# STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 86 (For Candidates admitted during the academic year 2011 – 2012)

**SUBJECT CODE: 11EC/MC/HR54** 

### B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION NOVEMBER 2013 BRANCH IV – ECONOMICS FIFTH SEMESTER

**COURSE** : MAJOR - CORE

PAPER : HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT

TIME : 3 HOURS MAX.MARKS: 100

### **SECTION - A**

## I. ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 50 WORDS.

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$ 

- 1. Define HRD.
- 2. What is manpower planning?
- 3. Define HPI
- 4. What is GDI?
- 5. Mention any two objectives of National Literacy Mission.
- 6. What is Sarva Siksha Abiyaan?
- 7. What is the birth rate?
- 8. What is maternal mortality?
- 9. Define on-the-job training.
- 10. Mention the factors affecting quality of labour.

#### SECTION - B

## II. ANSWER ANY <u>FIVE</u> QUESTIONS, EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 300 WORDS. (5 X 8 = 40)

- 11. Explain Denison's method of estimating the contribution of human capital to economic development.
- 12. Write a note on Amartya Sen's ideas on human capital and capability.
- 13. Describe briefly the various components of Human Development Index.
- 14. Give an account of the Millennium Development Goals.
- 15. Discuss the concept of Mark Blaug's return to education.
- 16. Explain the measures of HRD as given by Harbison and Meiers.
- 17. Write the suggestions for improving the education system.

### **SECTION - C**

# III. ANSWER ANY <u>TWO</u> QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 1200 WORDS. $(2 \times 20 = 40)$

- 18. Analyse the significance of HRD for economic development.
- 19. State the relationship between education and employment.
- 20. Examine the significance of National Rural Health Mission.
- 21. Examine the need for manpower planning and forecasting.