

Mugberia Gangadhar Mahavidyalaya
Semester -2
Assignment on Ode To Autumn

Answer the following questions:

1.What is an Ode?

2.How does Keats characterize Autumn?

3.“Conspiring with him”

– Who conspires with whom? Is for any evil purpose? Bring out the implication of the world ‘conspiring’.

4. “Until they think warm days will never cease.”

-Who are ‘they’? Why do they think so?

5. “Summer has o’er brimm’d their clammy cells.”

– Whose cells are meant here? What do you mean by ‘clammy’? What causes the over brimming?

6. “Who hath not seen thee amid thy store?”

- Who is ‘thee’? What the ‘store’ referred to here? What is ‘thee’ doing here? How does the poet answer the generation?

7. “Sitting careless”

- Who is sitting careless and why?

8. “Drowsed with the fume of puppies swath and all its twined flowers;”

- What is referred to as twined flowers’? Explain the line.

9. “Or on a half reaped furrow”

What do you mean by ‘furrow’? Who is found there? Why is the furrow half reaped?

10.“Or by cider-press”

- Who is seen as a ‘cider-press’? What is the person doing there? What is meant by the ‘cider-press’?