

**STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI – 600 086**  
(For candidates admitted from the academic year 2023 – 2024)

**MSW DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023**  
**SOCIAL WORK**  
**FIRST SEMESTER**

**COURSE : ELECTIVE COURSE**  
**PAPER : FUNDAMENTALS OF PSYCHOLOGY**  
**SUBJECT CODE : 23SW/PE/PY13**  
**TIME : 3 HOURS**

**MAX. MARKS: 100**

<b>SECTION A (4 x 2 = 8 marks)</b>			
<b>Q.No.</b>	<b>Answer all in 50 words each</b>	<b>CO</b>	<b>KL</b>
1	Define Psychology.	1	1
2	Mention the age group of middle adulthood	1	1
3	Define personality.	1	1
4	Who is the proponent of Psychoanalytical theory?	1	1
<b>SECTION B (4 x 3=12 marks)</b>			
<b>Q.No.</b>	<b>Answer all in 75 words each</b>	<b>CO</b>	<b>KL</b>
5	Explain the Behaviorist school of thought	2	2
6	Indicate the environmental factors of development of an individual	2	2
7	Indicate the various personality traits.	2	2
8	Explain the causes for mental retardation	2	2
<b>SECTION C (2 x 8= 16 marks)</b>			
<b>Q.No.</b>	<b>Answer 2 out of 4 questions in 300 words each</b>	<b>CO</b>	<b>KL</b>
9	Articulate the relevance of Psychology in Social Work practice.	3	3
10	Relate the biological and psychological determinants of human development	3	3
11	Outline the significance of Social Learning theory by Bandura in addressing people's problems.	3	3
12	Show how attitudes develop and influence our behaviour	3	3
<b>SECTION D (2 x 12= 24 marks)</b>			
<b>Q.No.</b>	<b>Answer 2 out of 4 questions in 400 words each</b>	<b>CO</b>	<b>KL</b>
13	Appraise the various fields of Psychology.	4	4
14	Analyse the various systems that influence the behaviour of a person in society.	4	4
15	Explain the Psychosocial Development theory by Erikson and analyze its relevance to contemporary practice.	4	4
16	Analyse the causes for stress, frustration and conflict with examples.	4	4
<b>SECTION E (1 x 20 =20 marks)</b>			
<b>Q.No.</b>	<b>Answer 1 out of 2 questions in 1000 words</b>	<b>CO</b>	<b>KL</b>
17	Critically examine the significance to understand developmental tasks and challenges faced during adolescence and its implications for Social Work practice.	5	5
18	Examine the factors that influence and affect personality development	5	5
<b>Answer 1 out of 2 questions in 1000 words (1 x 20 =20 marks)</b>			
<b>Q.No.</b>	<b>Answer 1 out of 2 questions in 1000 words</b>	<b>CO</b>	<b>KL</b>
19	Discuss Maslow's Hierarchy of Needs and evolve an intervention plan for a client with poor motivation based on the Maslow's Hierarchy of Needs.	5	6
20	Examine the impacts of life events on the overall behaviour of elderly population and propose suggestions for positive aging	5	6

