

I. Please define the following terms: 40%

1. irony
2. Shakespearean sonnet
3. epic
4. romance
5. metaphysical poetry
6. allegory
7. mock epic
8. *carpe diem*

II. Essay Question—Please choose THREE of the following literary works to interpret. Remember to point out who the author is and to discuss in detail its theme, plot, structure and literary skills. 60%

1. *Paradise Lost*
2. *The Canterbury Tales*
3. *Sir Gawain and the Green Knight*
4. *Beowulf*
5. *The Faerie Queene*
6. *Morte Darthur*
7. *Doctor Faustus*