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ST MARY'S COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), THRISSUR-20

I SEMESTER (FYUGP) DEGREE REGULAR EXAMINATIONS, NOVEMBER 2025

HIS1MN108 : FOOD:A GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE

2025 Admission Onwards

(Credits: 4)

Time: 2 Hours

Maximum Marks: 70

Section A

Answer all. Each question carries 3 Marks. (Ceiling: 24 Marks)

1. Explain food studies.
2. Analyse the earliest available archeological references on food.
3. Examine the nutritional approach in food history.
4. Assess how animal domestication contribute to food-related rituals and religious symbolism in early societies.
5. Identify the influence of Nile River on Egyptian agriculture and culinary practices.
6. Illustrate the Mediterranean food in the pre Islamic period.
7. Classify the new and old world related to Columbian exchange.
8. Examine how overfishing affects marine ecosystems.
9. Identify the global spread of fast food brands.
10. What is meant by Globalization?

Section B

Answer all. Each question carries 6 Marks. (Ceiling: 36 Marks)

11. Analyse the origin and growth of food history as an academic discipline.
12. Demonstrate the socio-economic implications of foodstuff choices in rural vs urban households.
13. Discover the role of the Indian Ocean maritime routes in connecting food cultures between East Africa, Arabia, India, and Southeast Asia.
14. Indicate the significance of food and feasting in Egyptian culture.

Turn Over

15. Analyse the impact of trade under Islamic empires on the spread of various foodstuffs.
16. Explain the food during the Renaissance period.
17. Express your views on the statement 'Migration resulted food symbiosis'.
18. Point out the impact of imperialism on food culture.

Section C

*Answer **any one**. (1x10=10marks)*

19. Analyse the evolution of hunting and gathering and stone age cooking.
20. Summarize how industrialization changed food production, preservation, and consumption patterns.
