

Third Semester Internal Examination, September 2026

VAC Course in BA Functional English

Framing Values: Literary and Cultural Narratives for Humanities and Other BA Programs

ENG3FV108(1B)

Time: 1 Hr

Max Marks: 30

Name:	Marks Scored	Section A		Total Marks
Class:		Section B		
		Section C		

Section A

(Each question carries 2 marks, Max marks for section – 8)

1. Why was Subha's mother often irritated with her?
2. What question does the landlady ask Soyinka when he reveals that he is African?
3. How did the narrator counter Gunga Ram's superstition?
4. What does the poet mean by "In perfect time and measure"?
5. What was the mistake made by Aristotle? How could he have avoided it?

Section B

(Each question carries 6 marks, Max marks for section – 12)

6. How does Soyinka wield irony in the poem to critique racial stereotyping?
7. How was the children's faith different from that of Gunga Ram?
8. How does Tagore sensitively portray the burden of parents who have disabled children?

Section C

(Answer any one question, Each question carries 10 marks)

9. What are the ways in which people could avoid foolish opinions and dogmatism according to Russell?
10. Analyse the poet's perspective on civilization and the relationship between nature and human life, as depicted in the poem "Water".