

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

SUBJECT CODE: 11SC/MC/PS24

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION APRIL 2014
BRANCH III - SOCIOLOGY
SECOND SEMESTER

COURSE : MAJOR – CORE
PAPER : PRINCIPLES OF SOCIOLOGY - II
TIME : 3 HOURS. MAX.MARKS: 100

SECTION – A

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 50
WORDS: (10 X 2 = 20)

1. Define Social Change
2. What are folkways and mores?
3. Write a note on the concept of Estate.
4. What is meant by social stratification?
5. What is Co-operation?
6. What is Social Control?
7. Define Class.
8. What do you understand by Inter generational mobility?
9. Define Caste.
10. What is Conflict?

SECTION – B

ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 250
WORDS: (8 X 5 = 40)

11. What are the basic tenets in functionalism?
12. Gender as a system of social stratification-Bane or Boon.
13. Examine the importance of Competition in social life with suitable examples.
14. Briefly discuss the role of religion as a form of social control.
15. What are the types of social mobility?.
16. Distinguish between caste and class.
17. Write a note on the process of accommodation with examples.
18. Explain the concepts of progress and development with reference to social change.

SECTION – C

ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 1000 WORDS: (20 X 2 = 40)

19. Explain the cyclical and evolutionary theories of social change.
20. Discuss in detail the informal and formal mechanisms of social control.
21. Caste system is essential for society-Examine its role in the light of both the positive and negative aspects associated with it.
22. Define social mobility. Examine the factors of social mobility with relevant examples.
