### LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI - 600 034



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

#### THIRD SEMESTER - APRIL 2014

#### EL 3060 - ENGLISH THROUGH LITERATURE

Date: 08/04/2014	Dept. No.	Max. : 100 Marks
Time: 09:00-12:00		

### I. Answer any TEN of the following in about 30 words each: (10X3=30)

- 1. What does Tagore mean by a real 'heaven'?
- 2. Why is Poetry described as `the wine of the devils'?
- 3 .Describe any one of the Seven Deadly Sins.
- 4. What are your impressions of the rider in the `Incident of the French Camp'?
- 5. Explain the terms- `Wounds of Love' and `Garden of Paradise' from `The Selfish Giant'.
- 6. `The woods are lovely, dark and deep'-comment on the last stanza of the poem `Stopping by the woods'.
- 7. The Child is father of the man'-explain.
- 8. Why does the poet call the West Wind both the destroyer and the preserver?
- 9. Describe Mini's childhood as in Kabuliwala'.
- 10. What is the relevance of education and reading according to Ruskin?
- 11. Write a note on Raju's experiences as a guide.
- 12. Briefly comment on Arundhati Roy's novel usage of language.

# II. Answer any THREE of the following in about 150 words each: (3X10=30)

- 13. Analyse Wordsworth's poem, 'My Heart Leaps' and bring out its significance.
- 14. Summarise Tagore's views in songs 35and 36.
- 15. How are the Seven Deadly Sins interrelated to each other?
- 16. Comment on Estha's silence in `The God of Small Things'.
- 17. Describe the childhood of Raju in `The Guide'.

## III. Answer the following in 300 words:

(2X20=40)

18. a. Write an essay on the argument's presented by Bacon in the essay *Of Truth*.

(or)

- b. How did the Selfish Giant experience a change of heart? Explain.
- 19. Describe the effect of the West Wind in the Mediterranean and the Atlantic seas.

(or)

b. Incident of the French Camp is a poem of patriotism. Discuss.

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