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U.G. DEGREE EXAMINATION – **GENERAL ENGLISH**

FIRST SEMESTER - APRIL 2013

EL 1053 - LITERARY APPRECIATION - I

Date: 13/05/2013	Dept. No.	Max. : 100 Marks
Time: 1:00 - 4:00		I

Section A

Answer any six questions in about 150 words each:

(6x10=60)

- 1. Why does Faulkner consider Miss Emily " a tradition, a duty, and a care; a sort of hereditary obligation upon the town"?
- 2. What is the significance of the speaker's Christmas wish for every child?
- 3. How does the poem 'To Autumn' move from a description to a personification of Autumn?
- 4. Why does the woman call her child both tainted and perfect?
- 5. Comment on the humour in the speaker's visit to the dentist.
- 6. What are the four vows taken by the Missionaries of Charity?
- 7. How, according to Shakespeare should we treat friends?
- 8. Throw light on the different manner in which children and adults regard snowfall in the poem "London Snow".

Section B

Answer any two of the following questions in about 250 words each:

(2x20=40 marks)

- 9. Summarise the contents of the discussion you had with your friend on your favourite sports, sports icon stating reasons to justify the role sports play in the formation of a healthy society.
- 10. Write a descriptive account of an encounter with a stranger who left a lasting impression on you.
- 11. Pen a poem on your dreams for yourself, family, society, country and the world at large.
- 12. Write a critical essay on the issue of violence against women.
