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FIRST TERM EXAMINATION 2025/2026 ACADEMIC SESSION

NAME					
SUBJECT	LITERATURE-IN-ENGLISH	CLASS	JSS 2	DURATION	1 Hour

SECTION A OBJECTIVE TEST [30 Marks]

Instruction: Answer all questions in this section

1. "The wind whispered through the trees" is an example of:

- a) metaphor
- b) personification
- c) simile
- d) alliteration

2. "Life is a journey" is an example of:

- a) simile
- b) metaphor
- c) hyperbole
- d) irony

3. "She is as brave as a lion" contains:

- a) metaphor
- b) personification
- c) simile
- d) onomatopoeia

4. The repetition of initial consonant sounds in words is called:

- a) rhyme
- b) rhythm
- c) alliteration
- d) assonance

5. "The bag weighed a ton" is an example of:

- a) metaphor
- b) hyperbole
- c) simile
- d) personification

6. When a writer gives hints about what will happen later in a story, it is called:

- a) flashback
- b) foreshadowing
- c) symbolism
- d) irony

7. "Buzz," "crash," and "bang" are examples of:

- a) alliteration
- b) metaphor
- c) onomatopoeia
- d) simile

8. The main character in a story is called the:

- a) antagonist
- b) protagonist
- c) narrator
- d) author

9. When the opposite of what is expected happens, it is called:

- a) metaphor
- b) symbolism
- c) irony
- d) alliteration

10. The repetition of vowel sounds within words is called:

- a) alliteration
- b) consonance
- c) assonance

- d) rhyme

11. A short story that teaches a moral lesson is called:

- a) fable
- b) biography
- c) novel
- d) essay

12. The person who tells the story is called the:

- a) author
- b) character
- c) narrator
- d) reader

13. The time and place where a story occurs is called the:

- a) plot
- b) setting
- c) theme
- d) conflict

14. The series of events in a story is called the:

- a) setting
- b) character
- c) plot
- d) theme

15. A story told by someone who is not a character in the story uses:

- a) first person narration
- b) second person narration
- c) third person narration
- d) fourth person narration

16. The central message or lesson in a story is called the:

- a) plot
- b) setting
- c) character
- d) theme

17. In Chinua Achebe's "Things Fall Apart," the main character is:

- a) Ezinma
- b) Okonkwo
- c) Nwoye
- d) Ikemefuna

18. A play that ends sadly, usually with the death of the main character, is called:

- a) comedy
- b) tragedy
- c) satire
- d) farce

19. The written text of a play is called a:

- a) novel
- b) script
- c) poem
- d) story

20. Words spoken by a character that other characters cannot hear are called:

- a) dialogue
- b) monologue
- c) aside
- d) soliloquy

21. A long speech by one character in a play is called a:

- a) dialogue
- b) monologue
- c) conversation
- d) discussion

22. The list of characters in a play is called:

- a) cast
- b) crew
- c) audience
- d) performers

23. Instructions in a play that tell actors what to do are called:

- a) dialogue
- b) monologue
- c) stage directions
- d) script

- d) limerick

24. A play that is meant to make people laugh is called a:

- a) tragedy
- b) comedy
- c) drama
- d) thriller

25. A group of lines in a poem is called a:

- a) verse
- b) stanza
- c) chorus
- d) paragraph

26. The pattern of rhymes at the end of lines in a poem is called:

- a) rhythm
- b) meter
- c) rhyme scheme
- d) alliteration

27. A poem that tells a story is called a:

- a) lyric poem
- b) narrative poem
- c) sonnet
- d) haiku

28. A poem that expresses personal feelings is called a:

- a) narrative poem
- b) epic poem
- c) lyric poem
- d) ballad

29. The regular pattern of stressed and unstressed syllables in poetry is called:

- a) rhyme
- b) rhythm
- c) alliteration
- d) metaphor

30. A traditional Japanese poem with three lines is called a:

- a) sonnet
- b) ballad
- c) haiku

SECTION B THEORY (30 marks)

Answer all questions

1. Define the following;

- a. Plot b. Conflict c. Playwright d. Aside e. Flashback f. Cast g. Dialogue h. Antagonist i. Climax j. Suspense

2. Write short note on the following:

- a. Theme b. Setting c. Irony d. Metaphor e. Personification

