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

SUBJECT CODE: 15SC/MC/PS14

B. A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2018 BRANCH III – SOCIOLOGY FIRST SEMESTER

COURSE : MAJOR - CORE

PAPER: PRINCIPLES OF SOCIOLOGY- I

TIME : 3 HOURS MAX.MARKS:100

SECTION - A

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS IN 50 WORDS.

(10X2=20)

- 1. Give the etymological meaning of sociology.
- 2. Name any two founding fathers of sociology and their major contribution.
- 3. Define society.
- 4. Differentiate between ascribed status and achieved status.
- 5. What is anticipatory socialization? Give an example.
- 6. What is meant by mass media?
- 7. Define social groups.
- 8. What is gemeinschaft?
- 9. Define cultural lag.
- 10. What is meant by culture shock?

SECTION - B

ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS IN 250 WORDS.

(5X8=40)

- 11. Delineate the importance of sociology.
- 12. Bring out the relationship between sociology and economics.
- 13. Explicate the characteristics of community.
- 14. Differentiate between norms and values.
- 15. Briefly explain C.H.Cooley's "looking glass self".
- 16. Highlight the importance of secondary social groups.
- 17. Write a brief note on the elements of culture.
- 18. Explain cultural diffusion as an associative cultural process.

SECTION - C

ANSWER ANY TWO IN 1200 WORDS.

(2X20=40)

- 19. Elaborate on the nature and scope of sociology.
- 20. Discuss in detail about the agencies of socialization.
- 21. Write an essay on different types of social groups
- 22. Critically analyse the cultural processes of assimilation and acculturation with suitable examples.