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**DHANALAKSHMI SRINIVASAN COLLEGE
OF ARTS & SCIENCE FOR WOMEN
(AUTONOMOUS)**

(For Candidates admitted from 2020-2021 onwards)



UG DEGREE EXAMINATIONS APRIL - 2021

B.A., – ENGLISH

COMPARATIVE LITERATURE

Time: 3 Hrs

Max.Marks: 75

PART - A

CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER

(10X1=10)

1. The chief proponent of general literature is....
a) Kant b) Van Tiegham c) Etimbele d) Saint Beauve
2. Imaginative literature is known as...
a) Leit Motif b) Zeitgeist c) Dichtung d) Novella
3. A handbook of comparative literature was written by
a) Fernand Baldensperger b) Elisabeth Frenzal
c) Paul Van Tieghem d) Paul Hazard
4. The problem of delay in 'Hamlet' was studied by
a) Freud b) Jung c) Ernest Jones d) Henry James
5. A smaller unit of the age can be called -----When same characteristic literary tendency tendencies tend to occur periodically.
a) Epoch b) Era c) Period d) School
6. What opposed Thematic Studies as Incomplete studies
a) Shakespeare b) Ezra Pound c) Sylvia Plath d) Baldensperger
7. Ulrich Weisstein Periodization is based on the work of
a) R. M Meyer b) H.B.H Teizing c) Goethe's d) Plato
8. Who is the great pioneer of Romantic Poetry
a) Wordsworth b) Keats c) Shelley d) William Blake
9. S. T Coleridge was a student of
a) Aristotle and Plato b) Goethe and Dante
c) Kant and Schelling d) Samuel Butler and Nietzsche
10. Work and other language was accessible to Russian through...
a) English b) French c) German d) Italian

PART - B

ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS

(5X7=35)

11. a) What are the objectives of Comparative Literature?

(OR)

b) Examine the views of Paul Van Tiegem on Comparative Literature, World Literature and National Literature.

12. a) Discuss the Goethean concept of World Literature

(OR)

b) Write a short note on the theory of Rene Wellck

13. a) Write a short note on French attitude towards Comparative Literature

(OR)

b) What is Passive Influence?

14. a) How does Ulrich Weisstein study the notion of influence in Comparative Literature?

(OR)

b) Write a short note on the term 'epoch'.

15. a) Discuss the importance of Periodization

(OR)

b) Discuss how Literature expresses general attitude towards life.

PART - C

ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS

(3X10=30)

16. Distinguish between Literary Language and other types of Language.

17. Write an essay on influence studies in Comparative Literature.

18. Bring out the differences between the French and American views of Comparative Literature.

19. What kind of relationship that Eliot envisages for religion and literature?

20. Write in detail about Prescriptive and Descriptive study of Genre.