

LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034



B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – ENGLISH LITERATURE

FIRST SEMESTER – NOVEMBER 2019

16/17/18UEL1MC01 EL 1502 – HISTORY OF ENGLISH LITERATURE

Date: 30-10-2019

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

Time: 09:00-12:00

PART - A

I. Write short notes on any FIVE of the following in about 75 words each: (5x4=20)

1. Metaphysical poetry.
2. Puritanism.
3. Pre-Raphaelite movement.
4. Science Fiction
5. Irish drama.
6. Absurd drama.
7. Art for Art's sake.
8. Periodical essays.

PART - B

II. Answer any FOUR of the following in about 150 words each: (4x8=32)

9. How does Philip Sidney defend poetry?
10. Enumerate the writing style of Daniel Defoe.
11. What role does fiction play in Charles Lamb's essays?
12. Bring out the novelistic traits in Emily Bronte.
13. What are Joseph Conrad's views on Colonialism?
14. Discuss the relevance of religion in Samuel Beckett's plays.

PART - C

III. Answer any FOUR of the following in about 300 words each: (4x12=48)

15. Write an essay on Yeats' mystical poetry.
16. What are the major characteristics of Renaissance poetry?
17. How does Donne treat physical and spiritual love in his works?
18. Describe Chaucer's contribution to English Language to justify his title 'Father of English poetry'?
19. Draft an essay on Christopher Marlowe's contribution to literature.
20. Write an essay on the portrayal of nature by comparing Wordsworth's works with Keats.
