



University of Kelaniya – Sri Lanka

Centre for Distance and Continuing Education

Bachelor of Arts (General) Degree Third Examination (External) – 2023

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Faculty of Humanities

English

(Academic Years 2010 - 2016)

Romantic Poets - ENGL E3015

Answer any four (04) questions

No. of questions : 06

Time : Three Hours

1. What role does nature play in William Wordsworth's poetry? Discuss with reference to the poems you have studied.
2. "William Blake used his poetry to explore the realities and complexities of his time" Do you agree? Discuss.
3. Examine how John Keats's nature poetry reflects his sensitivity to subtleties of life and death.
4. "Percy Bysshe Shelley's poetry reflects and critiques the political transformations of his time". Comment on this statement with reference to the poems prescribed.
5. "Romantic poetry explores the relationship between the individual and the world through emotion, imagination, and nature." Discuss this statement with reference to any two poems you have studied.
6. "While Romantic poetry is deeply invested in nature, it also engages with the socio-political realities of its time". Choose any two prescribed poems and discuss.
