

St. Clare College
Autonomous, Bengaluru



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PG END SEMESTER EXAMINATION-JAN/FEB 2026

MSW FIRST SEMESTER

MSW 1124: INTRODUCTION TO SOCIAL WORK AND CONTEMPORARY

IDEOLOGIES FOR SOCIAL WORK PROFESSION

TIME: 3 hours.

MAX. MARKS: 70

This paper contains two printed pages and three parts

Instructions:

1. Verify and ensure that the question paper is completely printed.
2. Any discrepancies or questions about the exam paper must be reported to the COE within 1 hour after the examination.
3. Students must check the course title and course code before answering the questions.

PART-A

Answer FOUR questions out of SIX. Each answer carries FIVE marks.

[5x4 = 20]

1. Explain the concept and significance of Social Development.

2. Highlight the major features of Protestantism.

3. Examine the ideas of Spirituality in ancient India.

4. Differentiate between Social Planning and Social Development.

5. Describe the concept of Multiculturalism and explain its significance.

6. Discuss the importance of human rights in current social work practice.

PART-B

Answer any TWO questions out of THREE. Each answer carries TEN marks.

[10x2=20]

7. Describe the concept and importance of Geriatric Social Work.

8. Explain the differences in the approaches adopted by the Charity Organization Society and the Settlement House Movement.

9. Examine the relevance of the ideology of Sustainable and People-centered development to Social Work practice.

PART-C

Answer any TWO questions out of THREE. Each answer carries FIFTEEN marks. [5X2=30]

10. Compare the contribution of Gandhian ideology and Ambedkarite ideology towards Social

Work profession.

11. Analyse the concept of Neo-liberalism and Globalisation on Civil Society movements.

12. Examine the problems and prospects in the field of Medical and Psychiatric Social Work.
