

**STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI – 86  
(For candidates admitted from the academic year 2011-2012 & thereafter)**

**SUBJECT CODE: 11HS/MC/MI24**

**B. A. DEGREE EXAMINATION APRIL 2014  
BRANCH I A- HISTORY AND TOURISM  
SECOND SEMESTER**

**COURSE : MAJOR - CORE  
PAPER : MEDIEVAL INDIA (712-1707 AD)  
TIME : 3 HOURS. MAX. MARKS: 100**

**SECTION – A**

**ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 30  
WORDS: (10x3=30)**

1. Tarikh-i-hind
2. Immediate cause for the invasion of Sind
3. Mira Bai
4. Lodhi dynasty
5. I Battle of Panipat
6. Din-i-Ilahi
7. Guru Arjun Dev
8. Jeziya
9. Taj Mahal
10. Abul Fazl

**SECTION – B**

**ANSWER ANY FIVE OF THE FOLLOWING IN NOT MORE THAN 300  
WORDS EACH: (5X8=40)**

11. State the reasons for the Arab invasion of Sind.
12. Write a note on the character and achievements of Razia Sultana.
13. Highlight the impact of Bhakti movement on Indian society.
14. Bring out the importance of Sher Shah Suri.
15. Sketch Akbar's religious policy.
16. List out the causes for the downfall of the Mughals.
17. Briefly describe the contribution of Guru Nanak.

18. What role did the Mughals play in the development of music and literature?

**SECTION – C**

**ANSWER ALL THE FOLLOWING IN NOT MORE THAN 1000 WORDS**

**EACH:**

**(3X10=30)**

19. (a) Illuminate the available literary sources for the study of Medieval India.

Or

(b) Assess the market reforms adopted by Alauddin Khilji.

20. (a) Critically evaluate the administrative measures adopted by the Mughals.

Or

(b) Examine the Mughal contribution to the development of art and architecture.

21. (a) Describe the Indian society during the medieval times.

Or

(b) Write an essay on the relationship between the Mughals and the Sikhs.

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