



LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034

U.G. DEGREE EXAMINATION – GENERAL ENGLISH

FIRST SEMESTER – APRIL 2024

UEL 1205 – GENERAL ENGLISH I - INTERMEDIATE (COMMERCE)

Date: 17-04-2024

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

Time: 09:00 AM - 12:00 NOON

SECTION A - K1 (CO1)

Answer ALL the Questions

(10 x 1 = 10)

1. True or False

- a) "I like coffee." is a declarative sentence.
- b) Two Tramps in a Mud Road alludes to Great Depression also.
- c) Martin Luther King delivers the speech I Have a Dream.
- d) The Story, The Postmaster, takes place in a city.
- e) Tell-tale Heart is about peace and reconciliation.

2. Match the following

- a) Ecology - i) August Strindberg
- b) What is Poverty? - ii) A.K. Ramanujan
- c) The Stronger - iii) George Bernard Shaw
- d) Spoken English and Broken English - iv) Peter Porter
- e) Your Attention Please - v) Godwin Parker

SECTION A - K2 (CO1)

Answer ALL the Questions
10)

(10 x 1 =

3. Fill in the blanks

- a) I went to the market _____ purchased some vegetables. (Conjunction)
- b) We bought _____ apple from _____ market. (Article)
- c) She _____ the office earlier today. (Leave) (Tense)
- d) College starts at 8 o' Clock _____. (on fridays, last week, at the moment)
- e) The meaning of the word startle is _____.

4. Answer the following

- a) Use the following idiom in a sentence: Cross my mind
- b) Mention the name of the tree being discussed in the poem Ecology.
- c) Describe the types of sentences.
- d) Illustrate the actions of the poet persona in Two Tramps in Mud Time.
- e) State why Martin Luther King fought for Civil Rights.

SECTION B - K3 (CO2)

Answer any TWO of the following in 100 words each.

(2 x 10 = 20)

- 5. Interpret the aspects of Ecology in A.K. Ramanujan's poem.
- 6. Compare how Porter combines humour with sorrow in the poem Your Attention Please.
- 7. Estimate the various phases of poverty.
- 8. Express your views on the setting of the story 'The Postmaster'.

SECTION C – K4 (CO3)

Answer any TWO of the following in 100 words each.

(2 x 10 = 20)

- 9. Analyze the poem 'Two Tramps in Mud Time'.

10.	Distinguish spoken and broken English.
11.	Explain the characteristics of the little boy in the short story The Boy Who Could Speak with Birds.
12.	Enumerate the process of murder as envisaged by the narrator in the story Tell-Tale Heart.
SECTION D – K5 (CO4)	
Answer any ONE of the following in 250 words (1 x 20 = 20)	
13.	Evaluate the nuances of the one-act play "The Stronger".
14.	Criticize various reasons for poverty as portrayed by Parker.
SECTION E – K6 (CO5)	
Answer any ONE of the following in 250 words (1 x 20 = 20)	
15.	Design a mind map of Swami's experience.
16.	Rewrite the story Tell-Tale Heart.

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