

EASTERN UNIVERSITY, SRI LANKA

SECOND YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION IN ARTS AND CULTURE
(2013/2014) – 2014/15 (OCTOBER/NOVEMBER – 2016)

EN 2113 SOCIAL HISTORY OF ENGLAND

Time: Two (03) Hours.

Instruction to the candidates

- Answer any three (03) questions from Part – I and any two (02) questions from Part - II.
- Give suitable examples for each answer.
- Marks will be deducted for wrong spellings and wrong grammar.

PART – I

Answer any three questions from the following:

1. List out the followings during the times of Reformation and Restoration in England with special reference to Puritanism:
 - i. Facts
 - ii. Attitudes
 - iii. ideas and ideology
2. Assess the impact of the events in England:
 - i. French Revolution
 - ii. Pendle witches
 - iii. Victorian Ideas
 - iv. World Wars
 - v. Colonialism on England
3. Explain the following with reference to the roles of science and religion, the village and the town life in England and the Industrial Revelation:
 - i. Iron and Industry
 - ii. Factories and machines
 - iii. Factory reforms
 - iv. The Death of industry
4. Narrate the followings with reference to the impact of the agricultural and agrarian practices prevailed throughout the social history of England:
 - i. Black Death
 - ii. Tolpuddle Martyrs
 - iii. The Three Estates

(3 X 20 = 60 marks)

Part II

Answer any two questions from the following:

5. Define and conceptualize the terms, 'history', 'social history' and 'social history of England' in synchronic and diachronic approaches.
6. 'Elizabethan England is the golden period for development of culture, arts, and reason' Elucidate.
7. "The invasion and evolution of Christianity in England controlled and determined the social and political history of England signifying Monastic life". Analyze.

(2 X 20 = 40 Marks)