

# Internal Exam. (Sem IV)

Answer all the questions within due time. Each question carries 1 point.

1. What was Ulysses's son's name? (1 point)
  - Teleportus
  - Television
  - Telemachus
  - Penelope
  
2. In the "Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard," the poet speaker stresses the (1 point)
  - laziness of the rural poor
  - shallowness of family life
  - equalizing nature of death
  - generosity of land owners.
  
3. Who is the narrator, or speaker, of Browning's "My Last Duchess"? (1 point)
  - The poet
  - Robert Browning
  - The Duke
  - The Duchess
  
4. What are the goblin men selling? (1 point)
  - Delicious fruits
  - Exotic spices
  - Golden dishes
  - Beautiful silks
  
5. What is the subject taming the sea-horse in the statue by Claus of Innsbruck? (1 point)
  - Apollo
  - Zeus
  - Mars
  - Neptune

6. Which of the following lines has an example of alliteration from Gray's "Elegy"? (1 point)
- "The curfew tolls the knell of parting day"
  - "The plowman homeward plods his weary way"
  - "And leaves the world to darkness and to me"
  - "Molest her ancient solitary reign"
7. Literary critics have tried to identify the original churchyard that provided the inspiration for Gray's "Elegy". Incidentally, the poet himself is buried here. Which one could it be? (1 point)
- The churchyard at Grantchester
  - Westminster Abbey
  - Winchester Cathedral churchyard
  - Stoke Poges churchyard
8. The opening lines of the "Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard" are set at (1 point)
- Twilight
  - Daybreak
  - Midnight
  - Noon
9. Where is the painting of Duchess in Browning's poem? (1 point)
- On a wall visible to everyone
  - In a cupboard
  - Behind a curtain
  - In an Art folder
10. Tennyson's *Ulysses* is primarily an example of a(n) \_\_\_\_\_. (1 point)
- Epic
  - Sonnet
  - Elegy
  - Dramatic Monologue
11. The poem "Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard" refers to power and glory that fade, and to illustrate these, three famous figures are named in the poem. Who are they? (1 point)
- Shakespeare, Queen Elizabeth, Sir Walter Raleigh
  - Hampden, Cromwell, Milton

- Wordsworth, Southey, Shelley
- Dickens, Thackeray, Emily Bronte

12. What is meant by the phrase 'a spot of joy' in "My Last Duchess"? (1 point)

- A brightness in the eye
- A blush
- A time of merriment
- A tear

13. Who painted the picture of Duchess in Browning's poem? (1 point)

- Fra Pandolph
- Fra Randolph
- Fra Rudolph
- Andrea del Sarto

14. What is the meter of the poem, "Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard"? (1 point)

- Iambic tetrameter
- Dactylic hexameter
- Trochaic trimeter
- Iambic pentameter

15. 'This grew; I gave commands; then all smiles stopped together.' - How should these lines be interpreted? (1 point)

- The Duchess stayed out of her husband's way
- The Duke is somehow responsible for the Duchess's early death
- The Duke forgave his wife and stopped tormenting her
- The Duchess grew to hate her husband and divorced him

16. What classic work most influences Tennyson's poem, Ulysses? (1 point)

- Sophocles' *Oedipus Rex*
- James Joyce's *Ulysses*
- Euripides' *Hecuba*
- Homer's *Odyssey*

17. Ulysses is the king of what island? (1 point)

- Macedonia
- Ithaca
- Greece
- Icaria

18. Johnson's satirical poem ,'London' is based on a satire about Rome by which Roman poet? (1 point)

- Horace
- Juvenal
- Persius
- Virgil

19. Tennyson wrote *Ulysses* in response to what major biographical event? (1 point)

- Becoming England's Poet Laureate
- The death of his best friend
- The death of his father
- Having to quit college to take care of his family

20. Which of these is **not** one of the petty jealousies mentioned by the Duke? (1 point)

- A white mule
- The dropping of the daylight
- A cute puppy
- A bough of cherries