

**STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI – 86**  
(For candidates admitted from the academic year 2004 – 2005 & thereafter)

**SUBJECT CODE: SC/MC/PS24**

**B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION APRIL 2008**  
**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. State the meaning of the term 'social stratification'.
2. What is estate?
3. Define social mobility.
4. List out the determinants of social mobility.
5. Bring out two any differences between accommodation and assimilation.
6. What is Competition?
7. Write a short note on convention.
8. Explain folkways with an example.
9. Elucidate the meaning of evolution.
10. What is progress and how is it different from development?

**SECTION – C**

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

11. Describe gender stratification.
12. Illustrate the concept of structural mobility.
13. Briefly discuss the types of cooperation.
14. Highlight the consequences of break down of social control mechanisms in a society.
15. What is the significance of technology in Social change?

16. Explain the role of religion in social control.
17. Bring out the effects of conflict on society.
18. Explicate the concept of intergenerational mobility.

**SECTION – C**

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

19. Critically examine the theories of social change.
20. Examine Sorokin's views on social mobility.
21. Evaluate functionalist notion of social stratification.
22. Critically examine the role different agencies of social control.

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