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ENGLISH
(Honours)

ENG-310
EUROPEAN LITERATURE IN TRANSLATION

Full Mark: 50

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.

Answer **any five** of the following questions:

5x10 = 50

1. In *The Outsider*, Meursault is condemned to death not for his act of murder, but for violating the standards of society. Comment.
2. Critically assess the character of Olga Ivanovna.
3. Critically examine the relationship of Olga Ivanovna and Ryabovsky.
4. Discuss some important features of an epic with special reference to Book 1 of *The Odyssey*.
5. Analyze the importance of the role of Pallas Athena in helping Telemachus on his journey towards manhood in Book 1 of *The Odyssey*.
6. Give a comparative analysis of the characters of Antigone and Ismene.
7. Discuss the play *Antigone* as a tragedy.
8. Explore the theme of happiness in Anton Chekov's *Gooseberries*.
9. "And I picked up a stone, still blackened by the fire".

In the light of the given line, examine the short story *Mother Savage* as a depiction of tragedy of innocent civilians caught up in a war.

10. Write a note on the elements of humour and irony in the short story *The Jewels* by Guy de Maupassant.

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