

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

SUBJECT CODE: 11EC/AC/WE44
B. A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2015
BRANCH IV - ECONOMICS
FOURTH SEMESTER

COURSE : ALLIED CORE
PAPER : WOMEN, WORK AND THE ECONOMY
TIME : 3 HOURS. MAX. MARKS: 100

SECTION – A

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

1. Define Gender.
2. What is Gender Equity?
3. What are the Gender roles?
4. Define Gender and Development.
5. Define Feminization of Poverty.
6. Define Feminization of Work.
7. Define Female Labour Participation rate.
8. Define the concept of Indivisibility of Women.
9. Define Total Fertility rate.
10. Define Maternal Mortality rate.

SECTION – B

ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 300 WORDS.
(5 X 8 = 40)

11. Explain the purpose and scope of Gender Analysis.
12. Differentiate Development versus Anti-Development.
13. Explain the role of Women's Education as an instrument of social change.
14. What are the causes for wage discrimination in women?
15. Write a short note on Gender Budgeting
16. What are the dropout rates in school education in India .Point out the measures taken by the government to reduce it?
17. What are advantages and disadvantages for women working in Call Centers and BPO'S.?

SECTION – C

ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 1200 WORDS.
(2 X 20 = 40)

18. Explain the Feminist perspective in Economics.
19. Explain the Health Status of Women in India.
20. Explain the impact of micro credit in women Empowerment.
21. Explain the Status of Women in Higher Education in India.
