

NOVEMBER 2018

71025/ARE5A

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

SECTION A — (10 × 2 = 20 marks)

Answer any TEN questions in about 30 words each.

1. Name any four of the exponents of post colonial theory.
2. What are the third world countries?
3. What does cultural survival emphasize?
4. What gives wholeness to a literary work according to Chinua Achebe?
5. Why does Hope compare Australia with an aged woman's wants?
6. What is the reply of the speaker for the landlady's question : Are you very dark?
7. Write a brief note on the freedom of the dog in 'House and Land'.
8. What are the two factors considered to be Africa's victory as presented in The Lion and the Jewel?
9. Give a short note on role played by Lakunle.

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10. Why does Sidi feel happy when her physical beauty is praised?
11. Why does Petrus demand the dead body of his brother?
12. What is the central idea of the story "In the Night"?

SECTION B — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)

Answer any FIVE questions in about 200 words each.

13. What are the contributions of Edward Said and Gayatri Spivak to post colonial literary criticism?
14. What does Achebe say about 'Pure' and 'Applied art'?
15. How does Soyinka present the problem of colour prejudice in the poem "Telephonic Conversation"?
16. How is the title "House and Land" justified in the poem?
17. Describe the role of 'dancing and signing' in the play "Lion and the Jewel".
18. How is the photograph of Sidi important in the play "The Lion and the Jewel"?
19. Bring out the personality traits of the Drover's wife.

SECTION C — (3 × 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any THREE questions in about 500 words each.

20. Discuss the key principles of Postcolonial Literary theory.
21. What are Chinua Achebe's views on the relationship between the African writer and the reader?
22. Bring out the feminist perspectives in the poem "I am not that woman".
23. Discuss the conflict between the native way of life and the Western one with reference to "The Lion and the Jewel".
24. Examine the literary values in Armstrong's "This is a Story".