



**LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034**

**U.G.DEGREE EXAMINATION –GENERAL ENGLISH**

**FIRST SEMESTER – APRIL 2019**

**16/17/18UEL1GE01– ADVANCED ENGLISH**

Date: 13-04-2019  
Time: 01:00-04:00

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Max. : 100 Marks

**SECTION-A**

**I Answer any FIVE of the following questions in 75 wordseach :**

**(5 X 4 = 20 marks)**

1. What is Dr.Kalam's grand vision for India by the year, 2020 ?
2. When did the world change for Malala ?
3. Which are the 4 'C' s that shaped the destiny of Yuvraj Singh ?
4. What kind of advice is given by Polonius to Laertes ?
5. What was unusual about the guest book in the house, in the story, *The Landlady* ?
6. How does the poet introduce the donkey in the poem by the same title ?
7. What is the allusion to Jesus Christ in the poem, *Bread and Music* ?
8. What is the story of *The Axe* by R.K.Narayan about ?

**SECTION-B**

**II Answer any FOUR of the following questions in about 150 wordseach :**

**(4 X 10 = 40 Marks)**

9. What are the 'Indianisms' found in the extract given from the poem, *Patriot*, by Nissim Ezekiel ?  
Convert the lines into presentable or correct English .

" I am standing for peace and non-violence.

Why world is fighting fighting

Why all people of world

Are not following Mahatma Gandhi,

I am simply not understanding. "

10. Consider *Our Iceberg is Melting* by John Kotter as a fable or an allegory or a parable.
11. What feelings does the poem, *If*, awaken in you ?
12. Do you consider, *The Landlady*, as a story filled with humour and horror ?
13. What are the answers given by the hermit to *The Emperor's Three Questions* ?

14. What are the “favourite things” mentioned by the children in the film, *The Sound of Music*?
15. How does the shepherd in the story, *The Man Who Planted Trees*, rediscover the harmonies of the countryside and prevent its wilful destruction?

**SECTION-C**

**III Answer the following in 300 words :(1 X 20 = 20 Marks)**

16. A) What lessons for life do you draw from the reading of the life sketches of Dr.Kalam, Malala and Yuvraj Singh ?

**( OR )**

B) The extract from the parable, *Our Iceberg is Melting* is all about change management. Elucidate.

1 X 20 = 20 Marks

17. A) Write a REVIEW of the film, *The Sound of Music*.

**( OR )**

B) Pen a poem on the title, *God in Nature*.

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