

**Avinashilingam Institute for Home Science and Higher Education for Women
Coimbatore – 641 043
Bachelor's Degree Examination – November 2017**

V Semester

**Class : III UG
Major : English**

**Time : 3 Hours
Max. Marks : 100**

15BENC16 Women Writing in English

Part – A

10 x 1 = 10

Choose the Correct Answer

1. When will Greece finally love Helen?
a. When She's dead
b. When she comes home from Troy
c. When she apologizes
d. When she cuts her hair
2. Judith wrights started to write poetry at the age of -----
a. 6
b. 7
c. 8
d. 9
3. ----- is the doctor in "Nectar in a sieve".
a. Rukmani
b. Nathan
c. Kenny
d. Kunthi
4. Ammu is Murugan's ----- wife
a. Faithfuul
b. Unfaithful
c. Honest
d. Educated
5. Doris lessing's Nobel Lecture ponders the changing role of ----- in modern society.
a. Reading
b. Writing
c. Speaking
d. Listening
6. Hasina works for a ----- factory in Brick Lane.
a. Leather
b. Garment
c. Silk
d. Paper
7. Nazneen learns of Shahana's plan from -----
a. Letter
b. TV
c. Newspaper
d. Bibi
8. Who thrives on the misfortune of other in "Nectar in a sieve".
a. Biswas
b. Janaki
c. DAS
d. Sivaji
9. Atticus agrees to defend a black man named ----- in "To kill Mockingbird".
a. Tom Robinson
b. Bibin
c. Tom Helfin
d. Scout
10. "To Kill a Mockingbird" is told from which perspective?
a. Criminal
b. youth
c. Middle aged
d. college aged

Part – B

5 x 6 = 30

Answer the following

Answer should not exceed 400 words or two pages

11.a. How does Helen's gender affect her situations?

(Or)

11.b. Bring out the poetic qualities in Judith wright's "Fire at murdering hut"

12.a. Sketch the character of Nathan.

(Or)

12.b. What is the relationship between Rukmani and the tannery?

13.a. Bring out the reason which made Lessing to back to 1980's?

(Or)

13.b. What are the messages of Lessing in "On not Winning the Nobel Prize".
to her readers.

14.a. Write a note on Bangladeshis community in "Brick Lane".

(Or)

14.b. Sketch the character of Karim in "Brick Land".

15.a. What are some of character traits in "TO Kill A Mocking bird?"

(Or)

15.b. How does Scout change during the course of the Novel To kill A Mockingbird?

Part – C

5 x 12 = 60

Answer the following

Answer should not exceed 800 words or four pages

16.a. Critically analyse the poem "Helen".

(Or)

16.b. Discuss the theme the poem " Fire at the Murdering Hut".

17.a. Explain Rukmani's position as a women in "Nectar in s sieve".

(Or)

17.b. Justify the title of the novel "Nectar in a sieve".

18.a. Illustrate the life of African's as depicted in "On not winning the Nobel Prize".

(Or)

18.b. How does Lessing criticize the ignorance of privileged countries towards
education and literature.

19.a. Write an essay on the summary of the novel "Brick lane".

(Or)

19.b. Elucidate Nazeen's Journey towards self – realization in the novel "Brick Lane"

20.a. Discuss the concept of family and Lee's presentation of the American family.

(Or)

20.b. Analyze the relationship between Boo and the children in "To Kill a Mocking Bird".
