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Suggestions to Part - B

Doctor Faustus - 2 (100%)

1. What role does Mephistophilis play in "Doctor Faustus"? [NU. 2022, 2019, 2015]
 2. What is the significance of the Seven Deadly Sins in "Doctor Faustus"? [NU. 2021]
- Or, What are the seven deadly sins in "Doctor Faustus"? [NU. 2015]
3. What are the five conditions Faustus sets down in the contract? [NU. 2020]
 4. What do Good Angel and Evil Angel allegorize in the life of Doctor Faustus? [NU. 2018]
- Or, What is the dramatic significance of Good Angel and Evil Angel in Marlowe's Doctor Faustus? [NU. 2016]
5. Describe the Helen episode in "Doctor Faustus." [NU. 2019]

Macbeth - 1 (100%) -----2 (99%)

6. Describe Lady Macbeth's sleep walking scene. [NU. 2021] Or, Comment on Lady Macbeth's sleep-walking scene. [NU. 2019, 2017]
7. Discuss the significance of the dagger scene in "Macbeth." [NU. 2022]
8. What prophecies do the witches make about Macbeth and Banquo? [NU. 2020, 2018, 2015]
9. Describe the scene in which Macbeth was killed. [NU. 2019]

10. *"Unnatural deeds*

Do breed unnatural troubles."—Locate and explain. [NU. 2018]

The Merchant of Venice - 2 (100%)

11. Do you find any poetic justice in "The Merchant of Venice"? Discuss in brief. [NU. 2022, 2016] Or, What is poetic justice? Trace the elements of poetic justice in "The Merchant of Venice." [NU. 2020, 2018]

12. Write a short note on the role of law in "The Merchant of Venice". [NU. 2022]

13. Do you think Shylock deserves what happens to him in the play? [NU. 2021]

14. Why does Shylock hate Antonio? [NU. 2016]

Volpone - 2 (100%)

15. Discuss the role of Mosca as a master manipulator. [NU. 2021]

16. How do the evildoers get their punishment at the end of "Volpone?" [NU. 2022, 2019, 2017]

17. How does Volpone earn money and gold? [NU. 2018, 2015]

18. How does Bonario protect Celia in Valpone's room? [NU. 2021]

19. *Good morning to the day, and next, my gold!*

Open the shrine that I may see my saint.—Explain. [NU. 2015]

The Duchess of Malfi - 1 (100%)

20. Describe the wooing scene in "The Duchess of Malfi". [NU. 2022, 2018]

21. What are the tortures inflicted upon the Duchess during imprisonment? [NU. 2021]

22. Write a short note on 'Melodrama'. [NU. 2020]

Or, What melodramatic elements do you find in "The Duchess of Malfi"? [NU. 2018, 2016]

23. What was the last piece of advice the Duchess gave to Cariola regarding her children? [NU. 2020, 2017]

[NU. 2017]

10. Write a note on the theme of friendship and loyalty in "The Merchant of Venice". [NU. 2021]

11. Analyze the role of Portia in the play "The Merchant of Venice." [NU. 2018, 2016]

Volpone - 2 (100%)

12. Examine Volpone' as a comedy of humour. [NU. 2022]

Or, Discuss "Volpone" as a Comedy of humour. (2017, 2015)

13. "Volpone' is a satire on the contemporary English society"- Elucidate. (2022, 2020, 2018)

Or, Discuss Volpone as a satire on the contemporary English society. (2016)

14. Discuss the theme of avarice in 'Volpone'. (2021)

15. What is dramatic irony? Comment on the use of dramatic irony in 'Volpone'. (2021)

16. Trace the development of the character of Mosca. (2020)

Or, Sketch the character of Mosca in the play 'Volpone'. (2019)

Or, Sketch the character of Mosca as illustrated in the play 'Volpone'. (2018)

The Duchess of Malfi - 1 (100%)

17. Discuss the theme of corruption as reflected in 'The Duchess of Malfi.' [NU. 2022]

Or, Why is "The Duchess of Malfi" called a decadent play? [NU. 2019]

Or, Write on "The Duchess of Malfi" as a portrait of a corrupt society. [NU. 2017]

18. Sketch the role of Bosola as a Machiavellian villain in "The Duchess of Malfi." [NU. 2021, 2018]

Or, Write a note on the role of Bosola in "The Duchess of Malfi". [NU. 2015]

19. Discuss 'The Duchess of Malfi' as a revenge tragedy. (2020, 2015)