LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – **ENGLISH**

SIXTH SEMESTER - APRIL 2022

UEL 6502 – POST COLONIAL LITERATURE

Date: 17-06-2022 Dept. No. Time: 01:00 PM - 04:00 PM

SECTION A

I. Write short notes on all of the following in 100 words each. (6 X 5= 30 marks)

- 1. Postcolonialism
- 2. Diaspora
- 3. Creolization
- 4. Polyphony
- 5. Hybridity
- 6. Multiculturalism

SECTION – B

II. Answer any THREE of the following in 250 words each: (3x10=30) marks

- 7. Critically analyze the poem "Looking West, Late Afternoon, Low Water" by Allen Curnow.
- 8. *The Summer of the Seventeenth Doll* is about changes, growing up, hope, growing old, staying together, expectations and holding on to the past"- Elucidate the statement
- 9. Describe the themes of the poem "Pine Tree in Spring."
- 10. Critically comment on the title The Lion and the Jewel.

SECTION - C

III. Answer any TWO of the following in 400 words each: (2*20=40) marks

- 11. *The Inheritance of Loss* by Kiran Desai explores burdensome themes of cultural and national identity and the immigrant experience with an easy technique"-Explain.
- 12. Warlight is a vivid, thrilling novel of violence and love, intrigue and desire- Comment.
- 13. "*Americannah* is a book about Africa and the African diaspora experience in the USA and England, a backdrop for the love story between Ifemelu and Obinze"- Comment.
- 14. Expatiate on the various stylistic techniques handled in the novel Midnight's Children.

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Max.: 100 Marks