

STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI 600 086
(For candidates admitted from the academic year 2019 – 2020 & thereafter)

SUBJECT CODE: 19FA/MC/MA85

B.V.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2023
BRANCH – X VISUAL ARTS
EIGHTH SEMESTER

COURSE : MAJOR – CORE
PAPER : MODERN ARCHITECTURE
TIME : 3 HOURS **MAX. MARKS: 100**

SECTION – A

ANSWER ANY FOUR OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS: (4 X 10 = 40)

1. Henri Labrouste's architecture reflects 'the rationalism and technical aspects of industrial society'. Elaborate using a suitable example.
2. 'Victor Horta is considered a key architect of the Art Nouveau style'. Elaborate citing a select example.
3. Enumerate the features of Bauhaus expressed by Walter Gropius in his architecture, citing one example.
4. Analyse the Seagram Building in New York designed by architects Ludwig Mies van der Rohe and Philip Johnson.
5. Explain the postmodernist style of architecture by Micheal Graves with an example.
6. Evaluate Benny Kuriakose's architectural contributions using an appropriate example.

SECTION – B

ANSWER ANY THREE OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS: (3 X 20 = 60)

7. Compare and contrast Louis Sullivan's architectural innovations in Chicago with the International Style of architecture envisioned by Le Corbusier citing one specific reference for each.
8. Critically analyse the 'natural' architecture of Frank Lloyd Wright using two relevant examples.
9. Appraise the work of Laurie Baker and his position in Modern India with two select examples.
10. Balakrishna Doshi is renowned for his urban planning and social housing projects. Justify citing two appropriate examples.
