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Backlog Arrear Examination, March 2021

ENG/ENS 3556/2418

Approaches to Literary Criticism/
Critical Approaches to Literature

Time: 3Hrs.
Marks: 75

I. Answer any FIVE of the following

(15x5 = 75)

1. Comment on the rebellion against father figures in Shakespeare's *Hamlet*.
2. Reflect on Hamlet and women in Shakespeare's *Hamlet* with reference to feministic criticism.
3. Analyze archetypal motifs and patterns in Hawthorne's "Young Goodman Brown".
4. Examine Andrew Marvell's "To His Coy Mistress" through historical and biographical approaches to literature.
5. Reflect on the conflict between Id and Superego in Hawthorne's "Young Goodman Brown".
6. Write an essay on Freud's theory of unconscious.
7. Analyze Hamlet's procrastination as a psychological disorder with reference to the concept of Oedipus complex.