LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI - 600 034

DEGREE EXAMINATION – ADVANCED ZOOLOGY AND BIOTECHNOLOGY

FOURTH SEMESTER - APRIL 2019

AZ 4506- ENVIRONMENTAL BIOLOGY

Date: 03-04-2019 Dept. No. _____ Max. : 100 Marks

Time: 09:00-12:00

Part - A

Answer all the questions: $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

Define / Explain the following:

- 1. What is Autecology?
- 2. Distinguish Natality and Mortality
- 3. What is soil erosion?
- 4. What is symbiosis?
- 5. Define food web
- 6. What is Pedogenesis?
- 7. What is edge effect?
- 8. Mention any two dessert adaptation
- 9. What are non-renewable resources?
- 10. What is Global warming?

Part – B Answer any four questions: (4 X10 = 40)

- 11. Discuss about the light and temperature as ecological factors.
- 12. What are ecological pyramids? Add a note on energy flow.
- 13. Write an account on the social life of termites.
- 14. Give an account of deep sea adaptations.
- 15. Write an account on disaster management.
- 16. Enlist the causes for wild life depletion. Add a note on their management.

Part – C Answer any two questions: $(2 \times 20 = 40)$

- 17. Describe nitrogen cycle.
- 18. Write a detailed account on interspecific animal relationship.
- 19. Describe the components of an ecosystem taking pond as an example.
- 20. Write an essay on sanctuaries and National parks.
