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EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS

LITT 431/434: EUROPEAN LITERATURE I

STREAMS: B.ED ARTS

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: FRIDAY 13/12/2019 11.30 A.M. – 1.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer THREE questions, question ONE is compulsory.
- Avoid duplication of materials.

QUESTIONS

- 1. Trace the development of European literature from the Ancient Greece to the Classical Times. Use any two works of art studied in this unit for illustration. (30 marks)
- 2. Compare the contemporary literature with the Ancient Greece and the classical/Enlightenment Era Literature. (20 marks)
- 3. How do Pushkin's 'Queen of Spades' and Sophocle's 'King Oedipus' reflect the realities in Ancient Greece and the Classical Greek/Age of ENLIGHTENMENT drama?

 (20 marks)
- 4. Discuss the major influences of classical literature, giving examples from texts done in this unit. (20 marks)
- 5. "Modern Literature has borrowed a lot from the literary processes in Europe up to Enlightenment Era." Discuss. (20 marks)