

1. Write a short introduction to British romanticism, cite the works and authors you know well for discussion. (35%)
2. Choose one great novel in English literature to illustrate its literary qualities. You may employ any literary theory to analyze the work, e.g. feminism, reader-response, Marxism, etc. (35%)
3. Offer a detailed analysis to the following poems by American woman poet Emily Dickinson. (30%)

I never saw a Moor

I never saw a Moor—
I never saw the Sea—
Yet know I how the Heather looks
And what a Billow be.

I never spoke with God
Nor visited in Heaven—
Yet certain am I of the spot
As if the Checks^o were given—

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Emily Dickinson (1830–1886)

moor: a large area of highland covered with grass, bushes and Heather (a plant with small purple or white flowers).

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When Gentlemen can see—
But *Microscopes* are prudent
In an Emergency.

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