



# THE AMERICAN COLLEGE, MADURAI

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## Backlog Arrear Examination, March 2021

ENG/ENS 2468/2458/3671

New Literatures in English

Marks: 75

Time: 3 Hrs

Write essays on any five of the following in about 300 words each. 15 x 5 = 75

1. *The Lion and the Jewel* is a dramatization of the conflict between western modernity and traditional practices in Nigeria. Give reasons for your answer.
2. Comment on the role of photography in *The Lion and the Jewel*.
3. Justify the title *Things Fall Apart*.
4. Comment on the structure of the novel *Things Fall Apart*.
5. Examine the colonizer’s perspective reflected in “At Cooloolah.”
6. Discuss the theme of divided loyalty in “A Far Cry from Africa.”
7. Enumerate the differences between the western and non-western societies that Achebe mentions in his essay “The Nature of the Individual and His Fulfilment.”

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