

M.A. (English) (New CBCS Pattern) Sem-I  
**CC1 : History of English Literature-I**

P. Pages : 1

Time : Three Hours



**GUG/W/22/13606**

Max. Marks : 80

---

1. a) Answer **any two** of the following questions. **8**
- i) Write a short note on Canterbury tales.
  - ii) Discuss briefly Dialects of middle English.
  - iii) Define the term Cursor Mundi.
  - iv) Explain the term Renaissance.
- b) Answer **any two** of the following questions. **8**
- i) Define comedy of Manners.
  - ii) Write a short note on Metaphysical poets.
  - iii) Explain Mystery and Miracle play.
  - iv) Write a note on French Revolution.
2. Attempt **any one** of the following questions. **16**
- i) Write an essay on Anglo-Saxon literature.
  - ii) Write a detailed note on Spenser's contribution to Elizabethan poetry.
3. Attempt **any one** of the following questions. **16**
- i) Write a note on the characteristics of Shakespearean Tragedy.
  - ii) What is the significance of university wits in enriching drama before Shakespeare?
4. Attempt **any one** of the following questions. **16**
- i) Trace the development of English prose between bacon and Dryden
  - ii) What are the features of metaphysical poetry?
5. Attempt **any one** of the following questions. **16**
- i) Give an account of the achievement of the major novelists of the 18<sup>th</sup> Century England.
  - ii) What is the significance of the precursors of the Romantic Movement?

\*\*\*\*\*