

Introduction to Western Literature

I. Define the following in English: 40%

1. allegory 2. epic 3. gothic novel 4. morality play 5. archetype

II. Essay Questions: 60%

1. "Modernism" has been called "the tradition of the new," consciously rejecting old habits of thought and familiar literary forms while striving to reflect our century's social and political changes, its danger and anxieties, its rapid growth in technological and psychological knowledge. Can you define some literary characteristics of modernism according to the above-mentioned statement?
2. After you have read the tragedies of Aeschylus, Sophocles, and Euripides, what kind of human nature can you draw from their literary texts?

1. 答案一律寫在試卷上，否則不予計分。
2. 請標明題號依序作答，不必抄題。
3. 試題應隨同試卷繳回，不得帶出試場。