

**STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI – 86**  
**(For candidates admitted during the academic year 2015 – 2016 and thereafter)**  
**SUBJECT CODE: 15SC/MC/SA24**

**B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2018**  
**BRANCH III - SOCIOLOGY**  
**SECOND SEMESTER**

**COURSE : MAJOR – CORE**  
**PAPER : SOCIAL ANTHROPOLOGY**  
**TIME : 3 HOURS.**

**MAX.MARKS: 100**

**SECTION – A**

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

1. What is meant by Applied Anthropology?
2. What is meant by culture area?
3. What is polygamy and its different forms?
4. Define Descent.
5. What is meant by modes of production?
6. Explain reciprocity.
7. What is totem?
8. Explain the concepts of sacred and profane.
9. What is meant by Political Anthropology?
10. Differentiate between custom and law.

**SECTION – B**

**ANSWER FIVE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 250 WORDS:**  
**(5 X 8 = 40)**

11. Briefly describe the scope of Archeological Anthropology and Anthropological Linguistics.
12. What are cultural traits? Briefly write on the processes of cultural change.
13. What is Kinship term? Distinguish between classificatory and descriptive systems of kinship.
14. Elucidate the patterns of Residence and Inheritance.
15. Explain with example barter and ceremonial modes of exchange and their significance.
16. Write a brief note on Market, Money and Trade.
17. Examine the relationship between Magic, Religion and Science.
18. Elucidate the structure of Government in primitive tribal societies.

**SECTION – C**

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

19. Define Social Anthropology. Discuss the nature and scope of Social Anthropology.
20. Define family. Analyse the different types of family.
21. Explain Primitive Religion. Critically examine the theories of Animism, Naturalism and Manaism.
22. Bring out the importance of primitive law and describe justice and punishment in primitive societies.

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