



LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – ENGLISH LITERATURE

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EL 5406 - ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEACHING

Date: 11-11-2016
Time: 09:00-12:00

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Max. : 100 Marks

PART-A

I. Answer any EIGHT of the following questions in about 100 words each: (8x5=40)

1. Write short notes on the 'Reform Movement.'
2. Write short notes on 'SLA.' List out the current theories of 'SLA'.
3. Define 'Motivation.' Write briefly about the different kinds of 'Motivation.' What role does a L2 facilitator play in the process of motivation?
4. Enumerate the different functions of language according to Yule?
5. Highlight the distinctiveness of 'Approach', 'Method' and 'Technique' as exemplified by Richards and Rodgers.
6. Write down the origin and the features of 'Audio-Lingual' Method?
7. Attempt short notes on 'Situational Language Teaching.' Enumerate its major principles.
8. Briefly write about Asher's observations on 'Total Physical Response.' Write down the major beliefs of this approach.
9. Differentiate between the main approaches towards the teaching of Grammar. Give suitable examples.
10. Define the Facilitator - L2 learner relationship in the age of technology, based on your knowledge of different approaches towards SLA.

PART-B

II. Answer any **four** of following in about **200** words each: **(4X10=40)**

11. Highlight the inevitability of LSRW skills of English in SLA. Give reasons for the initiation of SLA through 'Listening' skill. Suggest an alternate skill which could be employed for the commencement of SLA.
12. Explain the origin and salient features of 'Communicative Language Teaching.'
13. Explain the manner in which a 'native speaker' and the 'internet' could be employed in an English classroom to teach 'pronunciation' skill.
14. What are the views of Fredrick T. Wood pertaining to language as a 'spoken' form and 'speech' as the distinguishing characteristic of human beings?
15. Write a short note on the origin of 'Suggestopedia.' Give a detailed explanation on the salient feature of this approach and its practicality in the contemporary English classrooms.
16. Discuss Krashen's hypotheses on SLA.

PART-C

III. Answer any **ONE** of the following in about **400** words each: **(1X20=20)**

17. Discuss in detail the theories of SLA. Formulate a theory of language learning that would address the needs of sociolinguistically marginalized learners.
18. What do you understand by an 'Eclectic Approach' towards language teaching? Explain in detail the salient features of this approach and the techniques that could be implemented in the classroom through this approach.
