

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

SUBJECT CODE: IS/PC/SA34

M. A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2009
BRANCH II (E) - INTERNATIONAL STUDIES
THIRD SEMESTER

COURSE : MAJOR – CORE
PAPER : CONFLICT AND CO-OPERATION IN SOUTH ASIA

TIME : 3 HOURS **MAX. MARKS: 100**

SECTION – A **(5 X 8 = 40)**

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

1. Democracy.
2. Authoritarianism.
3. Regionalism.
4. Strategic importance.
5. Territorial Disputes.
6. Kashmir
7. SAFTA

SECTION – B **(3 X 20 = 60)**

ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER SHOULD NOT EXCEED 1500 WORDS:

8. Examine the Role of Asia in the global context.
9. “Indo – centricity of South Asia cannot help understanding South Asia”
(Panickar) Do you agree?
10. Analyse the patterns of war in South Asia.
11. Give reasons for the tardy growth of SAARC.
12. Sketch the role of external forces in the nuclearisation of South Asia.
