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Formative Assessment (FA), 2026

FYUGP 2nd Semester

English (AEC)

Paper : EN-AE-2112

(Language- I)

Time : 1 hour

Full Marks : 20

1. Answer the following questions : 1×4=4
 - a) Which figure of speech is used in “The sun smiled down on the earth” ?
 - b) What celestial object is mentioned in *Sonnet 116* ?
 - c) How does man spoil ‘Heaven’s glorious works’ in *The Sea View* ?
 - d) Whose son was Reggie in *The Fly* ?
2. Answer **any three** of the following : 2×3=6
 - a) Define Alliteration with an example.
 - b) Distinguish between Metaphor and Simile with examples.
 - c) What was the reaper doing in the poem, *The Solitary Reaper* ?
 - d) Why is Galileo Galilei called the father of modern science ?
 - e) Write a brief note on the evolution of the English language.
3. Answer **any two** of the following questions : 5×2=10
 - a) You are Amit/Arpita applying for the post of a Student Counsellor at Sunshine College, Guwahati in response to their advertisement that appeared in *The Assam Tribune*. Write a formal letter of application to the Principal of the college along with your detailed resume.
 - b) You witnessed a collision between a speeding motorbike and a stationary bus at the busy Central Mall bus stop. As a Staff

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Correspondent for *The Daily City News*, draft a report in 100-125 words for your newspaper.

- c) Discuss the theme of unwavering and eternal constancy of true love in *Sonnet 116*.
- d) Katherine Mansfield's *The Fly* is a poignant modernist tale exploring grief and emotional repression. Justify the above statement.



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