

STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI – 600 086
(For candidates admitted from the academic year 2011–12 & thereafter)

SUBJECT CODE: 11IS/PC/TR24

M. A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2014
BRANCH II (E) – INTERNATIONAL STUDIES
SECOND SEMESTER

COURSE : CORE
PAPER : THEORIES AND ISSUES OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS
TIME : 3 HOURS **MAX. MARKS: 100**

**ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS OF THE FOLLOWING. ALL QUESTIONS CARRY
EQUAL MARKS. EACH ANSWER SHOULD NOT EXCEED 1500 WORDS:**

(5 X 20 = 100)

1. Examine evolution and significance of IR Theory as an Academic Discipline
2. Discuss the achievements and limitations of Behavioralism in IR Theory?
3. What are the assumptions and principles of Realism as an IR Approach?
4. Discuss the Agenda and Prescriptions of Liberalism towards the problems of International Conflict and Peace.
5. Analyse the concept of Nation-State in the Globalised World today.
6. What is National Power? What are the constituents of National Power?
7. Examine the challenges before Nuclear Disarmament and preventing Nuclear Proliferation.
8. Analyse the theory and practice of Balance of Power in International Relations.
9. Discuss the contribution of Marxism to IR Theory.
10. Examine the Feminist Approach to International Relations
