

# **COOCH BEHAR PANCHANAN BARMA UNIVERSITY**

B.A. Honours 1st Semester Examination, 2020, held in 2021

#### **ENGLISH**

# BRITISH POETRY AND DRAMA: 17<sup>TH</sup> CENTURY

# CORE-2

Time Allotted: 2 Hours Full Marks: 40

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

#### Answer any two questions from the following

 $20 \times 2 = 40$ 

- 1. Discuss John Donne as a metaphysical poet in respect to the poems prescribed in your syllabus.
- 2. Comment on the fusion of Hellenic and Hebraic elements in the Invocation of *Paradise Lost (Book-I)*.
- 3. Discuss John Webster's *The Duchess of Malfi* as a tragedy of blood and horror.

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# BRITISH POETRY AND DRAMA: FROM CHAUCER TO THE END OF 16<sup>TH</sup> CENTURY CORE-1

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# Answer any two questions from the following

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- 1. Discuss how far can the Wife of Bath be taken as a radical feminist in Chaucer's *The Wife of Bath's Prologue*.
- 2. Can Shakespearean sonnets be considered as an example of autobiographical exercises? Discuss with reference to the sonnets prescribed in your syllabus.
- 3. Discuss *Macbeth* as a Shakespearean tragedy.

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