

STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI 600 086
(For candidates admitted during the academic year 2015 – 2016 & thereafter)

SUBJECT CODE: 15IS/PE/WA34

M. A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2019
BRANCH II (E) - INTERNATIONAL STUDIES
THIRD SEMESTER

COURSE : ELECTIVE

PAPER : WORLD AFFAIRS

TIME : 3 HOURS

MAX. MARKS: 100

SECTION – A

(5 X 8 = 40)

WRITE SHORT NOTES ON ANY FIVE. EACH ANSWER SHOULD NOT EXCEED 300 WORDS:

1. Explain briefly the term Unipolar world order
2. Define the term Secularism, Communism and Minorities
3. Explain Public Interest Litigation (PIL) with relevant examples
4. List in detail the important International Environment Agreements
5. Briefly explain the role of US in the United Nations
6. Nuclearization vs Nuclear Disarmament-Explain
7. As a rising power explain India's vision for the world
8. Discuss the term "Tragedy of Commons"

SECTION – B

(4 X 10 = 40)

ANSWER ANY FOUR QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER SHOULD NOT EXCEED 1500 WORDS:

9. Briefly discuss the ethnic conflict in Sri Lanka
10. Discuss the rise of terrorism in India
11. Explain resource conflicts in Central Asia with relevant examples
12. Trace the evolution of United Nations Organization
13. Discuss the prospects of Globalization
14. Elaborate the various internal security challenges that contemporary India faces.
15. Explain the role of the UN in peace keeping

SECTION – C

(1 X 20 = 20)

ANSWER ANY ONE QUESTION. EACH ANSWER SHOULD NOT EXCEED 1000 WORDS:

16. Discuss in detail the State building challenges face by the Third World countries
17. Explain in detail the internal security challenges in India
18. What are the growing global environmental issues and concerns?
