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ENGLISH DEPARTMENT	ENGLISH LITERATURE	FIRST EVALUATION
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Section A : mark an x on the letter corresponding to the correct answer.

- Which of these best defines literature? A) Any text found in a book
B) Imaginative writing that expresses human experience through language
C) Only stories written by famous authors. D) News reports and letters
- "The classroom was a zoo." This is a: A) Simile B) Metaphor C) Hyperbole D) Irony
- "His voice was as smooth as silk." This is a:
A) Metaphor B) Personification C) Simile D) Alliteration
- "The old door groaned as it opened." This is an example of:
A) Personification B) Hyperbole C) Assonance D) Simile
- "Peter picked a peck of pickled peppers." The repeated sound is an example of:
A) Assonance B) Alliteration C) Irony D) Metaphor
- "The rain in Spain stays mainly in the plain." The repeated vowel sound is called
A) Alliteration B) Simile C) Assonance D) Humour
- A fire station burns down. This situation is an example of:
A) Simile B) Assonance C) Personification D) Irony
- "I have been waiting here for ages!" (said after five minutes). This is:
A) Hyperbole B) Metaphor C) Irony D) Simile
- Which of these is the main purpose of humour in literature?
A) To make the audience laugh or feel amused B) To confuse the reader
C) To describe the setting D) To end the story
- Which of these is a difference between a simile and a metaphor?
A) A simile uses "like" or "as"; a metaphor compares directly
B) A metaphor uses "like" or "as"; a simile compares directly
C) Both use exaggeration D) Neither is a comparison

Section B: Structural questions. Provide short answers to complete the questions

- In which region is the author of a Time To Reconcile from?
- Where is the setting of Act 1 Scene 1?
- What type of disease is Malah suffering from?
- The expression a "mobile corpse" is an example of _____ stylistic device
- What is the profession of Muluh?