STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI - 600086
(For Candidates admitted during the academic year 2023-2024)

## B.V.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION NOVEMBER 2023 <br> BRANCH X - VISUAL ARTS <br> FIRST SEMESTER

COURSE : MAJOR CORE
PAPER : FUNDAMENTALS OF ART HISTORY
SUBJECT CODE : 23FA/MC/FA14
TIME : 3 HOURS
MAX. MARKS: 100

| Q. No. | SECTION A (100 words) | CO | KL |
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|  | ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS (2 X 5 =10) |  |  |
| 1. | Define relief sculpture. | 1 | 1 |
| 2. | List five elements of art. | 1 |  |
| 3. | Define symmetrical balance. | 1 | 1 |
| Q. No. | SECTION B (100 words) <br> ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS $(2 \times 5=10)$ | CO | KL |
| 4. | What are the different ways of creating emphasis in a work of art? | 2 | 2 |
| 5. | With a suitable example, explain how variety can hold the viewers' attention. | 2 | 2 |
| 6. | How can contour lines can be used to create lyrical artworks.? | 2 | 2 |
| Q. No. | SECTION C (300 words) ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS $\quad(2 \times 15=30)$ | CO | KL |
| 7. | With a suitable example examine how contrast can be used to obtain specific effects. | 3 | 3 |
| 8. | Explain how an artist can use balance to control the eyes movement in a work of art. | 3 | 3 |
| 9. | Discuss the medium of textiles with one example. | 3 | 3 |
| Q. No. | SECTION D (300 words) <br> ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS ( $2 \times 15=30$ ) | CO | KL |
| 10. | Critically review the significant role played by a patron in supporting art practice. | 4 | 4 |
| 11. | Photography is a creative medium for artistic expression. Substantiate with one example. | 4 | 4 |
| 12. | Analyse the unconventional approach employed in performance art. | 4 | 4 |
| Q. No. | SECTION E (600 words) ANSWER ANY ONE QUESTION $\quad(\mathbf{1 X} 20=\mathbf{2 0})$ | CO | KL |
| 13. | Using one suitable example each analyse the differences between regional and period styles. | 5 | 5 |
| 14. | Compare and contrast sculptures made using the subtractive process and assemblage method. | 5 | 5 |

