

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

SUBJECT CODE: HS/MC/CC34

B. A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2010
BRANCH I – HISTORY
THIRD SEMESTER

COURSE : MAJOR – CORE
PAPER : SOCIAL & CULTURAL HISTORY OF CHENNAI CITY
SINCE 1639
TIME : 3 HOURS **MAX.MARKS:100**

SECTION – A

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 30 WORDS.

(10X3=30)

1. Santhome Church
2. Francis Day
3. Thomas Mauro
4. Madras Corporation
5. Madras Christian College
6. Charles Woods Despatch
7. Annie Besant
8. Binny & Co
9. Kalakshetra
10. Kumudam

SECTION – B

ANSWER ANY EIGHT QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 250 WORDS.

(8X5=40)

11. Write a short essay on the Portuguese settlement in Madras.
12. Assess the contribution of Elihu Yale to Chennai.
13. Explain the contribution of Christian Missionaries to Education in Chennai.
14. Survey the genesis and development of the Port Trust.
15. Parry and Company has been a pioneering industry in Chennai-Elaborate.
16. Discuss the origins and contribution of the Theosophical society.
17. Trace the growth and development of theatre in Chennai over the years.
18. State the development of Madras with reference to Town planning, Architecture, Sculpture and Paintings of Old Madras.
19. What was the contribution of Rukmini Devi Arundale?
20. A Glimpse of Tamil Films reveals its influence on Politics and vice-versa. Elucidate.

SECTION – C

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 1000 WORDS. (3X10=30)

21. Give a detailed account of the English Settlement in Madras.

(OR)

Trace the genesis and growth of Judicial Administration in Chennai.

22. Discuss the Private and State's efforts for the progress of Education in Madras.

(OR)

Describe the History of the Dravidian Movement.

23. Trace the development of Central and Suburban railways in Chennai.

(OR)

Estimate the contribution of Tamil and English journalism to Chennai.
