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POST-GRADUATE COURSE

Assignment — June-2020

GEOGRAPHY

Paper-VIIA : Environmental Issues in Geography

QUESTION PAPER CUM ANSWER BOOKLET

(Full Marks : 50)

(Weightage of Marks : 20%)

Special credit will be given for precise and correct answer. Marks will be deducted for spelling mistakes, untidiness and illegible handwriting. The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

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Received Answer Booklet
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**জরুরি নির্দেশ / Important Instruction**

আগামী শিক্ষাবর্ষান্ত পরীক্ষায় (T.E. Exam.) নতুন ব্যবস্থা অর্থাৎ প্রশ্নসহ উত্তর পুস্তিকা (QPAB) প্রবর্তন করা হবে। এই নতুন ব্যবস্থার সঙ্গে পরীক্ষার্থীদের অভ্যস্ত করার জন্য বর্তমান অনুশীলন পত্রে নির্দেশ অনুযায়ী প্রতিটি প্রশ্নের উত্তর নির্দিষ্ট স্থানেই দিতে হবে।

New system i.e. Question Paper Cum Answer Booklet (QPAB) will be introduced in the coming Term End Examination. To get the candidates acquainted with the new system, assignment answer is to be given in the specified space according to the instructions.

**Detail schedule for submission of assignment for the
PG Term End Examination June, 2020**

1. Date of Publication : 20/06/2020
2. Last date of Submission of answer script by the student to the study centre : 19/07/2020
3. Last date of Submission of marks by the examiner to the study centre : 16/08/2020
4. Date of evaluated answer scripts distribution by the study centre to the students (Students are advised to check their assignment marks on the evaluated answer scripts and marks lists in the study centre notice board. If there is any mismatch / any other problems of marks obtained and marks in the list, the students should report to their study centre Co-ordinator on spot for correction. The study centre is advised to send the corrected marks, if any, to the COE office within five days. No changed / correction of assignment marks will be accepted after the said five days.) : 23/08/2020
5. Last date of submission of marks by the study centre to the Department of C.O.E. on or before : 31/08/2020

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Answer any *three* questions from *Section – A*.

Question No. 7 in *Section – B* is compulsory.

Section – A

Answer any *three* questions : 10 × 3 = 30

1. Explain in brief the different types of forest and outline the structure and function of a forest ecosystem. 4 + 6
 2. Elucidate how human activity is responsible for environmental degradation with examples. 10
 3. What are the laws that have been formed for environmental protection ? Bring out the salient features of Montreal Protocol. 4 + 6
 4. Suggest suitable measures for forest conservation and explain the significance of biodiversity conservation. 6 + 4
 5. What is bio-geo-chemical cycle ? How does nitrogen circulation occur in nature ? 4 + 6
 6. What is meant by social hazard ? Discuss the socio-economic forces responsible for any social hazard. 4 + 6
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First Answer :



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Section – B

7. Answer any *five* questions :

4 × 5 = 20

- a) Differentiate primary air pollutants from secondary air pollutants.
- b) Identify the major consequences of emission of greenhouse gases.
- c) Distinguish between man-induced hazards and natural hazards.
- d) Identify the role of literacy in controlling health hazards.
- e) Give an account of the threatened species of India.
- f) What are the causes of land degradation ?
- g) What are the major objectives of Agenda - 21 ?
- h) Mention the causes and types of conflicts active in rural-urban fringes.
- i) State the difference between pollution and degradation.
- j) What is bio-magnification ?

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Second Answer :

Third Answer :



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Fourth Answer :

Fifth Answer :



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