

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 Prince      | 6. A Psalm of Life          |
| 2. The Miser       | 7. The Red Badge of Courage |
| 3. Human Comedy    | 8. The Sound and the Fury   |
| 4. Antigone        | 9. King Lear                |
| 5. Transformations | 10. The Mill on the Floss   |

II. Explain the following terms in English. (20%)

1. Elegy    2. Dream Allegory    3. Aesthetic Distance  
4. Utopia    5. Epiphany

III. The following passages are excerpted from the literary works. Your answers 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. (30%)

1. All the world's a stage,  
And all the men and women merely players.  
They have their exits and their entrances;  
And one man in his time plays many parts,  
His acts being seven ages. ....
2. "Man's love is of man's life a thing apart,  
Tis woman's whole existence; man may range  
The court, camp, church, the vessel, and the mart;  
Sword, gown, gain, glory offer in exchange  
Pride, fame, ambition, to fill up his heart,  
And few there are whom these cannot estrange;  
Man have all these resources, we but one,  
To love again, and be again undone."
3. The yellow fog that rubs its back upon the windowpanes,  
The yellow smoke that rubs its muzzle on the windowpanes  
Licked its tongue into the corners of the evening,  
Lingered upon the pools that stand in drains,  
Let fall upon its back the soot that falls from chimneys,  
Slipped by the terrace, made a sudden leap,  
And seeing that it was a soft October night,  
Curled once about the house, and fell asleep.

IV. Answer the following questions in English. (30%)

1. Write as much as you know about an English or American play you like best. And why?
2. Discuss Aristotle's ideas about plot construction, catharsis, probability, necessity, and literary function in the Poetics.