



Question Bank For PG Course

English

6th Paper

AMERICAN LITERATURE : PGEG-VI

Question 1

Which one was the first successful English colony on the American soil? এখানে বাংলা ভাষায় প্রশ্ন লিখুন

Question 2

Who wrote History of Plymouth?

Question 3

Who wrote: "The American is a new man, who acts on new principles...?"

Question 4

Who were 'the Connecticut Wits'?

Question 5

Who is called "the Father of American Transcendentalism"?

Question 6

What does Emerson look for in the concluding part of his essay "The Poet"?

Question 7

In which year was Thoreau's Walden published?

Question 8

What is the name of Ahab's whaling ship in Melville's Moby Dick?

Question 9

Who is the narrator in Melville's Moby Dick?

Question 10

Who is the protagonist of Hemingway's The Old Man and the Sea?

Question 11

What does the word 'nada' discussed in the context of Hemingway's novel mean?

Question 12

When was Faulkner's The Sound and the Fury first published?

Question 13

Who is the central character of Faulkner's *The Sound and the Fury*?

Question 14

When was *Sula* first published?

Question 15

Who had an artificial leg in the story "Good Country People"?

Question 16

Whose favourite saying is "Nothing is perfect" in "Good Country People"?

Question 17

Who moved uneasily on the bench in Madison Square in O. Henry's story "The Cop and the Anthem"?

Question 18

Whose nom de plume is O. Henry?

Question 19

What is Whitman's poem "Passage to India" about?

Question 20

What does Dickinson's Poem 137 express?

Question 21

In which poem does the line "Something there is that doesn't love a wall" occur?

Question 22

Who wrote "After Apple-Picking"?

Question 23

When was Wallace Stevens born?

Question 24

Where do you find the line: "I saw the best minds of my generation destroyed by madness"?

Question 25

Which is the first play of the trilogy *Mourning Becomes Electra*?

Question 26

Which is the time period of the action of Mourning Becomes Electra?

Question 27

Who is 'Electra' in Mourning Becomes Electra?

Question 28

Where does the character Willy Loman appear?

Question 29

What is the name of Willy Loman's wife?

Question 30

Who is the salesman in Miller's Death of a Salesman?

Question 31

Who expounded the Frontier thesis?

Question 32

Who coined the term "American dream"?

Question 33

Which century in America was the Age of Enlightenment?

Question 34

Under which title was Emerson's "The American Scholar" reprinted in London in 1844?

Question 35

What is the source of the four lines of the second epigraph used in Emerson's essay "The Poet"?

Question 36

Where is the Walden Pond where Thoreau stayed, situated?

Question 37

Who is the narrator of Moby Dick?

Question 38

Who among the following was an oriental strange Parsee in Moby Dick?

Question 39

Which character survives at the end of Moby Dick?

Question 40

What was the name of Captain Ahab's whaler in Moby Dick?

Question 41

Which character in Morrison's Sula has one leg?

Question 42

Who invents an annual "Suicide Day" in Sula?

Question 43

The burning of which character is witnessed passively by Sula?

Question 44

Who is the idiot in Faulkner's The Sound and the Fury?

Question 45

Of which Shakespearean play does the title of Faulkner's novel The Sound and the Fury remind us?

Question 46

What was the quest of Santiago in The Old Man and the Sea?

Question 47

How many luckless days did Santiago pass?

Question 48

Where did Soapy move 'uneasily' in O'Henry's "The Cop and the Anthem"?

Question 49

What is the preponderant aesthetic device found in Flannery O'Connor's "Good Country People"?

Question 50

Into how many sections or chants is Whitman's "Song of Myself" divided?

Question 51

Who is referred to as "Genoese" in Whitman's "Passage to India"?

Question 52

Which plant is seen in the land of Frost's neighbour in "Mending Wall"?

Question 53

When does the mending operation take place every year in Frost's "Mending Wall"?

Question 54

In which anthology of Frost are "Mending Wall" and "After Apple-Picking" included?

Question 55

Towards which direction were the horses' heads at the end of Dickinson's "Because I Could Not Stop for Death"?

Question 56

The phrase "concupiscent curds" in Wallace Stevens's "The Emperor of Ice-Cream" is an example of

Question 57

To whom did Ginsberg dedicate his poem "Howl"?

Question 58

Who among the following is the embodiment of success in Arthur Miller's *Death of a Salesman*?

Question 59

What was Jim's endearing nickname for Laura in Tennessee Williams's *The Glass Menagerie*?

Question 60

Who among the following is the supposed counterpart of Agamemnon in Eugene O'Neill's *Mourning Becomes Electra*?