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END OF SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS, OCTOBER, 2024

LEVEL: 200

COURSE CODE: EBC 244

COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO LITERATURE IN ENGLISH

TIME ALLOWED: 2 HRS

STUDENT'S INDEX NUMBER:



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GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:

- This paper is made up of ONE SECTION.
- The Section is made up of five essay type questions.
- Answer any THREE questions in your answer booklet.
- Each question carries equal marks. You are expected to start each question on a new page.
- You are expected to hand over your answer booklet to the invigilator before you leave the examination hall.

Instruction: Answer any three (3) questions, one from each part, in the answer booklet provided.

PART A - POETRY

Answer only ONE question from this section.

1. With reference to William Shakespeare's *Sonnet 16*, analyse the structure of a Shakespearean sonnet and explain how it enhances the poem's meaning.

20 marks

2. Using specific examples, discuss any **three (3)** themes in Maya Angelou's *Caged Bird*. **20 marks**
3. Identify and comment on any four (4) figurative devices used by Kwesi Brew in *The Mesh*. **20 marks**

Part B - DRAMA

Answer only **ONE** question from this section.

4. With reference to **three (3)** incidents, explain how Kobina Sekyi uses satire to expose the absurdities of society in The Blinkards. **20 marks**
5. Comment on any **four (4)** roles of Mrs Borofosem in the development of the plot in Kobina Sekyi's The Blinkards. **20 marks**

Part C- PROSE

Answer only **ONE** question from this section.

6. With **three (3)** suitable illustrations, discuss how Chinua Achebe portrays the theme of corruption in Man of the People. **20 marks**
7. Using any **two (2)** relevant examples, analyse the portrayal of women in Achebe's Man of the People. **20 marks**



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