



LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034

U.G.DEGREE EXAMINATION – GENERAL ENGLISH

THIRD SEMESTER – NOVEMBER 2017

16UEL3GE01 - ENGLISH THROUGH ELECTRONIC LITERATURE

Date: 02-11-2017
Time: 09:00-12:00

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Max. : 100 Marks

- I. Answer **TEN** of the following questions in about **150** words (excluding the application- oriented questions) each: (10x10=100 Marks)
1. Write five aphorisms on the theme of 'Higher Education.'
 2. Imagine that you are stranded in an alien planet and in order to escape you need to strike a conversation with an extraterrestrial. Write down a conversation between this extraterrestrial and yourself in about fifteen exchanges.
 3. Write a sonnet featuring on the theme, 'Youth and Internet' or 'My Personality.'
 4. Attempt an essay on the relevance of Electronic Literature in enhancing your fluency of the language.
 5. Write an introduction to a short story featuring on the theme, attributing meaning and purpose to the life of fellow human beings with the opening line: "Life is full of sniffles, sobs and smiles. With sniffles predominating."
 6. Read the opening lines of the following poems and formulate a poem on 'the time-tested aspect of beauty' in about ten lines.
J A thing of beauty is a joy for ever:
Its loveliness increases; it will never
Pass into nothingness;

By John Keats
J When Beauty and Beauty meet
All naked, fair to fair,
The earth is crying-sweet,
And scattering-bright the air

By Gerard Manley Hopkins
 7. Write five different 'Tweets' on issues of social concern.
 8. Write your impressions on the text, 'Water Like Air.'
 9. Write about the poet's state of mind in the poem, 'I Am.'
 10. Are you able to identify with the poet persona in the poem, 'The Milky Way?' Give reasons for your response.
 11. Write three Haiku poems on the theme, 'Nature, the Supreme Being.'
 12. Compose ten instructions for an online game on 'Vocabulary Learning.'

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