

**STELLA MARIS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) CHENNAI 600 086**  
**(For candidates admitted during the academic year 2016 - 2017)**

**SUBJECT CODE: 16PY/MC/DP24**

**B. Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2018**  
**PSYCHOLOGY**  
**SECOND SEMESTER**

**COURSE : MAJOR – CORE**  
**PAPER : DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY - II**  
**TIME : 3 HOURS** **MAX.MARKS:100**

**SECTION – A**

**I. ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 50 WORDS.**  
**(10X2=20)**

1. When is the “isolation crisis” experienced?
2. List the various marital adjustments that an adult makes.
3. List the different categories of stress in the middle age.
4. Define grief.
5. Explain ‘empty nest syndrome’.
6. What is presbyopia? How can one deal with it?
7. What changes are associated with male climacteric?
8. What is the revolving door syndrome?
9. Differentiate between family-focused lifestyle and balanced investment.
10. What is elder abuse? What are the different types of abuse?

**SECTION – B**

**II. ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 250 WORDS.**  
**(5X8=40)**

11. Explain the importance of appearance and clothing in early adulthood.
12. What are the conditions influencing vocational satisfaction?
13. Middle aged people want to use leisure time in a satisfying manner. Explain.
14. How does grandparenthood affect a person? What roles are played by grandparents?
15. Write on the pros and cons of institutional living for the elderly.
16. Elaborate on postformal thought.
17. How does creativity change with age?
18. Write a note on the typical patterns of grieving.

**SECTION – C**

**III. ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS. EACH ANSWER NOT TO EXCEED 1200 WORDS.**  
**(2X20=40)**

19. What are the characteristics of early adulthood?
20. Describe the developmental tasks of middle age.
21. How do relationships with aging parents evolve?
22. Explain personal and social hazards of adulthood. Support your answer with relevant examples.

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