

STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI – 86
(For candidates admitted during the academic year 2019–2020 and thereafter)
SUBJECT CODE: 19EC/PC/IE24

M. A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2022
BRANCH III – ECONOMICS
SECOND SEMESTER

COURSE : MAJOR - CORE
PAPER : INDIAN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
TIME : 3 HOURS **MAX. MARKS:100**

SECTION – A

ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 300 WORDS. **(5 X 8 = 40)**

1. Population growth has been considered a positive factor in stimulating economic growth. Discuss.
2. Briefly describe the NPP 2000 in India.
3. Explain the causes for low productivity in Agriculture.
4. Examine the importance of foreign trade in the economic development of a country.
5. Discuss and debate the role of privatisation and disinvestment in India.
6. Explain the advantages and disadvantages of the PPP model in India.
7. Discuss the impact of globalization on Indian industries.

SECTION – B

ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 1200 WORDS. **(3 x 20 = 60)**

8. What are the main elements of Green Revolution? Discuss its impact on Agricultural production in India?
9. Bring out the characteristics, strength and weaknesses of industrial labour in India. Examine the role of the labour movement in India.
10. Analyse and evaluate the achievements and failures of the education system in India.
11. Examine the need for air, water, road, and railways networks in the development of India.
12. Critically evaluate the impact of WTO on Indian agriculture.
