

HUL 236
Introduction to Drama
Minor 1

This is an open book exam. You may consult hard copies of the play text only. No electronic readers or other equipment is allowed.

1 Hour

20 marks

Answer any one of the following questions. Each question is worth 20 marks.

1. What impression does Sophocles give us of Oedipus, based on the very first scene of his entry on stage? Please give textual evidence in the form of dialogues, intended stage directions, etc.
2. Does the play Oedipus Rex offer the viewer a choice between Fate and Free will, or does the play strike a balance between the two? How?
3. Discuss the nature of knowledge(s) as presented by Sophocles through the play Oedipus Rex.

Mortal fate is hard. You'd best get used to it."

– Euripides, Medea

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