



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

**M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – ENGLISH LITERATURE**

**THIRD SEMESTER – APRIL 2016**

**EL 3813 - DISCOURSE ANALYSIS**

Date: 28-04-2016  
Time: 09:00-12:00

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

**I. Write short notes on any FIVE of the following**

**(5x4=20marks)**

1. Pidgin and Creole.
2. Dialect and Sociolect.
3. *Conceptual meaning*.
4. Define discourse analysis.
5. What is a speech act?
6. Elaborated and restricted codes

**II. Write any FOUR of the following in about 200 words each:**

**(4x10=40marks)**

7. What are the hedges in discourse?
8. Explain the basic differences between cohesion and coherence?
9. Analyse the gender differences in terms of language in equality.
10. Explain Truth conditions and semantics.
11. Differentiate pragmatics with semantics.
12. Bring out various types of meanings.

**III. Write the following in about 400 words each:**

**(2x20=40marks)**

13. a) What is the meaning of Discourse Markers, and bring out different types of Discourse Markers with examples.

**(Or)**

- b) What are the different types of feminist discourse? Explain with examples.

14. a) Write an essay on Speech Act theories.

**(Or)**

- b) Elaborate on various concepts and factors in Semantics.

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