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## English Literature – SYBAENG202

Pre-Romantic Age to the Victorian Age

Total Marks:70 10.00 a.m. to 12.00 p.m.

Note: Figures to the right indicate full marks.

Mention clearly the option you attempt.

Q-1 "In the context of the spirituality that pervades the poem, the Mariner's story can be seen as one of Sin and Penance." Comment on the theme of the poem, *The Rime of The Ancient Mariner*.

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OR

- Q-1 Write a detailed note on the significance of the title, The Rime of The Ancient Mariner.
- Q-2 Discuss in detail the comic elements of the play, She stoops to conquer.

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## <u>OR</u>

- Q-2 "The play, She stoops to conquer is a lighthearted farce that derives its charm from the misunderstandings which entangle the well-drawn characters".- Discuss.
- Q-3 *The Mayor of Casterbridge* tells of the rise and fall of Michael Henchard, who, starting from nothing after abandoning his wife and daughter, gains prosperity and respect".

  Discuss in detail the character of Michael Henchard in the light of this statement. [17]

## <u>OR</u>

- Q-3 Write a detailed note on the themes of the novel, The Mayor of Casterbridge.
- Q-4 "A central theme of the "Ozymandias" poems is the inevitable decline of rulers with their pretensions to greatness". Discuss.

OR

Q-4 "When the Lamp Is Shattered" is a poem of thirty-two lines expressing the loss of ecstatic poetic creativity in response to the loss of a beloved woman's affections".

