



PRESIDENCY UNIVERSITY

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Mid - Term Examinations – October 2025

Date: 07-10-2025

Time: 02.00pm to 03.30pm

School: SOLAS-UG	Program: I BAE/IBAP	
Course Code: ENG1017	Course Name: Introduction to Literary Studies	
Semester: I	Max Marks: 50	Weightage: 25%

CO - Levels	C01	C02	C03	C04	C05
Marks	26	24			

Instructions:

- (i) Read all questions carefully and answer accordingly.
- (ii) Do not write anything on the question paper other than roll number.

Part A

Answer ALL the Questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

5Q x 2M=10M

1	Outline the importance of literature.	2 Marks	L1	C01
2	List the example for literary and Nonliterary writings.	2 Marks	L1	C01
3	List the difference between dialogue and monologue.	2 Marks	L1	C01
4	Define the functions of first-person narrative.	2 Marks	L1	C02
5	Outline the difference between Episodic and personal narrative.	2 Marks	L1	C02

Part B

Answer the Questions.

Total Marks 40M

6.	Explain the purpose of literature with suitable examples of your choice.	10 Marks	L2	C01
Or				
7.	“Literature provides insights into the world views and enriches critical thinking.” Discuss the statement with relevant examples.	10 Marks	L2	C01

8.	Compare the fictional narrative and the real historic events with suitable examples.	10 Marks	L2	CO 1
Or				
9.	“Drama or the play is the reflection of the evils in the society.” Explain the context with suitable examples.	10 Marks	L2	CO 1

10.	Summarize the advantages of first-person narrative and relate the impact of the narrative in the reader’s mind.	10 Marks	L2	CO 2
Or				
11.	Explain Freytag’s pyramid of plot structure with any movie or the novel of your choice.	10 Marks	L2	CO 2

12.	“Freytag’s pyramid provides a structural outline and the foundational skeleton for the plot to be designed.” Explain the context with suitable examples.	10 Marks	L2	CO 2
Or				
13.	Classify the types of narrative with suitable examples for each.	10 Marks	L2	CO 2