# STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI – 86 (For candidates admitted during the academic year 2011 – 2012)

SUBJECT CODE: 11SC/MC/SA 24

### B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2012 BRANCH III - SOCIOLOGY SECOND SEMESTER

**COURSE** : MAJOR – CORE

PAPER : SOCIAL ANTHROPOLOGY

TIME : 3 HOURS. MAX.MARKS: 100

### SECTION - A

### ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 50 WORDS: $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

- 1. Define culture.
- 2. Define kinship.
- 3. What is barter?
- 4. What are taboos?
- 5. Distinguish between custom and law.
- 6. Define Social Anthropology.
- 7. What is redistribution?
- 8. What do you understand by patterns of residence?
- 9. Define religion.
- 10. Give one example each of justice and punishment in primitive societies.

#### SECTION - B

# ANSWER FIVE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 250 WORDS: (5 X 8 = 40)

- 11. Explain the nature and scope of social anthropology.
- 12. Elucidate the types of marriages.
- 13. Outline the relationship between market, money and trade.
- 14. Write a note on kinship usages.
- 15. Write a short note on the processes of cultural change.
- 16. Explain the concepts of sacred and profane.
- 17. Write a note on animism, naturalism and manaism.
- 18. Describe the structure of primitive government in tribal societies.

### **SECTION - C**

# ANSWER TWO QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 1000 WORDS: $(2 \times 20 = 40)$

- 19. Elucidate the relationship between social anthropology and other social sciences.
- 20. Explain the functions of family.
- 21. Differentiate between magic, religion and science.
- 22. Explain the nature and forms of political organization.

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