



## WEST BENGAL STATE UNIVERSITY

B.A./B.Com. Programme 2nd Semester Supplementary Examination, 2021

### ENGLCOR02T-ENGLISH (LCC2)

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 50

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.*

#### **Attempt all the questions**

1. In *The Quality of Mercy*, Mercy is compared to  
(a) a soft breeze (b) the wild seas  
(c) gentle rain (d) tall trees
2. *Mercy* is enthroned in the  
(a) kingdom of God (b) moneybag of the Jew  
(c) judge (d) heart of kings
3. The *sceptre* symbolizes  
(a) the force of temporal power (b) the strength of the warrior  
(c) the financial status of the king (d) the knowledge of the leader
4. The poet of *The Reverie of Poor Susan* is  
(a) William Jones (b) William Carey  
(c) William Wordsworth (d) William Shakespeare
5. The expression *hangs a thrush* in *The Reverie of Poor Susan* means  
(a) a song bird  
(b) a thrush sitting on a hanging branch and singing  
(c) a bird from Russia  
(d) a bird hanging
6. In *The Reverie of Poor Susan* the small cottage is located  
(a) beside the green pastures (b) in London  
(c) in Wood Street (d) in Cheapside
7. Susan remembers the cottage  
(a) as a forbidden place (b) as a reverie  
(c) as one of her many shelters (d) as her only dwelling
8. The season described in the poem, *Sympathy* is  
(a) autumn (b) spring  
(c) winter (d) monsoon
9. The flowing river in the poem, *Sympathy* is compared to  
(a) a stream of glass (b) a dirty canal  
(c) a river full of fish (d) a deep lake

10. The bird's wing is '.....' and his bosom '.....'  
 (a) red, blue (b) bruised, sore  
 (c) happy, sad (d) excited, tired
11. The caged bird's song is actually  
 (a) a song of joy (b) an opera  
 (c) a loud shout (d) prayer and a plea
12. "Feels shorter than the Day"— What feels shorter than the day?  
 (a) evening (b) months (c) centuries (d) life
13. What are the scenes that the poet passed by with Death?  
 (a) hospital, college, palace (b) mountain, valley, river  
 (c) school, fields, setting sun (d) hut, palace, fort
14. Whom did Hughie want to marry?  
 (a) Emily (b) Anna (c) Laura (d) Kathy
15. Alan Trevor was a  
 (a) teacher (b) soldier (c) policeman (d) painter
16. Hughie gave the old man a  
 (a) sovereign (b) copper (c) guinea (d) shilling
17. The statement, *Philip was a doting husband* from the story, *A Cup of Tea* is  
 (a) false (b) true (c) partly true (d) none of these
18. The poor woman asked Rosemary  
 (a) for a cup of coffee (b) for a glass of water  
 (c) money for a cup of milk (d) money for a cup of tea
19. Rosemary brought the poor, starving woman home because  
 (a) she was charitable (b) she knew her  
 (c) the woman pleaded to accompany her (d) none of these
20. In the short story, *The Accursed House*, the vicomte had inherited money from his  
 (a) uncle who was a miser (b) mother  
 (c) concierge (d) tenants
21. When Bernard said that the vicomte had 'lunched too well, perhaps ...' he meant that  
 (a) his landlord had eaten too much of meat  
 (b) his landlord had thrown a party  
 (c) his landlord had spent a lot of money in the restaurant  
 (d) his landlord had been drinking too much at lunch
22. When the lodgers first heard about the lowering of rent, they  
 (a) clustered together and chatted eagerly (b) broke into a fight  
 (c) jumped in joy (d) began to accuse one another
23. What was the commotion all about in Uncle Podger's house?  
 (a) Uncle Podger was going to catch a flight (b) Uncle Podger was going to catch a train  
 (c) Uncle Podger was going to hang a picture (d) Aunt Podger was ill
24. The girl was sent out by Uncle Podger  
 (a) to get nails (b) to get the hammer  
 (c) to get the picture (d) to get fish and chips

25. Uncle Podger's concluding remark was  
 (a) that he was very tired  
 (b) that he liked doing a little job of this sort  
 (c) that the charwoman was the root of all confusion  
 (d) none of these
26. The antonym of *justice* is  
 (a) unjust (b) judgement (c) judgemental (d) injustice
27. The noun form of *mitigate* is  
 (a) intimidate (b) metabolism (c) mitigation (d) unmitigated
28. The superlative form of *better* is  
 (a) best (b) worst (c) happiest (d) bad
29. The opposite of *earthly* is  
 (a) watery (b) muddy (c) clear (d) unearthly
30. Another word for *vapour* is  
 (a) mist (b) silence (c) flow (d) dream
31. The noun form of *appear* is  
 (a) apparent (b) appearing (c) appearance (d) disappear
32. The opposite of *ascending* is  
 (a) mounting (b) descending (c) assembling (d) recent
33. The appropriate antonym of *enchantment* is  
 (a) unenchantment (b) disenchantment (c) deenchantment (d) misenchantment
34. The meaning of *keener* is  
 (a) sharper (b) cleaner (c) toner (d) dull
35. The antonym of *caged* is  
 (a) tree (b) free (c) home (d) angry
36. The synonym of *perfume* is  
 (a) a dark spot (b) a child (c) fragrance (d) a painting
37. *Chalice* means  
 (a) mug (b) bowl (c) large cup or goblet (d) dish
38. The word *opes* is an archaic term for  
 (a) ropes (b) pose (c) polls (d) opens
39. The French word for *Mister (Mr.)* is  
 (a) Monsieur (b) Madam (c) Herr (d) Lord
40. The adjective form of *apology* is  
 (a) apologise (b) apologies (c) apologised (d) apologetic
41. The meaning of *ineffectual* is  
 (a) lacking in power (b) being effective  
 (c) being influential (d) lacking in common sense
42. The word *amazement* means  
 (a) astonishment (b) hurtful experience  
 (c) angel (d) a new car

43. The meaning of *antique* is  
(a) angel (b) very old (c) very new (d) ugly
44. The meaning of *dreadfully* is  
(a) terribly (b) gracefully (c) exquisitely (d) all of these
45. The noun form of *amiable* is  
(a) amity (b) honesty (c) amidst (d) amiability
46. *Philanthropy* is  
(a) dislike towards mankind (b) desire for wisdom  
(c) the desire to do good for others (d) to eat, drink and be merry
47. *Catastrophe* means  
(a) marriage (b) donation for a good cause  
(c) going from place to place (d) an extremely destructive event
48. An antonym of *hinder* is  
(a) help (b) fear (c) obstruct (d) amaze
49. The word *grunt* means  
(a) a low sound expressing disapproval (b) jump about  
(c) sleep deeply (d) shop
50. Another word for *row* is  
(a) hammer (b) commotion  
(c) dance (d) drama

**N.B. :** *Students have to complete submission of their Answer Scripts through E-mail / Whatsapp to their own respective colleges on the same day / date of examination within 1 hour after end of exam. University / College authorities will not be held responsible for wrong submission (at in proper address). Students are strongly advised not to submit multiple copies of the same answer script.*

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