



Emma

English Past Exam Questions

Ordinary Level

2012

Paper 2 – Section 1 – Question A

A **EMMA** – Jane Austen

Answer **all** of the questions.

1. (a) Describe the occasion in the novel when Mr Elton makes a proposal of marriage to Emma. (10)
- (b) In your opinion, is Mr Knightley a suitable husband for Emma? Support your answer with reference to the text. (10)
2. Explain what you find most interesting about Frank Churchill. (10)
3. Answer **ONE** of the following: [Each part carries 30 marks]
- (i) ‘Emma is a very kind-hearted character.’
Do you agree with this statement? Base your answer on your knowledge of the novel.

OR

- (ii) Based on your knowledge of the novel, write a piece beginning with one of the following prompts:
 - I would like to live in Emma’s world because ...
 - I would not like to live in Emma’s world because ...

OR

- (iii) Write two diary entries which Harriet Smith might have written: one following her refusal of Robert Martin’s first proposal of marriage and another following her acceptance of his second proposal. The diary entries should be based on your knowledge of the novel.