

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

M. A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2024
BRANCH II (E) - INTERNATIONAL STUDIES
FIRST SEMESTER

COURSE : CORE
PAPER : INTERNATIONAL HISTORY (1648 – 1945)
SUBJECT CODE : 23IS/PC/IH14
TIME : 3 HOURS **MAX. MARKS: 100**

Q NO.	SECTION A	CO	KL
	ANSWER ANY SIX OUT OF EIGHT QUESTIONS (30 WORDS) 6X2=12		
1	John Locke.	CO1	K1
2	What is tribalism?	CO1	K1
3	Define colonialism.	CO1	K1
4	What is Fascism?	CO1	K1
5	Name the main leaders who participated in the Yalta Conference.	CO1	K1
6	Single out the main difference that led to the emergence of the Cold War.	CO1	K1
7	List any two of Woodrow Wilson’s Fourteen Points.	CO1	K1
8	What were the Normandy Landings?	CO1	K1
	SECTION B		
	ANSWER ANY THREE OUT OF FIVE QUESTIONS (250 WORDS) 3X8=24		
9	List the factors made the USA shed its neutrality during World War II?	CO2	K2
10	Describe the key wartime conferences that shaped the post-World War II world.	CO2	K2
11	Discuss the features of City-States.	CO2	K2
12	Summarise the impact of the Great Depression.	CO2	K2
13	Outline any one theory of imperialism.	CO2	K2
	SECTION C		
	ANSWER ANY TWO OUT OF FOUR QUESTIONS (350 WORDS) 2X10=20		
14	Identify the factors that led to the policy of Appeasement pursued during the inter-war period.	CO3	K3
15	Build your argument to explain how alliances and counter-alliances shaped the course of World War I.	CO3	K3
16	Categorise how the ideas of the Age of Enlightenment influence the French Revolution?	CO3	K3
17	Identify the impact of colonisation on the African Continent	CO3	K3

	SECTION D ANSWER ANY TWO OUT OF FOUR QUESTIONS (500 WORDS) 2X12=24		
18	Distinguish between Capitalism, Mercantilism and Marxism.	CO4	K4
19	Analyse the issue of the Eastern Question and the decline of the Ottoman empire in the 19 th Century	CO4	K4
20	Explicate how European imperialism influenced the political and social structure of the South American continent.	CO4	K4
21	Examine the factors that contributed to the failure of the League of Nations.	CO4	K4
	SECTION E ANSWER ANY ONE OUT OF TWO QUESTIONS (1000 WORDS) 1X20=20		
22	Assess the rise of Fascism, Nazism and Militarism in Italy, Germany and Japan.	CO5	K5
23	Evaluate the impact of the Thirty Years War and the Peace of Westphalia.	CO5	K5
