



THE AMERICAN COLLEGE, MADURAI

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Re-accredited (2nd Cycle) by NAAC with Grade "A", CGPA – 3.46 on a 4-point scale

Backlog Arrear Examination, March 2021

ENS 1562

Poetry I Chaucer to Arnold

Time: 3 hrs

Max Marks: 75

Answer any FIVE of the following in about 300 words each (5x15=75)

1. Write a critical essay on the poem *Prothalamian*.
2. Explain the structure of sonnet with reference to Shakespeare's sonnet no. 130.
3. Discuss the metaphysical themes in *A Valediction Forbidding Mourning*.
4. Attempt an essay on symbols in Marvell's *To his Coy Mistress*.
5. Justify Dryden's *Mac Flecknoe* as a Satire.
6. Consider Alexander Pope's *Rape of the Lock* (Canto 5) as a Mock Epic.
7. Describe the fall of Satan in *Paradise Lost* (Book I).
