STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI 600 086 (For candidates admitted during the academic year 2015–2016 & thereafter)

SUBJECT CODE: 15SW/PE/SY14

M.S.W. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2017 SOCIAL WORK FIRST SEMESTER

COURSE	: ELECTIVE
PAPER	: FUNDAMENTALS OF SOCIOLOGY
TIME	: 3 HOURS

MAX. MARKS: 100

SECTION – A

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

- 1. Define Society.
- 2. What is Cultural Lag?
- 3. What is the meaning of social differentiation? Cite an example.
- 4. List any four forms of social discriminations.
- 5. What is caste? Write any two implications of caste.
- 6. How does class relate to power?
- 7. Differentiate modernization and westernization.
- 8. Mention any four agents of social change.
- 9. Write any four characteristic features of Indian Economy.
- 10. Define development based on your understanding of the concept.

SECTION – B

ANSWER ANY FOUR QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER SHOULD NOT EXCEED 600 WORDS: (4 x 10 = 40)

- 11. Briefly explain the various elements of society.
- 12. Outline the various approaches to the study of society.
- 13. Explain social inequality and its forms.
- 14. Highlight the impact of social change on Indian society.
- 15. Summarize the concept of social organisation and disorganization.
- 16. Briefly explain the concept of development according to Amartya Sen.

SECTION – C

ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER SHOULD NOT EXCEED 1200 WORDS: (2 x 20 = 40)

- 17. Critically analyse the historical evolution of caste system and its implications on the society.
- 18. Elaborate on the issues and concerns related to the pre and post millennium development goals.
- 19. Elucidate the theoretical perspectives on social stratification.
- 20. Analyse the impact of LPG on the Indian society.