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M. A. (English) (Sem. I) (CBCS) Examination

March – 2022

**ECT-1 (D) : European Classics
- Greek And Roman**

Time : $2\frac{1}{2}$ Hours]

[Total Marks : 70

- Instructions :** (1) Attempt any five questions.
(2) All questions carry equal marks.

- 1 Write a detailed note on the protagonist of *The Odyssey*. 14
- 2 Explain the important themes of *The Odyssey*. 14
- 3 "*The Wasps* is a brilliant combination of political and social satire."- Explain. 14
- 4 Give a character sketch of Xanthias. 14
- 5 Write a note on the character of Oedipus. 14
- 6 "Sophocles' Oedipus offers an example of how individual human beings can find ways to assert their independence within the limits determined by their destiny." - Explain. 14
- 7 According to Plato, what makes the philosopher-king the best possible ruler? Do you agree with his analysis? 14
- 8 "Plato pits philosophy-based education in confrontation with traditional poetrybased education."-Justify. 14
- 9 Write short notes : 14
 - (1) Telemachus
 - (2) Sosias
- 10 Write short notes : 14
 - (1) Jocasta
 - (2) Aesthetic Criticism