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UA04EEEN01: Reading and Understanding Fiction
18/04/2016, Monday Time: 02:30 P.M to 04:30 P.M

Total Marks: 60

Q 1. Attempt the Following Multiple Choice Questions.

15 marks

1. *Hard Times for These Times* was first published in serial installments in Dickens's _____ magazine.
a. *The Tough Time* b. *Household Words* c. *The Victorian* d. *The Time*
2. _____ is the daughter of a circus entertainer.
a. Louisa b. Rachael c. Sissy Jupe d. Sparsit
3. To Stephen, _____ represents domestic happiness and moral purity.
a. Louisa b. Sissy Jupe c. Rachael d. Mrs Pegler
4. The original name of Tom is _____.
a. Tomerd Gradgrind b. Stephen Gradgrind c. George Gradgrind d. Thomas Gradgrind
5. _____ described novel as a Pocket Theatre.
a. Scott James b. F. Marion Crawford c. H G Wells d. Matthew Arnold
6. Dickens used "_____" term for the lowest labours in Coketown's factories.
a. Blacks b. Poor c. Hand d. Slave
7. _____ loves Rachael in *Hard Times* by Charles Dickens.
a. Stephen b. Tom c. Gradgrind d. Bounderby
8. The _____ century novel is firmly established by Richardson.
a. Seventeenth b. Eighteenth c. Nineteenth d. Twentieth
9. *Gulliver's Travel* was written by _____.
a. Thomas Nash b. Daniel Defoe c. Sampson d. Jonathan Swift
10. "I don't like to call myself a feminist writer" said _____.
a. Gayatri Spivak b. Julia Kristeva c. Shashi Deshpande d. Sasthi Brata
11. Melchizedek was the king of _____.
a. Salem b. Brazil c. Egypt d. Israel
12. *Tristram Shandy* is written by _____.
a. James Joyce b. D H Lawrence c. Sterne d. T S Eliot
13. *That Long Silence* won the _____ award in 1990.
a. Pulitzer b. Sahitya Akadami c. Booker Prize d. Nobel Prize
14. Which of the following is a collection of short story by James Joyce?
a. *Dubliners* b. *Stars Above* c. *Treats* d. *all of these*
15. Who gave name to Jaya?
a. Her Mother b. Her Father c. Her Brother d. Her Sisters

Q.2. Discuss in detail the form of Novel and its development.

OR

15 marks

Q.2. "Jaya the hero has no confidence in life following death. Nor is she a supporter of any specific gathering. She is a journalist in the truest feeling of the expression and the novel records her self-investigation. There is a statement in the novel that she might start another life, making a close of her long quiet. She was like Sita who never addressed her spouse; and now she had determined to consume the part of Maitreyee who wished to address everything and even tested her spouse. The novel closes with Jaya's declaration that she will start another existence with her husband" Discuss the statement in light of your reading of the novel *That Long Silence*.

Q.3. Who is the true Alchemist in the novel *The Alchemist*? Analyse the significance of title with reference to the plot of the novel.

OR

15 marks

Q.3. How far do you agree that all the characters in the novel *Hard Times* by Dickens are really in their Hard Times? Critically analyse each character with reference to your reading of the novel.

Q.4. Attempt ANY TWO short notes.

15 Marks

- 1) Novel in Present Time
- 2) Stephen Blackpool
- 3) Jaya – The Victor
- 4) Santiago and his Dreams