LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI - 600 034



B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION -ENGLISH LITERATURE

FIFTH SEMESTER - APRIL 2018

EL 5506- SHAKESPEARE

Date: 04-05-2018	Dept. No.	Max. : 100 Marks
Time: 09:00-12:00		

PART-A

I. Explain with reference to context in 75 words:

(10x3=30)

- Unhappy that I am, I cannot heave
 My heart into my mouth. I love your majesty
 According to my bond; no more nor less.
- 2. As flies to wanton boys are we to the gods; They kill us for their sport.
- 3. Howl, howl, howl! O, you are men of stones:
 Had I your tongues and eyes, I'd use them so
 That heaven's vault should crack.
- Ay me, for aught that I could ever read,
 Could ever hear by tale or history,
 The course of true love never did run smooth.
- 5. "Love looks not with the eyes, but with the mind, and therefore is winged Cupid painted blind."
- 6. Hippolyta, I woo'd thee with my sword And won thy love doing thee injuries, But I will wed thee in another key, With pomp, with triumph, and with reveling.
- 7. How came these things to pass?O, how mine eyes do loathe his visage now!
- 8. "Thy valiantness was mine, thou suck'st it from me;"
- "The beast With many heads butts me away."
- 10. "What's the matter, you dissentious rogues

 That rubbing the poor itch of your opinion,

 Make yourselves scabs?"

PART-B

II.Answer any FIVE of the following questions:

(5x8=40)

- 11. Why does Shakespeare begin the play *The Tempest* with the description of a storm?
- 12. Give an account of the subplot in King Lear.
- 13. Write a note on the character of Bottom.
- 14. Analyze Coriolanus's relationship with his mother Volumnia.
- 15. Discuss how loyalty is presented as a positive and a negative quality throughout the play Othello.
- 16. Comment on the imagery in the play All's Well That Ends Well
- 17. Trace the sources of the play Richard II.
- 18. Describe the dramatic art as employed by Shakespeare in *The Tempest*

PART-C

III. Attempt any TWO in 300 words each:

(2x15=30)

19.a) Can you consider King Lear a typical Shakespearen tragedy? Why/why not?

OR

- b) Write a note on the women characters in Shakespeare's comic plays.
- 20. a)Discuss the theme of master-servant relationship in the Tempest.

OR

b) Comment Richard II as a historical play.
