

STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 86
(For Candidates admitted during the academic year 2009-2010 & thereafter)

SUBJECT CODE: EC/PC/GE34

M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION NOVEMBER 2011
BRANCH III – ECONOMICS
THIRD SEMESTER

COURSE : CORE
PAPER : GENDER ECONOMICS
TIME : 3 HOURS

MAX.MARKS : 100

SECTION – A

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

1. What is Gender? Briefly outline Julie A. Nelson's analysis of Gender.
2. Review Michele Pujol's critique of neo-classical economics.
3. What is meant by feminisation of poverty?
4. Explain the main features of Notburga ott's bargaining model.
5. Discuss the Marxist approach to Gender.
6. What is patriarchy? What are the different modes of patriarchal control?
7. What are the environmental issues affecting women?

SECTION – B

II. ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 1200 WORDS. (3 X 20 = 60)

8. "If development is not engendered it is endangered"- Discuss.
9. Examine the issues involved in the conceptualisation of women's work.
10. Discuss the discrimination models of Gary Becker and Asa Rosen.
11. Attempt a comparison between Post-Keynesian Methodology and Feminist Epistemology.
12. Assess the impact of globalisation on Women in India.
