

BA.ENG. (H):1st Sem. Social & Literary History of England Code: BA.ENG101

OBJECTIVE: To Introduce to students to important trends in British social and literary history and thereby to enable the students to read and interpret British literature in perspective.

QUESTIONS:

- Q1. What was the need for Reformation of Church during the 14th century?
- Q2. Jacobean Drama uses a lot of macabre elements and violence, what does it say about the times?
- Q3. Modern Age or the 20th century is often called as the culmination of the debate of faith and doubt. What was this debate?
- Q4. The perceived failings of Modernism led to the rise of Postmodernism. Elucidate.
- Q5. What was the French Revolution? How did it influence the history of English literature?

PROCEDURE: For completing the assignment students should refer to the books mentioned in syllabus and they can take help from internet. The assignment should be handwritten and properly filled. Students should make assignment in the following manner:

1. Cover page
2. Objectives
3. Index
4. Content
5. Conclusion
6. References

OUTCOME: After doing this assignment, students will come to understand the British social and literary history which will enable the students to read and interpret British literature in perspective.

REFERENCE BOOKS:

- [1] Albert, Edward, History of English Literature, OUP, 2017
- [2] Dickens, Charles. A Child's History of England, Charles Scribner's Sons, 1905