

FYBBA English - I  
18/3/2016

OP3 AFT

Time: 2 ½ hours

Total Marks: 75

- N.B: 1. All questions are compulsory.  
2. Figures to the right indicate full marks
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**Q1. Write short notes on (Any 2):** (15)

- a. Lyric                      b. Satire  
b. Hamartia                d. Ode

**Q2. A.** Discuss the major themes in Oscar Wilde's *The Importance of Being Earnest*. (15)

OR

**Q2. B** Explain in detail the significance of title of the play, *The Importance of Being Earnest*. (15)

**Q3. A.** Comment on Walter Scott's poem "*Lochinvar*" as a narrative poem. (15)

OR

**Q3. B** Critically appreciate the poem "*Soap*" by Nissim Ezekiel with special emphasis on the themes given. (15)

**Q4. Write short notes on any two:** (15)

- a. 'Romantic love' in *The Importance of being Earnest*.  
b. *The Importance of being Earnest* as a comedy of Manners.  
c. The character sketch of Jack Worthing.  
d. Institution of marriage in *The Importance of being Earnest*.

**Q5. Write short notes on any two:** (15)

- a. Thematic appreciation of the poem *Ode to the Nightingale*.  
b. *Piping Down the Valleys Wild* as a romantic poem.  
c. *My Last Duchess* as a dramatic monologue.  
a. Central idea of the poem *On His Blindness*.
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