Krishna Kanta Handiqui State Open University

PhD Entrance Examination 2022
PART B

English

Full Marks: 50
Time : 1 hr 30 minutes

1. Answer any two from the following questions. (Write in about 200 words) **2X15=30**

a. Provide a discussion of the major premises of 20th century literary criticism and state their importance in academic research.

b. Discuss in detail 'the linguistic turn' during early 20th century that changed our ways of interpreting literary texts.

c. Consider any one type of literature and discuss how that particular type needs to be studied from the point of view of research.

2. Answer any two from the following questions. (Write in about 150 words). **2X10=20**

a. What according to you is the role of Intellectual History in research?

b. Write a note on History of Ideas.

c. What is meant by Life Writing? Do you think that Life Writing is an important subject for academic Research?

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