

Laxmi Narayan Dubey College, Motihari

Internal Assessment Examination-2023

1st SEMESTER

SUBJECT: ENGLISH (Minor MIC-01), Indian Classical Literature

Full Marks: 15

(15 ×1= 15)

1. Who is the author of the abridged version of the Mahabharata titled "Mahabharata" by C. Rajagopalachari?
a) R.K. Narayan b) R.K. Laxman c) C. Rajagopalachari d) R.K. Narayanan
2. Which of the following is NOT a key character in the Mahabharata?
a) Arjuna b) Krishna c) Rama d) Yudhishtira
3. What is the primary theme of the Mahabharata?
a) Love and Romance
b) Epic War and Dharma (Duty)
c) Political Intrigue
d) Mythological Creatures
4. Who is considered the central figure and hero of the Mahabharata?
a) Arjuna b) Krishna c) Bhishma d) Yudhishtira
5. What is the name of the sacred scripture that contains the Bhagavad Gita, a part of the Mahabharata?
a) Upanishad b) Vedanta c) Rigveda d) Mahabharata
6. Who is the original author of "Kadambari"?
a) Bhasa b) Kalidasa c) Banabhatta d) M.R. Kale
7. What is the genre of "Kadambari"?
a) Epic Poetry b) Historical Fiction c) Romance and Fantasy d) Philosophy
8. "Kadambari" is written in which ancient Indian language?
a) Sanskrit b) Pali c) Prakrit d) Tamil
9. What is the central narrative of "Kadambari" (Purvabhaga)?
a) The life of a king
b) The love story of Chandrapida and Kadambari
c) The journey of a warrior
d) A philosophical discourse
10. Who translated the "Purvabhaga" of "Kadambari" into English?
a) M.R. Kale b) R.K. Narayan c) Kalidasa d) Banabhatta
11. In which ancient Indian epic is the Bhagavad Gita found?
a) Ramayana b) Mahabharata c) Kadambari d) Arthashastra
12. Who is the charioteer and guide of Arjuna in the Bhagavad Gita?
a) Yudhishtira b) Bhishma c) Krishna d) Duryodhana

13. Which of the following is NOT a key theme in Indian epics like the Mahabharata?
- a) Duty (Dharma)
 - b) Love and Romance
 - c) Morality
 - d) Destiny (Fate)
14. "Kadambari" is often associated with which genre of literature?
- a) Fantasy
 - b) Science Fiction
 - c) Historical Fiction
 - d) Mystery
15. Who is the revered sage and author of many ancient Indian texts, including the Mahabharata?
- a) Vyasa
 - b) Valmiki
 - c) Vishnu
 - d) Varuna