

**Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Open University**  
**Term End Examination January – 2022**

**Course:** S.Y.B.A. (New)  
**Subject Code:** ENGM/S -203  
**Subject Name:** History of English Literature-01

**Date:** 16/02/2022  
**Time:** 01:00pm to 03:00pm  
**Duration:** 2 Hours  
**Max. Marks:** 50

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**Q-1.** Attempt a brief note on the Cultural and Intellectual background of the Age of Chaucer. **10**

**OR**

Discuss in detail Geoffrey Chaucer's major works based on the syllabus you have studied.

**Q-2.** Which writers are known as The University Wits and why? Explain. **10**

**OR**

Write a note on the Literary characteristics of the Restoration age.

**Q-3.** Provide a detailed overview of the characteristics of the Victorian novel. **10**

**OR**

Discuss the literary output of the Bronte sisters' and George Eliot during the Victorian era.

**Q-4. Write short notes on any two of the following.** **10**

- A) William Shakespeare.
- B) John Dryden
- C) Society in the Augustan age.
- D) The Industrial revolution.
- E) Modernism and Postmodernism

**Q- 5. Choose the correct option from the given options:** **10**

1. The third class in the age of Chaucer, known as the Ecclesiastic means belonging to \_\_\_\_\_.  
A) Church    b) Gentry    c) Knight    d) working man
2. Who introduced "The Heroic Couplet into English Verse"?  
A) Lowett    b) Moody    c) Wycliffe    d) Chaucer
3. *The Shepheardes Calendar* by Spenser is divided into \_\_\_\_\_ eclogues.  
a) 13    b) 12    c) 14    d) 11
4. In which year did the Restoration period begin?  
a) 1694    b) 1770    c) 1660    d) 1760
5. What did Comedy of Manners often focus on?  
a) Sexual deceit    b) Honesty    c) Happiness    d) Punishment
6. A novel written as a series of documents, usually letters is known as \_\_\_\_\_ novel.  
a) Picaresque    b) burlesque    c) Epistolary    d) None of these
7. When were the Lyrical Ballads published?  
a) 1796    b) 1797    c) 1798    d) 1800
8. The Victorian literature was most remarkable for its development of the \_\_\_\_\_ form.  
a) poetry    b) novel    c) prose    d) drama
9. Which of the following novel is called a "Novel without a Hero"?  
a) Vanity fair    b) Mill on the floss    c) Pickwick papers    d) Northanger Abbey
10. Which poem of Tennyson is a long series of meditations on the death of his close friend Arthur Henry Hallam?  
a) Timbuctoo    b) The Lady of Shallot    c) The Lotus Eater    d) In Memoriam