

注意 1. 答案必須寫在試卷上, 否則不予計分。
2. 試題和試卷一併繳回。

I. Name the authors of the following works. (20%)

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| 1. The Wretches (Les Miserables) | 6. Resurrection |
| 2. Doctor Zhivago | 7. The Brothers Karamazov |
| 3. An Enemy of the People | 8. Manon Lescaut |
| 4. Remembrance of Things Past | 9. The Triumph of Death |
| 5. Carmen | 10. The Praise of Folly |

II. Explain the following terms in English. (28%)

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| 1. Armageddon | 6. Tetralogy |
| 2. Deus ex machina | 7. The Vulgate |
| 3. Catharsis | |
| 4. foreshadowing | |
| 5. Tower of Babel | |

III. The following four passages are excerpted from the literary works. Your answer must include (1) the author (2) the title of the works (3) a brief discussion of the passage in the light of the whole literary works. (12%)

1. To be, or not to be, ---that is the question
Whether 'tis nobler in the mind to suffer
The slings and arrows of outrageous fortune,
Or to take arms against a sea of troubles,...
2. Was this the face that launched a thousand ships
And burnt the topless towers of Ilium?
3. And take pity on me, remember your own father.
Think me more pitiful by far, since I
have brought myself to do what no man else
has done before---to lift my lips the hand
of one who killed my son.
4. In our society, the worst enemy to truth and freedom is the majority.
Yes! The damnable, solid, liberal majority---that the great menace....
The majority is never right---never, I tell you! That's one of those
social lies against which every free intelligent man ought to rebel...

IV. Answer the following questions in English. (40%)

1. What is "dramatic irony"? Give an example.
2. What is "epic simile" in Homeric poems? Give an example.
3. What is "Pleiade"? What are their contributions to the French literature in the sixteenth century?
4. Why was Jean-Jacques Rousseau important to the French Revolution and democracy? Discuss his writings on political theories which were one of the main causes of the French Revolution.