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**B.A./B.Sc. (Hons.) 6th Semester
(2055)**

GEOGRAPHY

Paper : Opt. (iii) : Environmental Geography (An Elementary Course)

Time Allowed : Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 90

Note :— Attempt **FIVE** questions in all. Q. No. 1 is compulsory.
Select **ONE** question from each of the four units.
Credit will be given for suitable maps/diagrams and examples. Students can use unmarked/transparent stencils and color pen/pencils.

1. Attempt any **TEN** in about **25-30** words :

- (a) Explain the terms, "Environment and Ecology".
- (b) Explain soil and its formation.
- (c) Soil Texture.
- (d) Acid Rain and its effects.
- (e) Simply explain Wildlife Protection Act.
- (f) Healthy environment.
- (g) Parent rock.
- (h) Soil erosion and its causes.
- (i) Non-conventional energy sources.
- (j) Major causes of depleting wildlife.
- (k) Water pollution.

- (l) Soil chemistry.
- (m) Population growth and its components.
- (n) Wild animals of tropical grasslands.
- (o) Silence zone.

10×2=20

UNIT—I

- 2. Explain Environment Geography and discuss its nature and scope in detail. 17½
- 3. Discuss the characteristics, components and functions of environment. 5+6+6½=17½

UNIT—II

- 4. Explain soil and its origin. Classify and explain different types of soils. 17½
- 5. Define energy and its sources. Explain Energy flow in ecosystem with the help of diagram. 17½

UNIT—III

- 6. Write a detailed essay on forests, their significance and conservation strategies. 17½
- 7. Explain Wildlife and Environment relationship. Discuss Wildlife in India. 17½

UNIT—IV

- 8. What is Atmospheric pollution ? Discuss its causes, effects and controlling measures. 17½
- 9. Write a detailed note on Environmental impact on Population Growth and National Environmental Tribunal Act. 17½