

# **Mugberia Gangadhar Mahavidyalaya**

## **Sem-2**

### **Assignment on Tintern Abbey**

#### **Answer the following questions:**

- 1. What is the full title of the poem "Tintern Abbey"?**
- 2. What was the occasion of writing Tintern Abbey?**
- 3. Where is Tintern Abbey situated?**
- 4. What is an abbey?**
- 5. Name the river mentioned in 'Tintern Abbey'.**
- 6. What is the Wye?**
- 7. When did Wordsworth visit Tintern Abbey for the first time?**
- 8. When did Wordsworth visit Tintern Abbey for the second time?**
- 9. Who accompanied Wordsworth along the river Wye?**
- 10. Who is Dorothy?**
- 11. What is sycamore?**
- 12. What is the blessed mood?**
- 13. Who is the queen-mother of solace?**
- 14. What are the three stages of the poet's development of attitude towards nature?**
- 15. What do you mean by "aching joys"?**
- 16. What do you mean by "dizzy raptures"?**
- 17. What do you mean by "sad music of humanity"?**
- 18. What did the poet advise his sister Dorothy?**
- 19. Why does Wordsworth advise his sister Dorothy William to cultivate friendship with nature?**
- 20. What does nature never betray as Wordsworth demands in Tintern Abbey'?**

**21. What was Wordsworth's exhortation towards his sister Dorothy?**

**22. What does the phrase 'coarser pleasures' mean in Tintern Abbey?**