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**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION
ARTS**

LITT 431/434: EUROPEAN LITERATURE I

STREAMS: BED ARTS (PART TIME)

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: WEDNESDAY 06/10/2021

11.30 A.M – 1.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- **Answer question ONE (compulsory) and any other TWO questions.**
1. Using any of the texts studied in this unit, analyse the components of a Greek tragedy. (30 marks)
 2. With clear Illustrations from either Medea by Euripides or Antigone by Sophocles, critically examine the place of women in the ancient Greek Society. (20 marks)
 3. Identify the major thematic concerns of medieval literary writers with illustrations from either Canterbury Tales or The Divine Comedy. (20 marks)
 4. Discuss the relevance of Homer's Odyssey in Contemporary times. (20 marks)
 5. With clear illustrations from texts studied in this unit, explain the meaning of the terms. (20 marks)
 - (i) Hamartia
 - (ii) Peripeteia
 - (iii) Hubris
 - (iv) Agnorisis
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