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First Year

Introduction to English Literature – ENGL 12023

Answer three (03) questions only.

Each answer will be given 20 marks.

Time: 2 hours.

Answers should be written in the answer book.

1. Discuss the heroic characteristics of Nora with suitable quotations from the drama, 'A Doll's House' by Henrik Ibsen.
2. What is William Wordsworth's relationship to nature in 'I Wandered Lonely as a Cloud'?
3. Discuss the central theme of Robert Frost's 'Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening'?
4. "It is a sinful act to harm innocent animals". Justify this statement with reference to 'Plead Mercy' by Anne Ranasinghe.
5. How does the writer portray the destruction of war in the short story 'The Old Man at the Bridge' by Earnest Hemingway?
6. Discuss the characteristics of Swamy, the protagonist, in the novel, 'Swamy and Friends' by R.K. Narayan.