

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

M.Sc.,DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023

PSYCHOLOGY

FIRST SEMESTER

COURSE : CORE
PAPER : THEORIES OF PERSONALITY
SUBJECT CODE : 23PY/PC/TP14
TIME : 3 HOURS **MAX. MARKS: 100**

Q. No.	SECTION A (4 x 5 = 20 marks)	CO	KL
	Answer all the questions not exceeding 300 words		
1.	a) Discuss Kelly's personal construct theory.. (or) b) Define the following terms: need for achievement, power, and affiliation.	CO1	K1
2.	a) Explain the structure of personality according to Sullivan. (or) b) Define Allport's cardinal, central and secondary traits.	CO1	K1
3.	a) List the basic psychological needs according to Erich Fromm. (or) b) List the advantages and disadvantages of projective tests of personality.	CO1	K2
4.	a) Explain the concept of locus of control. (or) b) Discuss the characteristics of sensation seekers.	CO1	K2
Q. No.	SECTION B (4 x 10 = 40 marks)	CO	KL
	Answer all the questions not exceeding 700 words		
5.	a) Explore how the internet and social networking have influenced and shaped personality development and expression. (or) b) Discuss Murray's theory and apply it on the development of personality.	CO2	K3
6.	a) Illustrate the structure of personality according to Allport. (or) b) Apply the concept of differentiation in Lewin's theory to explain personality development.	CO2	K3
7.	a) Infer the effect of factors such as age, culture, and health in relation to locus of control. (or) b) Analyze Rollo May's theory of personality..	CO3	K4

8.	a) Appraise the key concepts of Frankl's existential approach to personality. (or) b) Analyse the development of learned helplessness in childhood.	CO3	K4
Q. No.	SECTION C (2 x 20 = 40 marks) Answer any 2 questions not exceeding 1200 words	CO	KL
9.	a) Examine the factors and determinants that contribute to the development of an individual's personality. b) Discuss the applications and evaluation of Frankl's existential approach.	CO4 CO5	K5 K6
10.	a) Explore the assessment methods and evaluate Kelley's theory. b) Discuss Eric Berne's theoretical principles of Transactional analysis.	CO4 CO5	K5 K6
11.	a) Evaluate Murrery's theory and its current status . b) Formulate Zuckerman's theory of personality.	CO4 CO5	K5 K6
12.	a) Critically evaluate the different methods used to measure personality. b) Synthesize the applications and evaluation of Sullivan's Interpersonal theory of personality.	CO4 CO5	K5 K6
