

STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI-86
(For candidates admitted during the academic year 2019-20 and thereafter)

SUBJECT CODE: 19EL/PE/FF23

M. A. /M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2022
SECOND SEMESTER

COURSE: ELECTIVE
TITLE: FANTASY FICTION

TIME: 3 HOURS
MAX.MARKS: 100

SECTION A

I. Answer any three of the following in about 300 words each. (3x10=30)

1. What are the differences between 'high' and 'low' fantasy?
2. Describe any three sub-genres of fantasy with examples.
3. Discuss the role of marketing and the publishing industry in promoting fantasy fiction as a significant genre.

SECTION B

II. Answer any two of the following in about 650 words each. (2x15=30)

4. According to you, does Dragonfly succeed in her quest to find her complete identity? Why? Why not?
5. Discuss the references to fire and water in "Dragonfly".
6. How does the friendship between Sunny, Chichi, Orlu and Sasha help them in their adventures?
7. Why does Sugar Cream finally accept to be Sunny's Oga? How did Sunny prove herself to Sugar Cream?

SECTION C

III. Answer any two of the following in about 750 words each. (2x20=40)

8. Discuss the similarities and differences between Sunny (*Akata Witch*) and Irian ("Dragonfly").
9. Describe the world of magic as seen in "Dragonfly" and "Akata Witch".
10. Discuss the ways in which Roke University was outdated? How does Dragonfly's presence change the old rules at Roke?
11. In what ways are children considered as equals to adults in *Akata Witch*?
