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(ENGLISH)

(THIRDYEAR)

(PART-III)

720: SHAKESPEARE

(Common with B.A English and Communication)

Time: Three hours

Maximum: 100 marks

I. Annotate any FIVE of the following passages, choosing (5×4=20) atleast TWO from each section.

SECTION – A

- When I a moor I would not be Iago. In following him I follow but myself; Heaven is my judge, not I for love and duty, But seeming so for my peculiar end.
- 2. You taught me language and my profit ain't Is I know how to curse. The red plague rid you for learning me your language!
- O, then I see Queen mab hath been with you.... She is fairies midwide, and she comes In shape no bigger than an agate stone.....
- 4. O Romeo, O Romeo Wherefore are thou Romeo? Deny thy father and refuse thy name.

SECTION – B

- 5. He had no drowning me thinks mark upon him, his complexion is perfect gallows.
- 6. Make me a willow cabin at your gate and call upon my soul within the house Write loyal contons or contemned love.
- 7. O heaven, that such companions thou 'Idst unfold' and put in every honest hand in whip to lash the rascals naked through the world even from the east to west!
- 8. I am glad I have found this napkin this was her first rembrance from the moor...

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(1×20=20)

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(2×20=40)

Answer ONE of the following:

- 9. Treat Iago as the villain of 'Othello'.
- 10. How does Shakespeare portray Othello as a tragic hero?
- 11. Analyse the role that race plays in Shakespeare's play 'Othello'.

III. Answer ONE of the following:

II.

- 12. Analyse the character of Miranda.
- 13. Discuss the nature of Prospero and Miranda's relationship.
- 14. Is Prospero Shakespeare's mouthpiece? Elucidate.

IV. Answer any TWO of the following:

15. a) Comment on Shakespeare's use of history in the play "Richard II".

(OR)

- b) Analyse the character of king Richard II.
- 16. a) Compare and contrast the character of Romeo and Juliet.

(OR)

- b) Comment on the role played by Father Lawrence in "Romeo and Juliet".
- 17. a) Justify the title of the play "Twelfth Night"

(OR)

b) Sketch the character of Niola.
