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P (2<sup>nd</sup> Sm.) – English-G-CC-2/GE-2/CBCS

U.G. Intermediate Examination

**Kishore Bharati Bhagini Nivedita College (Co-Ed)**

**2020**

ENGLISH – GENERAL

**CC2/GE2 PAPER**

Full Marks: 32+10

Time: 2 Hours

Students are requested to address the internal examination as a separate segment.

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

**Candidates have to send the scanned answer scripts via e-mail to the following IDs :**

[Englishdepartmentkbbnc@gmail.com](mailto:Englishdepartmentkbbnc@gmail.com) & [agni17jun@gmail.com](mailto:agni17jun@gmail.com)

**Answer any two of the following questions within 500 words (Both questions cannot be attempted from the same question number) –**

**2 x 16 = 32 Marks**

1. 'I had no intention of shooting the elephant...'  
Explain in detail how and why the eventual decision of shooting the elephant was taken in Orwell's '**Shooting an Elephant**'.

**OR**

Write a note on the major themes in George Orwell's '**Shooting an Elephant**'?

2. What account do you find of little Lamb's grandmother from the essay '**Dream Children: A Reverie**'?

**OR**

Consider '**Dream Children: A Reverie**' as a personal essay.

3. Chart the evolution of Raina Petkoff through Shaw's play '**Arms and the Man**'.

**OR**

Establish '**Arms and the Man**' as an anti-romantic comedy.

4. Discuss the character of Rosalind in '**As You Like It**'.

**OR**

Discuss and illustrate the different varieties of love in Shakespeare's '**As You Like It**'.

5. Discuss the character of Michael Henchard in Hardy's 'The Mayor of Casterbridge'.  
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**OR**

Establish Hardy's 'The Mayor of Casterbridge' as a tragedy.

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### **INTERNAL EXAMINATION**

**Answer any five of the following questions:**

**2 x 5 = 10 Marks**

1. Name the person who bought Susan and her child from the wife auction.
  2. For how many years did Michael Henchard vow to abstain from alcohol after selling his wife and child in a drunken bout?
  3. 'In \_\_\_\_\_, in Lower Burma, I was hated by large numbers of the people.'  
Which place in Lower Burma is being talked about by Orwell?
  4. What was the profession of George Orwell in Lower Burma as mentioned in 'Shooting an Elephant'?
  5. Who was Charles in Shakespeare's 'As You Like It'?
  6. What name did Rosalind go by when she disguised herself as a man?
  7. What rank was held by Raina's father in the Bulgarian army?
  8. Who was Louka engaged to in 'Arms and the Man'?
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