# LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034

### **B.A.** DEGREE EXAMINATION – **ENGLISH**

### FOURTH SEMESTER - APRIL 2022

## 6/17/18UEL4ES01 - COMPARATIVE LITERATURE: THEORY AND PRACTICE

Date: 23-06-2022 Dept. No. Max. : 100 Marks

Time: 09:00 AM - 12:00 NOON

## **PART A**

## I Answer any TEN of the following:

 $(10 \times 3 = 30 \text{ marks})$ 

- 1. Define translation.
- 2. What is comparative literature?
- 3. What are the three types of translation?
- 4. List the different schools of comparative literature.
- 5. Describe Rosetta Stone.
- 6. Name any two books in translation.
- 7. Define an epic.
- 8. What is Tinai?
- 9. Why do you compare texts from different cultures?
- 10. What is transliteration?
- 11. What is the purpose of translation?
- 12. Who is a comparatist?

### PART B

# II Answer any THREE of the following:

 $(3 \times 10 = 30 \text{ marks})$ 

- 13. Write a short note on Bible translation.
- 14. Explain the different stages of translation.
- 15. Compare epics in different cultures.
- 16. Discuss the problems in literary translation.
- 17. Assess nature poetry in different countries with examples.

### PART C

# III Answer any TWO of the following:

 $(2 \times 20 = 40 \text{ marks})$ 

- 18. Translate any ten proverbs from your mother tongue into English.
- 19. Compare and contrast any two literary works based on the theme of love.
- 20. Discuss the importance of translation in the present times.

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