

# 淡江大學 102 學年度進修學士班轉學生招生考試試題

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科目：英國文學（一）

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I. Identify the full name of the authors of the following works: 20%

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| 1. <i>The Canterbury Tales</i>   | 2. <i>Holly Sonnets</i>        |
| 3. <i>The Faerie Queene</i>      | 4. <i>Paradise Lost</i>        |
| 5. <i>The Rape of the Lock</i>   | 6. <i>Astrophil and Stella</i> |
| 7. <i>Doctor Faustus</i>         | 8. <i>Twelfth Night</i>        |
| 9. <i>Every Man in His Humor</i> | 10. <i>The New Atlantis</i>    |

II. Identify the authors and the titles of the works from which the following extracts are taken: 20%

- Give me the map there. Know that we have divided / In three our kingdom: and 'tis our fast intent / To shake all cares and business from our age; / Conferring them on younger strengths, while we / Unburden'd crawl toward death.
- Some books are to be tasted, others to be swallowed, and some few to be chewed and digested; that is, some books are to be read only in parts; others to be read but cursorily; and some few to be read wholly, and with diligence and attention.
- Here is a poor burdened sinner. I [Christian] come from the City of Destruction, but am going to Mount Zion, that I may be delivered from the Wrath to come; I would therefore, Sir, since I am informed that by this Gate is the Way thither, know if you are willing to let me in?
- I was born in the year 1632, in the city of York, of a good family, though not of that country, my father being a foreigner of Bremen who settled first at Hull. He got a good estate by merchandise and, leaving off his trade, lived afterward at York, from whence he had married my mother.
- My Reconcilement to the Yahoo-kind in general might not be so difficult, if they would be content with those Vices and Follies only which Nature hath entitled them to.

III. Briefly answer the following questions: 20%

- What are the main features of morality plays?
- What are the important aspects of a Medieval English romance?
- What are the differences between a folk epic and an art epic?
- What are the differences between the renaissance poetry and the metaphysical poetry?

IV. Essay Questions: Select TWO of the following easy questions. 40%

- Discuss “the three estates,” or the three social divisions reflected in Geoffrey Chaucer’s *The Canterbury Tales*.
- Discuss the importance of Christian values in *Sir Gawain and the Green Knight*.
- Discuss the carpe diem theme in some famous poems such as Christopher Marlowe’s “To His Coy Mistress” and Robert Herrick’s “To the Virgins.”
- Chose any of John Donne’s poems and discuss the typical features of the metaphysical poetry.