

**STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 086**  
**(For Candidates admitted during the academic year 2019 – 2020 and thereafter)**

**B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION APRIL 2024**  
**BRANCH IV – ECONOMICS**  
**SIXTH SEMESTER**

**COURSE : MAJOR – CORE**  
**PAPER : PUBLIC POLICY**  
**SUBJECT CODE : 19EC/MC/PP64**  
**TIME : 3 HOURS**

**MAX. MARKS: 100**

**SECTION – A**

**ANSWER ANY TEN QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 50 WORDS.**  
**(10X2=20)**

1. What is meant by 'Public Policy'?
2. Write a note on 'redistributive policy'.
3. What is meant by Principle of Adaptation?
4. Examine 'Nudge Theory'.
5. Write a brief note on cost-benefit analysis.
6. Highlight the weakness of qualitative research.
7. Mention some administrative problems to policy implementation.
8. What is meant by 'synthesis' in policy implementation?
9. What is policy evaluation?
10. Define 'Ethics' in the context of public policy.
11. Examine the Principle of Trade-off in decision making.
12. What is 'Technological Assessment' in policy techniques?

**SECTION – B**

**ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 400 WORDS.**  
**(5X8=40)**

13. Discuss about Public Policy orientation in Lasswell's Context.
14. Outline the role of judiciary in Public Policy making.
15. Write a detailed note on Rational Choice Theory.
16. 'There is a strong nexus between Behavioural Economics and Public Policy'.  
Comment.
17. Elucidate about the elements in Policy Design.
18. What are the conditions for the successful implementation of a policy?
19. Sketch the guidelines to memo-writing.
20. Bring out the approaches to policy evaluation.

**SECTION – C**

**ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 1000 WORDS.**  
**(2X20=40)**

21. What is the scope of Public Policy? Distinguish between distributive policies and regulatory policies.
22. Write a detailed note on Simon's Bounded Rationality process.
23. Examine the need for impact assessment in policy making.
24. Write an essay on the approaches to policy implementation.

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