MENHC-1.3

Sl. No.

I Semester M.A. Degree Examination, May/June - 2026

ENGLISH

Restoration and 18th Century English Literature

(CBCS SLM Scheme)

Time : 3 Hours **Maximum Marks : 80**

Instructions to Candidates:

All Sections are compulsory.

SECTION - A

Answer any Four of the following questions. **(4×5=20)**

1. The influence of science and rationalism on 18th-century English Literature.

2. Ariel in *The Rape of the Lock*.

3. Realistic novel.

4. Houyhnhnms in *Gulliver's Travels* Book IV.

5. New gate Prison in *Moll Flanders*.

6. Mirabell in *The Way of the World*.

SECTION - B

Answer any Three of the following questions. **(3×10=30)**

7. Comment on Tom-Sophia relationship in *Tom Jones*.

8. Examine *Moll Flanders* as a picaresque novel.

9. Discuss Swift's satire on human nature in Book IV of *Gulliver's Travels*.

10. How does *The Vicar of Wakefield* reflect domestic life and values of the 18th century?

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SECTION - C

Answer any Three of the following questions. **(3×10=30)**

11. Comment on the use of supernatural elements in *The Rape of the Lock*.

12. Consider *Absalom* and *Achitophel* as a political satire.

13. How does Gray present the lives of common people in "Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard"?

14. Assess the character of Lady Sneerwell in *The School for Scandal.*
