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

## **B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2024** ENGLISH AND COMMUNICATION SKILLS FIFTH SEMESTER

**COURSE** : MAJOR CORE

**PAPER** : ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEACHING

SUBJECT CODE : 19CE/MC/LT55

**: 3 HOURS MAX. MARKS: 100** TIME

#### SECTION A

I. Answer any five of the following in about 200 words each.

(5x6=30 marks)

- 1. Discuss the psychological and sociological factors that influence second language learning in adults, with examples.
- 2. Briefly describe the theory of subsuming in cognitive learning.
- 3. Comment on the different levels in cognitive learning with reference to Bloom's taxonomy.
- 4. What are the key characteristics of the Grammar Translation Method?
- 5. Explain the difference between syllabus and curriculum.
- 6. Discuss the features of caretaker speech.
- 7. In what ways can computer-assisted language learning softwares contribute to creating dynamic and interactive language learning environment?

#### **SECTION B**

# II. Answer any three of the following in about 500 words each. (3x15=45 marks)

- 8. Discuss the role of task-based activities in the communicative approach to language learning.
- 9. Describe the various types of tests with suitable examples.
- 10. Analyse the impact of Behaviourism in English Language Teaching with reference to B.F.Skinner's operant conditioning.
- 11. Examine the teacher-student relationship in the humanistic approach to language learning.
- 12. Differentiate between first language acquisition and second language learning.

#### **SECTION C**

## III. Use the given text to design the tasks mentioned below.

**(25 marks)** 

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## Design tasks for:

- 1. Reading comprehension questions for skimming and scanningobjective type/multiple choice (five questions) (5 marks)
- 2. Reading comprehension questions for short answers factual and opinion based (five questions) (5 marks)
- 3. Listening & Speaking Skills based activities(two questions) (5marks)
- 4. Vocabulary/ grammar based questions (five questions) (10 marks)

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