STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI 600 086 (For candidates admitted during the academic year 2008 – 09&thereafter)

SUBJECT CODE: SW/MC/RS54

B.S.W. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2011 SOCIAL WORK FIFTH SEMESTER

COURSE : MAJOR CORE

PAPER : BASIC RESEARCH AND STATISTICS FOR SOCIAL WORK

TIME : 3 HOURS MAX. MARKS: 100

SECTION - A (10 X 3 = 30)

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS EACH ANSWER SHOULD NOT EXCEED 50 WORDS:

- 1. Define Social Work research.
- 2. What is descriptive design?
- 3. Write a note on the classification of variables.
- 4. What is probability sampling?
- 5. List any three needs for objectivity in research.
- 6. Differentiate between census and sample.
- 7. List the different measures of dispersion.
- 8. Define hypothesis.
- 9. List any three need for sampling.
- 10. List the different types of random sampling method.

SECTION - B

 $(5 \times 6 = 30)$

ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS EACH ANSWER SHOULD NOT EXCEED 300 WORDS:

- 11. Write a short note on exploratory and experimental research design.
- 12. Explain the different one dimensional diagrams.
- 13. Write a short notes on non-probability sampling methods.
- 14. Write a short note on the relevance of action research in Social Work.
- 15. Explain the different types of research.
- 16. Describe the outline of a good research report.
- 17. Write a short note on the Measures of central tendency.
- 18. Explain the advantages and disadvantages of sampling.

SECTION - C

 $(2 \times 20 = 40)$

ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER SHOULD NOT EXCEED 1200 WORDS:

- 19. Discuss the different stages in the Social Work Research process.
- 20. Identify and formulate a research problem relevant to social work.
- 21. Explain in detail the tools of data collection.
- 22. Discuss on data processing, analysis and interpretation of data.
