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

**SUBJECT CODE: 11HS/UI/US23** 

### B.A. / B.Sc. / B.Com. / B.V.A. / B.S.W / B.C.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION NOVEMBER 2014

COURSE : INDEPENDENT ELECTIVE

PAPER : HISTORY OF UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

TIME : 3 HOURS MAX.MARKS:100

# SECTION – A ANSWER ALL TEN QUESTIONS IN ABOUT 30 WORDS EACH. (10X3=30)

- 1. Policy of Isolation
- 2. Emancipation proclamation
- 3. The Civil War
- 4. Harriet Beecher Stowe
- 5. Dawes Plan
- 6. Howard Taft
- 7. Theodore Roosevelt
- 8. New World Order
- 9. Cuban Missile Crisis
- 10. Multi-culturalism

### SECTION – B ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS IN ABOUT 300 WORDS EACH. (5X8=40)

- 11. Discuss the circumstances leading to the Civil War.
- 12. Analyze Johnson's approach to post-war reconstruction.
- 13. What were the factors that aided the rapid growth of industries?
- 14. What were the reasons for the belligerency to the First World War?
- 15. Write a note on the Washington Conference.
- 16. Highlight the significant aspects of the Eisenhower Doctrine.
- 17. Write a brief note on the security concerns that have led to disarmament initiatives in the United States.

#### SECTION – C ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 800 WORDS. (3X10=30)

- 18. Discuss the positive changes that took place in America as a result of the Progressive era.
- 19. How successful was the New Deal in overcoming the Great Depression?
- 20. Write a note on the participation of the United States in the II World War.
- 21. Critically analyze the Presidency of John F. Kennedy.
- 22. Discuss the Civil Right Movement. Analyze the role of Martin Luther King Jr.

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