

## SEPTEMBER ASSIGNMENTS

Write any four essays

1. The English Civil War and Its Impact on Literature
2. Hellenic and Hebraic Conventions in Milton's Poetry
3. Milton's Prose
4. Metaphysical Poetry
5. Dryden's attack on Shadwell in Mac Flecknoe
6. Restoration Comedy

Write more beautiful essays like before on the topics

1. The Periodical Essay
2. The Rape of the Lock as a Mock Epic
3. Gulliver's Travels as Satire

## ASSIGNMENTS FOR OCTOBER

1. Write a short essay on the character of hamlet, Othello, King Lear OR Macbeth
2. Write a short essay on the character of Tristram Shandy OR Tom Jones
3. Matthew Arnold described the 18th century as "our excellent and indispensable 18th century." Expand on this.
4. Explain Structuralism with the reading of any one text.
5. Write an essay on Feminisms.

## ASSIGNMENTS FOR NOVEMBER

Write 10-mark essays in 2-3 pages.

- 1 The introduction of English education in British India.
- 2 The role of Bengal Renaissance in the development of English literature.
- 3 Social realism in Indian English novel of the independence period.
- 4 Compare Nissim Ezekiel with his contemporaries. How did he give voice to his minority status?
- 5 Mahesh Dattani is the voice of contemporary India. Elucidate.