

**NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF LESOTHO**  
**FACULTY OF HUMANITIES**  
**B.A. /B. ED EXAMINATION**  
**ELE 1301 – INTRODUCTION TO LITERATURE**

**JANUARY 2024**

**MARKS 100**

**TIME 3 HOURS**

**INSTRUCTIONS**

- (a) Answer **any five (5)** questions.
  - (b) Marks will be awarded for good grammatical expression and style.
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**1.** Using examples from literary texts you have studied in this course, explain how you can go about preparing a critical response paragraph.

**(20 marks)**

**2.** Using suitable examples differentiate between explicit and implied meaning.

**(20 marks)**

**3.** Write a critical note on objectivity in literary criticism.

**(20 marks)**

**4.** What do you understand by characterisation?

**(20 marks)**

**5.** Explore the various types of irony (verbal, situational, and dramatic) and provide examples of each.

**(20 marks)**

**6.** Compare and contrast the first-person and third-person points of view in literature. How do they shape the reader's connection to the characters and events?

**(20 marks)**