Attempt one question in each part.

'Hunting Snake'

Sun-warmed in this late season's grace
under the autumn's gentlest sky
we walked, and froze half-through a pace.
The great black snake went reeling by.

Head down, tongue flickering on the trail
he quested through the parting grass,
sun glazed his curves of diamond scale
and we lost breath to see him pass.

What track he followed, what small food
fled living from his fierce intent,
we scarcely thought; still as we stood
our eyes went with him as he went.

Cold, dark and splendid he was gone
into the grass that hid his prey.
We took a deeper breath of day,
looked at each other, and went on.

Read the poem above and attempt the question below.

1. How does the writer use language and imagery in this poem.

OR

2. Analyse this poem as a Romantic poem.

Part 2.
Pick and analyse any two male and female characters of your choice in pride and prejudice consider their contribution to the overall development of the plot of the novel.