

LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034



M.A.DEGREE EXAMINATION –ENGLISH LITERATURE

FOURTH SEMESTER – APRIL 2019

EL 4801–LITERARY CRITICISM

Date: 01-04-2019

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

Time: 09:00-12:00

Part A

I. Write a short note on any FOUR of the following in about 150 words each:

(5X10=40)

1. Difference between Romanticism and Classicism
2. Eliot's concept of Tradition
3. Basic principles of New Criticism
4. Moralistic Approach
5. Pragmatic theories
6. Definition of criticism
7. Limitations of structural analysis
8. 'Objectivity' in fiction.

Part B

II. Answer any THREE of the following in about 300 words each: (3X20=60)

9. What, according to Barthes, the uniqueness of Structuralist literary criticism?
10. Describe the views of Derrida on Deconstruction.
11. Discuss the central pattern of Tragic and comic vision in Literature
12. Summarise the features of Richards' Theory of Meaning.
13. Discuss the views of post structuralism in the light of essays prescribed for you.
14. What are the central concern of cultural / literary theories of 20th Century?
