

EASTERN UNIVERSITY, SRI LANKA
CENTRE FOR EXTERNAL DEGREE AND EXTENSION COURSES
FACULTY OF ARTS & CULTURE
First Examination in Arta & Culture – Repeat (External) - 2017

ENG 101 – Introduction to English Language and Literature

Instruction to the Candidates:

- Answer any five questions selecting at least two from each section.
 - Each question carries equal marks.
 - Marks will be deducted for grammatical mistakes and wrong spellings.
 - Duration three (03) hours.
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Section – A

1. Write a detailed note on Middle English period and the changes entered into the English Language.
2. Describe register in the English Language with suitable examples.
3. Write a detailed description on syntax in English language.
4. Explain different plosive sounds with examples in the English language.

Section – B

5. “Keats reflects the true existence of nature in his poem ‘Ode on a Grecian Urn.’” Do you agree/disagree the above statement? Substantiate your answer.
6. “Suresh Canagarajah and Anne Ranasinghe deal with the Civil War of Sri Lanka through their poems.” Discuss the above statement with reference to their poems that you studied.
7. Write a character sketch of Ivan Aksyon in the short story “God Sees the Truth But Waits” by Leo Tolstoy.
8. Discuss the theme of the short story ‘Evelyn’ by James Joyce.