

系所(組)別：英國語文學系

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考試科目：英美文學

1. Shakespeare is the most important figure in English literature. His masterpieces include Romeo and Juliet, Hamlet, A Midsummer Night's Dream, The Merchant of Venice, etc. Write a short essay on one of the above works, or on any play you know well by Shakespeare. (35%)
2. Typical literary form of the romantic writers in English Romantic Period consists of the love lyric, the nature lyric and the reflective lyric. Renowned poets in this period include Wordsworth, Coleridge, Byron, Shelly and Keats. Discuss some of the characteristics of the love poetry or nature poetry. (35%)
3. There are many great writers in American literature, among them Mark Twain, Nathaniel Hawthorne, Edgar Allan Poe, F. Scott Fitzgerald, William Faulkner and Ernest Hemingway. Discuss one of the above novelists or any American fiction you are familiar with. (30%)