STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI 600 086 (For candidates admitted during the academic year 2019 – 2020 and thereafter) SUBJECT CODE: 19SC/MC/DS34

B. A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2022 BRANCH III – SOCIOLOGY THIRD SEMESTER

COURSE : MAJOR - CORE

PAPER: DEVELOPMENT OF SOCIAL THOUGHT

TIME : 3 HOURS MAX.MARKS:100

SECTION - A

ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS IN 50 WORDS EACH. (10X2=20)

- 1. What is Positivism?
- 2. Define Social Dynamics.
- 3. What is Social Darwinism?
- 4. How does Herbert Spencer define Progress?
- 5. How does Marx explain the concept of Alienation?
- 6. Define Surplus Value.
- 7. What is Social Fact?
- 8. What is suicide as observed by Durkheim?
- 9. What is Social Action?
- 10. Define Bureaucracy.

SECTION - B

ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS IN 250 WORDS EACH. (5X8=40)

- 11. What do you understand by Comte's law of three stages?
- 12. State Herbert Spencer's view on types of society.
- 13. Write do you mean by Dialectical materialism.
- 14. Write a short note Marx's understanding on the relations of production and mode of production.
- 15. Explain Weber's Protestant Ethics and Spirit of Capitalism.
- 16. What do you understand by Ideal types according to Weber? Write its features?
- 17. What are the problems in observing social facts in Durkheim's view?
- 18. Write a short note on Durkheim's analysis of the elementary forms of Religious life.

SECTION - C

ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS IN 1200 WORDS EACH.

(2X20=40)

- 19. Elaborate your understanding on the Hierarchy of Science by Comte.
- 20. Explain the concept and characteristics of Bureaucracy as reflected in the writing of Weber.
- 21. Analyze Durkheim's theory of Division of Labour.
- 22. How Marx's critical analysis of 'Class' constitute an important form of social stratification?
