No.	Question	K Level	СО
1	I	What does the Duke say about himself in "My Last Duchess"? a) He is a compassionate and forgiving person b) He is a strict and harsh ruler c) He is an artistic and creative individual d) He is a cultured and refined gentleman	K1	CO1
	2	Tithonus lives in the company of the goddess of dawn in a) The East b) The West c) The South d) The North	K2	COI
2	3	In "The Blessed Damozel", When the Damozel speaks, what does it sound like? a) A chainsaw because it is so rusty b) Like silence since it has to travel through the vast expanse of space c) All of the stars in heaven singing together d) Like the virgin mary's laughter	K1	CO2
	4	4. Christina Rossetti's "After Death" is a /ansonnet a) Italian b) Spenserian c) Roman d) Petrarchan	K2	CO1
3	5	To whom did Hopkins dedicate 'The Windhover'? a) Mary b) Peter c) Moses d) Christ	K1	COI
	6	The poem, "A prayer for my Daughter" begins by describing" a) Harvesting b) Storm c) Flood d) Draught	K2	CO2
4	7	Choose examples of the language Hughes uses to express the violent mood of the poem "Hawk Roosting". a) Falsifying, rehearse, inspection, sophistry b) Kills, lock, tearing, assert c) Inaction, revolve, bones, permitted d) Buoyancy, rough, direct, right	K 1	CO1
	8	found the Unknown Citizen to be a modern mechanical man. a)Union Reports b)Fudge Motors Inc c)Bureau of Statistics d)Press	K2	CO2
5	9	Why was The Trojan War fought between the Greeks and the Trojans? a) To avenge the abduction of Helen b) To avenge the abduction of Menelaus c) To avenge the abduction of Priam d) To avenge the abduction of Joyce	K1	CO2
	10	The poem 'The Mosquito' is taken from D.H. Lawrence's collection of poem titled a) Animals, Birds, Reptiles b) Fishes, Animals and Flowers c) Happiness, Joy, Pleasure d) Birds, Beasts and Flowers.	K2	CO2

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SECTION - B (35 Marks) Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks

 $(5 \times 7 = 35)$

Module	Question		K	1
No.	No.	Question	Level	CO
	11.a.	Frà Pandolf chanced to say, 'Her mantle laps Over my lady's wrist too much,' or 'Paint Must never hope to reproduce the faint Half-flush that dies along her throat:'	Level	
	(OR)		4	
1	11.b.	Alas! for this gray shadow, once a man— So glorious in his beauty and thy choice, Who madest him thy chosen, that he seem'd To his great heart none other than a God! I ask'd thee, 'Give me immortality.'	K2	CO4
	12.a.	"And the souls mounting up to God Went by her like thin flames."		_
•	(OR)			
2	12.b.	The land's sharp features seemed to be The Century's corpse outleant, His crypt the cloudy canopy, The wind his death-lament.	K2	CO3
	13.a.	Brute beauty and valour and act, oh, air, pride, plume, here Buckle! AND the fire that breaks from thee then, a billion Times told lovelier, more dangerous, O my chevalier!		
3	(OR)			CO2
	13.b.	I have walked and prayed for this young child an hour And heard the sea-wind scream upon the tower, And under the arches of the bridge, and scream In the elms above the flooded stream;	K2	CO2
	14.a.	And Chance's strange arithmetic Comes simpler than the reckoning of their shilling		_
	(OR)			
4	14.b.	And that his reactions to advertisements were normal in every way. Policies taken out in his name prove that he was fully insured, () A gramophone, a radio, a car and a frigidaire. Our researchers into Public Opinion are content	K2	CO2
	15.a.	Her dry shanks twitch at Paris' mumbled name. So Menelaus nagged; and Helen cried; And Paris slept on by Scamander side.		
5	(OR)			CO3
	15.b.	Dead men naked they shall be one With the man in the wind and the west moon; When their bones are picked clean and the clean bones gone, They shall have stars at elbow and foot.	K2	· -

SECTION -C (30 Marks) **Answer ANY THREE questions**

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks $(3 \times 10 = 30)$

Module No.	Question No.	Question	K Level	СО
1	16	"My Last Duchess" by Robert Browning is a dramatic monologue-Assess.	K5	CO1
2	17	Classify the literary devices used in "The Blessed Damozel".	K4	CO2
3	18	Analyze the religious significance of the poem "The Windhover".	K4	CO5
4	19	Examine the effect of warfare on soldiers as discussed in the poem "Insensibility".	K4	CO5
5	20	Attempt a critique on Rupert Brooke's poem "Helen and Menelaus".	K.5	CO3