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PG Even Semester Exam, 2025

Performing Arts

2nd Semester

COURSE NO. PAMD- 553

[Creative Writing / Play writing]

Full Marks : 70
Pass Marks : 28

Time : 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

Answer five questions, selecting one from each unit.

UNIT-I
(Introduction to playwriting)

1. Define and explain the care elements of Drama. How do these elements contribute to the construction of compelling a play? 14

Or

2. Write a short scene using the basic elements of playwriting explained on class room include at least two challenges. 14

Turn over

UNIT-II

(Dramatic Structure and Character Development)

3. Explain the following: 14
   a. Exposition
   b. Raising action
   c. Climax
   d. Falling action
   e. resolution

Or

4. Choose a character from any play and analyse their character Arc. How does the character's journey influence overall the story. 14

UNIT-III

(Genre Exploration)

5. Compare and contrast a) Tragedy, b) Comedy. Highlight their unique characteristics with examples. 14

Or

6. Write a tragedy play synopsis selected from Greek. Analyse your answers. 14

UNIT-IV

(Cultural Influences on Theatre)

7. Discuss how cultural and historical component influence the themes and characters in a play. Use examples. 14

Or

8. Write a brief play concept or scene that reflects your one cultural background. Explain how culture influenced. 14

UNIT-V

9. Explain the following : 14
   a. Meta-Theatre
   b. Non-lincar story telling Non-linear story telling
   c. Verbatim theatre.
10. Write a script to stage play using digital media. 14

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