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EASTERN UNIVERSITY, SRI LANKA

SECOND YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION IN ARTS AND CULTURE (2012/13) – 2013/14 – NOVEMBER - 2016

EN 2213 SHORT STORY

Time: Three (03) Hours.

Instruction to the candidates

- Answer any four (04) questions.
- Give suitable examples for each answer.
- Marks will be deducted for wrong spellings and wrong grammar.

Answer any four (04) questions from the following:

1. Describe the elements of short story in detail with suitable examples.
2. Discuss the psychological background of the short story "The Rocking Horse Winner" by D. H. Lawrence.
3. Who is the real protagonist and real villain in the short story "The Birthmark" by Nathaniel Hawthorne? Explain with suitable examples, illustrating from the text.
4. "In the short story 'The Fly' by Katherine Mansfield, the character Boss is unnamed for a special purpose." Discuss the above statement with respect to the above story.
5. Explain the key themes in the short story "A Good Man is Hard to Find" by Flannery O'Connor.
6. Write a character sketches of any two major characters in the short story "Hills Like White Elephants" by Ernest Hemingway.