JAMSHEDPUR WOMEN’S COLLEGE

DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

BA II, Semester – 4

Paper – CC 8

British Literature: 18th Century

Model Question Paper (1)

 FM: 80

Time: 2 hours

Objective Type Questions: (20 X 1 = 20)

1. *Elegy written in A Country Churchyard* was written soon after the death of Gray’s friend \_\_\_\_\_.
2. West
3. East
4. Hallam
5. Tom
6. Gulliver was recommended as a surgeon, soon after his return from Leyden, in a ship called \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ .
7. The Swallow
8. Antelope
9. Adventure
10. Hopewell
11. *The Way of the World* has both ‘Prologue’ and ‘Epilogue’
12. True
13. False
14. How many dramas did Congreve write?
15. One
16. Five
17. Ten
18. Eleven
19. *Elegy written in A Country Churchyard* is probably about a simple village called \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ .
20. Southampton
21. Green - head Ghyll
22. Grasmere Vale
23. Stoke Poges
24. In *Gullivers Travels*, ship *Antelope* set sail from \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ on May 4, 1699.
25. London
26. Leyden
27. Bristol
28. Nottinghamshire
29. Gulliver introduces himself at the beginning of the novel. Gulliver was sent to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ College in Cambridge.
30. Emanuel College
31. Leyden College
32. Bates College
33. None of the above
34. In Swift’s novel, facial features of the Emperor of Lilliputians resembles King George I, yet Gulliver describes the assortment of features as handsome but George I was notoriously gross and ugly.
35. True
36. False
37. Lilliput's Principal Secretary of Private Affairs, pays a visit to Gulliver and explains the faction quarrels between the High Heel Party and the Low Heel Party is over \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
38. Egg breaking
39. Heels of men and women
40. Wealth
41. Horses colours
42. Which of the following is a prose satire?
43. Gulliver’s Travels
44. The Way of the World
45. Both
46. None of them
47. In Congreve’s play, who will forfeit half the fortune if he / she does not marry without the approval of Lady Wishfort?
48. Mirabell
49. Millamant
50. Witwoud
51. Marwood
52. Where is Act 1 of Congreve’s *The Way of the World* set?
53. Chocolate House
54. St Jame’s Park
55. In Mirabell’s House
56. None of the above
57. When was Congreve’s masterpiece *The Way of the World* produced?
58. March 1700
59. May 1705
60. March 1707
61. May 1710
62. Who is the servant of Mirabell?
63. Wishfort
64. Waitwell
65. Foible
66. Petulant
67. Who is the rich Aunt of Millamant?
68. Mrs Fainall
69. Wilfull
70. Lady Wishfort
71. None of the above
72. Both Mrs Fainall and Mrs Marwood are in love with Mirabell.
73. True
74. False
75. Gray refused the Poet Laureateship in 1757.
76. True
77. False
78. When was Jonathan Swift’s *Gullivers Travels* first published?
79. 1726
80. 1730
81. 1735
82. 1700
83. *The Way of the World* is a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ comedy.
84. Neo –classical
85. Renaissance
86. Restoration
87. Victorian
88. “Full many a gem of purest ray serene / the dark unfathomed caves of ocean bear”
89. Thomas Gray
90. Jonathan Swift
91. Congreve
92. None of these

Very Short Answer Questions. Answer in 1 or 2 words: (5 x 2 = 10)

1. The Emperor of Lilliputs wanted to capture the entire navy of \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Name the last play written by Congreve.
3. Who reveals Mirabell’s trick to Lady Wishfort at the beginning of the play?
4. Who wrote *The Elegy in the Country Churchyard*?
5. Name the ship that sank leading to Gulliver’s adventure in the land of Lilliputs.

Short Answer Questions. Answer in about 150 words only: (10 x 5 = 50)

1. What is an Elegy? How does Gray sum up melancholy and obscurity in the poem?
2. What is an Epitaph? In Grey’s poem, what is written on the Epitaph?
3. Why does Gulliver run away from the court of Lilliputs to Blefuscu island?
4. Write a short note on the realism in Swift’s novel.
5. Write a short note on any ONE characteristic of Restoration age.
6. Briefly discuss Swift’s *Gulliver’s Travels* as a satire on English court and society.
7. Write a short note on Comedy of Manners.
8. Attempt a short character sketch of Mirabell.
9. Attempt a short character sketch of Lady Wishfort or Millamant.
10. In Act 2, why does Mr Fainall quarrels with Mrs Marwood?