

(FOR THE CANDIDATES ADMITTED

25UEL1A1

DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2025 ONLY)

REG.NO :

N.G.M.COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS): POLLACHI

END-OF-SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS: NOVEMBER-2025

B.A ENGLISH LITERATURE(AIDED)

MAXIMUM MARKS: 75

SEMESTER: I

TIME: 3 HOURS

PART-III

25UEL1A1 -SOCIAL HISTORY OF ENGLAND

SECTION – A

(10 X 1 = 10 MARKS)

ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS.

CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER.

(K1)

1. What was the system of governance introduced in England by the Normans?

- a) Socialism b) Feudalism c) Communism d) Marxism

2. Which was the first colony founded in America?

- a) Virginia b) Pennsylvania c) California d) Michigan

3. Who passed the first poor law?

- a) Queen Anne b) Queen Victoria c) Queen Elizabeth d) King Charles

4. How many field systems were followed in earlier ages?

- a) 2 b) 4 c) 5 d) 3

5. Which country dropped atom bomb on Japan cities Hiroshima and Nagasaki?

- a) Italy b) America c) Germany d) Russia

ANSWER THE FOLLOWING IN ONE (OR) TWO SENTENCES.

(K2)

6. Indicate the founder father of the English Navy.

7. Differentiate between Tories and Whigs.

8. Explain the ruling period of Queen Anne in England.

9. Explain how many years did the French revolution last?

10. Relate the reason of America entering in the Second World War.

SECTION – B

(5 X 5 = 25 MARKS)

ANSWER EITHER (a) OR (b) IN EACH OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS. (K3)

11. a) Assess the importance of the Reformation in England.

(OR)

b) Show the detailed account of the Tudor Navy and the Spanish Armada.

12. a) Describe the civil war and its social significance.

(OR)

b) Assess the social life in Restoration England.

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13. a) Discover the ideas of agriculture, commerce, and industry in the age of Queen Anne.
(OR)
b) Find out the salient features of the Oxford movement.
14. a) Assess the importance of the American War of Independence.
(OR)
b) Describe the Agrarian revolution in England in the 18th century.
15. a) Assess the characteristics of Welfare State.
(OR)
b) Assess the importance of National Insurance act and the National Health Service act.

SECTION – C**(5 X 8 = 40 MARKS)****ANSWER EITHER (a) OR (b) IN EACH OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS. (K4 (Or) K5)**

16. a) Analyze the merits and demerits of feudalism.
(OR)
b) Summarize the social life in Renaissance England.
17. a) Analyze the characteristics of Puritan Age..
(OR)
b) Discuss the colonial expansion of England.
18. a) Analyze the Key development in Queen Victorian period.
(OR)
b) Evaluate the importance of the Reform Bills.
19. a) Analyze the effects French Revolution On England.
(OR)
b) Summarize the beneficial and the harmful results of the Industrial Revolution.
20. a) Analyze Great Britain and the first world war.
(OR)
b) Analyze Great Britain and the Second World War.

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