

STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI – 600 086
(For candidates admitted from the academic year 2009–10)

SUBJECT CODE: IS/PC/IF24

M. A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2010
BRANCH II (E) – INTERNATIONAL STUDIES
SECOND SEMESTER

COURSE : MAJOR – CORE
PAPER : INDIA'S FOREIGN POLICY
TIME : 3 HOURS **MAX. MARKS : 100**

SECTION – A

ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 300
WORDS: (5 X 8 = 40)

1. State the philosophical and the historical determinants of India's foreign policy
2. Write a note on Track Two diplomacy pursued by India
3. Analyse the state of regional security environment
4. Point out the strengths and weaknesses of India's missile programme
5. Examine the role of India in the Bangladesh Liberation war
6. Discuss the issues involved in the Kashmir crisis
7. Analyse the reasons for the changing India-Nepal relations in the recent times
8. Discuss the importance of Nuclear cooperation between India and Russia

SECTION – B

ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 1500
WORDS: (3 X 20 = 60)

9. Write an essay on the Institutional framework of India's foreign policy
10. Discuss the linkages between India's foreign and domestic policies
11. Assess the impact of India's intervention in the ethnic conflict in Sri Lanka
12. Estimate the work of SAARC
13. Trace the major shifts in the Indo- US relations and discuss the reasons for those shifts
