

I B.Sc.
Mid-term Examination
English

Date: . 27/ 10/2021

Max. Marks: 40

Time: 1 hr. 30 minutes

Answer any 4 of the following questions in about 200 words each:
40 marks

1. Discuss the features of Ballad in Coleridge's 'Rime of the Ancient Mariner'

2. Do you think 'The Man comes Home' will be a more appropriate title than 'The Boy Comes Home'? Justify your answer with support of your answer.

3. Discuss any three traits in the character of astrologer and support your answer with lines from the text.

4.
Write the summary and analysis of the following sonnet: 10 marks
Summary: 100 words
Analysis: 100 words

*Let me not to the marriage of true minds
Admit impediments. Love is not love
Which alters when it alteration finds,
Or bends with the remover to remove:
O no! it is an ever-fixed mark
That looks on tempests and is never shaken;
It is the star to every wandering bark,
Whose worth's unknown, although his height be taken
Love's not Time's fool, though rosy lips and cheeks
Within his bending sickle's compass come:
Love alters not with his brief hours and weeks,
But bears it out even to the edge of doom.
If this be error and upon me proved,
I never writ, nor no man ever loved.*

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a. Group the words according to the vowel sounds:

rice, flew, cool, fare, fear, high, chip, fight, wear, wool

b Say whether the past tense endings –ed are to be pronounced with a –t , -d or –id
The first one is done for you:

1. Clipped –t

because the final sound of the base word is /p/ , (no 1 in chart)which is voiceless.
(You can either give the symbol or indicate the number in the chart)

2.Verified 3.Bagged 4.Roasted 5.Flinched 6.Picked 7.Blushed
8.Judged 9.Advanced 10. Gathered. 11.Demanded