

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

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION APRIL 2024
BRANCH III - SOCIOLOGY
FOURTH SEMESTER

COURSE : MAJOR CORE
PAPER : SOCIOLOGY OF DEVELOPMENT
SUBJECT CODE : 19SC/MC/SD44
TIME : 3 HOURS **MAX. MARKS : 100**

SECTION– A

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER SHOULD NOT EXCEED 50 WORDS
(10 X 2 = 20)

1. Briefly discuss the meaning and concept of Development.
2. How do dependency theories classify nations?
3. What are the defining characteristics of first-world nations?
4. What is 'Freedom' in Amartya Sen's Development as freedom?
5. Write a short note on the subaltern movement and their work towards Development.
6. What is Gunnar Myrdal's argument on Development?
7. What is the nature of the Indian economy?
8. Define poverty.
9. Write a short note on the Human Development Index.
10. What is the critique of Development'?

SECTION– B

ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER SHOULD NOT EXCEED 250 WORDS

(5 X 8 = 40)

11. Discuss the impact of colonial legacy on Development.
12. Illustrate Modernization theory and its implications.
13. Elucidate Gandhiji's perspective on Development.
14. Explain the agencies of Development.
15. Analyse the benefits and drawbacks of transnationalization for developing countries.
16. Discuss the importance of food security in the Development.
17. What are the future directions in Sociology of Development?
18. Explain the importance of the environment in the development agenda.

SECTION– C

ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER SHOULD NOT EXCEED 1200 WORDS

(2 X 20 = 40)

19. How is Development conceptualised as multidimensional in contemporary times?
Discuss with examples.
20. Describe alternative development approach with examples of development projects.
21. Discuss in detail the dependency theories' arguments on perpetuating underdevelopment.
22. Elaborate on the impact of the Information Age on the global economy?