

KANYASHREE UNIVERSITY

M.A. 1st Semester Examination-2024

Subject: English

Course- CC 2

Elizabethan Literature - II

Full Marks-40

Time-2.00 Hours

GROUP - A

(Answer **any four** of the following)

(5×4=20)

1. "Mischiefs feed/Like beasts, till they be fat, and then they bleed."- Explain.
2. Briefly comment on *Volpone* as a comedy of humours.
3. Why do you think Prospero treats Caliban and Ariel differently in *The Tempest*?
4. Write a brief note on the masque in *The Tempest*.
5. What is a 'conceit'? Answer with illustrations from some of the Metaphysical poems you have read.
6. Explain:
"Apollo hunted *Daphne* so,
Only that She might Laurel grow.
And *Pan* did after *Syrinx* speed,
Not as a Nymph, but for a Reed."
7. Briefly comment on the use of rhetorical questions in the poem "The Collar".

GROUP – B

(Answer **any two** of the following)

(10× 2=20)

1. What view of morality and justice is represented in Ben Jonson's *Volpone*?
2. Discuss *The Tempest* as a text about colonisation.
3. "The Extasie" by John Donne is a celebration of transcendental love. Elucidate.
4. Consider Henry Vaughan's "Regeneration" as a poem about a spiritual quest.
