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# M. A. (Sem. II) (CBCS) (W.E.F. 2019)

# **Examination**

May - 2023

**English: CCT-06** 

(Criticism As a Response to Literature-I)
(New Course)

Time: 2:30 Hours / Total Marks: 70

1 How does Widdowson trace the concept of 'literature' from its earliest origins? Discuss.

#### OR

- 1 Elucidate, how according to Barthes, is Criticism only a metalanguage discovering 'validities'?
- What is meant by 'criticism in crisis'? How, according to
  Gary Day, is its meaning changed during the late twentieth century?

## OR

- 2 Analyse Gary Day's history of criticism as observed in his 'Greeks and Romans.'
- 3 Examine Gary Day's 'Medieval Criticism' as a significant critical commentary.

## OR

- 3 Discuss Gary Day's account of the principles of 'Grammatica' and 'Neoplatonism' and ideas about poetry and drama prior to the rise of the vernacular.
- 4 Trace the development of English Renaissance criticism 14 as observed by Gary Day in his 'English Renaissance Criticism.'

## OR

- 4 Discuss how the political attempt to control the vernacular was countered by economic developments during the Renaissance.
- 5 Write short notes on any two of the following. 14
  - (1) 'The Literary' according to Widdowson
  - (2) Barther's interpretation of contemporary criticism.
  - (3) Gary Day's comments of Language of criticism in 'Greeks and Romans'.
  - (4) Gary Day's observation of the character of criticism during the Renaissance.