#### Answers

# **Appreciation of English Literary Texts**

Grade 11 First Term Test 2023

## Paper I

#### **POETRY**

- 1. a) The Camel's Hump by Rudyard Kipling
  - b) the hump (camelious hump)
  - c) if they don't work/ if they are lazy to work
  - d) elongated vowels, humorous effect
- 2. a) I know why the caged bird sings by Maya Angelou
  - b) The free bird/ personification
  - c) How the free bird enjoys ample of opportunities.

Abundance of food / opportunities

d) social disparity, social injustice

The difference between privileged and under privileged people in the society.

### **PROSE**

1. (a) The Lumber Room

Saki /H.H.Munro

- (b) Aunty
- (c) To Nicholas
- (d) opportunistic, authoritative
- 2. (a) The Lahore Attack

Kumar Sangakkara

(c) with courage (d) tactfulness, patience ,sense of responsibility, sportsmanship **DRAMA** 1) a) The Bear by Anton Chekhov b) Smirnov speaks to himself c) With Popova's boldness, Smirnov falls in love with Popova and gets attracted to her. d) Inconsistency of human nature/ unpredictability of human emotions. 2) a) Twilight of a Crane by Yu Zuwa Junji Kinoshita. b) Unzu speaks to Sodo. c) He – Yohyo She - Tsud) Corrupted with capitalistic features. Inhuman and immoral Jealous / envious and hypocritical Selfish and unsympathetic

**NOVEL** 

1. a) speaker (he) Jagan

(b) The members of the Sri Lankan Cricket Team

He feels happy/ relaxed/ contented /proud / ambitious

- b) Mali's visit /journey makes Jagan superior thinking over and over again as he has another hope about his son.
  - c) a. feelings of sad/ worry/ emotional by being away / separated/ detached from the son  $\,$ 
    - b. check/ search/find/ notice/ discover

d)

Jagan loves his son

He is high spirited as his son is in America

He is ambitious about his son

He is proud

He is leading a double life- He hates Western things but he admires his son who is in

America