



LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – ENGLISH LITERATURE

FIRST SEMESTER – APRIL 2013

EL 1501 - LITERARY FORMS AND LITERARY APPRECIATION

Date: 11/05/2013
Time: 1:00 - 4:00

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

PART – A

I. Write short notes on the following in about 50 words each:

(10*3=30)

1. Oxford movement.
2. Catharsis.
3. Pastoral Elegy.
4. Homeric Simile.
5. Pindaric Ode.
6. Detective Novels.
7. Aphoristic Essay.
8. Wyatt and Surrey.
9. Gray's 'Elegy'
10. Tragi – Comedy

PART – B

II. Answer any FIVE of the following in about 150 words each:

(5*8=40)

11. Is one – act play a shortened version of a Full length play? Substantiate.
12. What are the salient features of the Metaphysical school and who are the exponents of it?
13. Discuss comedy as a genre. What are its various types? Give adequate examples.
14. Discuss the impact of French Revolution on England and its literature?
15. Examine the influence of Renaissance on various aspects of literary England.
16. What is a satire and what is its purpose? Highlight various forms of satire in British literature.
17. Trace the genesis of Reformation along with its impact on religion in England.
18. Attempt a study on the important traits of Neo-Classical school and its followers.

PART – C

III. Answer any ONE of the following in about 300 words each:

(1*15=15)

19. Describe the major tenets of Romanticism and its followers.
20. Elucidate the shift from modern to Post – Modern Movement and explain the predominant features of post – Modern Movement.

PART – D

21. Attempt an appreciation of the following poem in about 200 – 250 words:

(15 marks)

THE CHILD

1. Give the naked child
a piece of cloth.
Vietnam is bombed,
Bangladesh bleeds,
Cageol kids in kumbakonam burnt alive,
Orphanages shelled in Eezham,
Protruding skeletons with swollen balloons in Africa
School vans have become predators,
Rival nuclear revels rumble round the globe.

2. Give him a piece of cloth.
The sly opportunists know
the secrets of card – sharpening
And subtle tricks of self – defence,
But the hungry child is innocent, helpless.

3. Give him a slice of bread,
some of you.

- Adaptation of a Bengali poem

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