

## Paper I : FENG 601 - Introductory British Literature – II

### 1 mark questions

1. As Francis Bacon puts in his essay entitled 'Of Ambition', who must not be ambitious in a war?
2. Which is the Historical example of using ambitious man? Point out on the basis of Bacon's essay 'Of Ambition'.
3. How does Francis Bacon define ambition in his essay entitled 'Of Ambition'?
4. Which Metaphors Charles Lamb uses to explain the meaning of poor relations?
5. According to Charles Lamb when do the poor relations visit you?
6. Charles Lamb says that the servants of the host are confused when the poor relations visit you. Why are they confused?
7. Why does the author call the poor relations 'unwanted creatures'?
8. What does the angel represent in 'Professions for Women'?
9. Who are the major characters in 'The Prime of Miss Jean Brodie'?
10. In Charles Dickens 'Oliver Twist' what were the boys given for their meals?
11. What was Oliver's job at regular workhouse?
12. How did Oliver Twist get his name?

### 5 mark questions

- UNIT I**
13. According to Francis Bacon what happens if ambition is not stopped? Illustrate
- OR**
- How does the author differentiate between the male poor relations and female poor relations?
- UNIT II**
14. Who runs the home for young orphans where Oliver lives for nine years: and how does Oliver violate the rules of the workhouse?
- OR**
- In Dickens' Oliver Twist, whom did the tall boy threaten to eat? Who used to take out gruel from the copper during mealtimes?
- UNIT III**
15. How does Virginia Woolf present herself in 'Professions for Women'?
- OR**
- How does Miss Brodie Symbolise fascism in 'The Prime of Miss Jean Brodie'?

### 15 mark questions

- UNIT I**
16. AMBITION is like cholera; which is an humor that maketh men active, earnest, full of alacrity, and stirring, if it be not stopped. But if it be stopped, and cannot have his way, it becometh adust, and thereby malign and venomous.
- OR**
- He is known by his knock, Your heart telleth you 'That is Mr, ---- A rap, between familiarity and respect; that demands, and at the same time, seems to despair of, entertainment. He entereth smiling and – embarrassed. He holdeth out his hand to you to shake, and – drawth it back again. He casually looketh in about dinner time – when the table is full.
- UNIT II**
17. In Charles Dickens's novel 'Oliver Twist', the title character is a nine-year old boy who lives in a workhouse. Discuss

**OR**

Write the story of 'Oliver Twist' in your own words.

**UNIT III**

18. What is the main theme of 'Professions for Women' by Virginia Woolf?

OR

"Virginia Woolf is addressing a group of women seeking employment in a workplace predominated by men". Discuss

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# Paper I : FENG-602 English for Competitive Exams

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### 1 mark questions

1. What do you mean by Scanning?
2. What are Textual linkers?
3. What are the various types of questions that can be framed or asked?
4. What is Intense reading?
5. What is the role of emotional substance in a letter writing?
6. What do we mean by Complaint letters?
7. How do we manage the problem of time constraint while writing an essay?
8. How do you link your ideas while writing an essay?
9. What do we mean by common Foreign Phrases?
10. What do we mean by Prefixes & Suffixes?
11. What is cohesion?
12. Give two examples of One Word Substitution?

### 5 mark questions

13. Explain the different types and tones of texts.  
**UNIT I**  
**OR**  
How important are Reading Skills while taking a competitive exam?
14. What is the significance & purpose of writing letters from the competitive exam point of view?  
**UNIT II**  
**OR**  
Explain the role of effective Application writing with example.
15. What do you understand by Common Foreign Phrases? Explain with examples.  
**UNIT III**  
**OR**  
Explain Synonyms & Antonyms with the help of 5 examples each

### 15 mark questions

16. Elaborate upon the different reading strategies ?  
**UNIT I**  
**OR**  
Explain the difference between Informative & Descriptive text with examples.
17. Write an essay on 'New Normal'.  
**UNIT II**  
**OR**  
Write an application to your officer requesting him to release your security money.
18. According to a report in Yesterday's newspaper 1. \_\_\_\_\_ police dog was taken to Raj Bhawan  
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Monday .This was to trace the 3. \_\_\_\_\_ of the "very important horse" which  
4. \_\_\_\_\_ reported missing on Sunday . The dog picked 5. \_\_\_\_\_ the scent on some traces  
of 6. \_\_\_\_\_ and ran a few yards before losing the 7. \_\_\_\_\_. The police has launched a  
vigorous 8. \_\_\_\_\_ into the whole affair . They have 9. \_\_\_\_\_ the services of a forensic

expert ,10. \_\_\_\_\_ fingerprint expert and a photographer. 11. \_\_\_\_\_ are fourteen horses at Raj Bhawan 12. \_\_\_\_\_ are kept in a large shed near the gate .

OR

Answer the following as directed.

a. Give two Antonyms and Synonyms of each

- a) Awkward
- b) Bleak
- c) Adhere
- d) Absolute
- e) Adjunct

b. Frame words by using the following Prefixes-

- a) de
- b) dis
- c) ex
- d) il
- e) im
- f) in
- g) mis
- h) mal
- i) pre
- j) pro

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