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GEOGRAPHY

[Honours]

PAPER – II

Full Marks : 90

Time : 4 hours

The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary

GROUP – A

[Long answer type questions]

Answer any five questions selecting one from each Unit within 500 words : 10 x 5

(Turn Over)

(2)

UNIT – I

1. Briefly assess the interrelationship between development and environment in developing country like India.

Or

State the importance of using non-conventional energy resources in India with special reference to their environmental significance.

UNIT – II

2. Critically examine the Weber's theory of industrial location in context to its present day relevance.

Or

Briefly elucidate the roles of information and communication technology (ICT) in the development of Indian economy.

UNIT – III

3. Briefly state the processes of cultural diffusion and convergence with particular reference to India.

(3)

Or

Asses the impacts of proverty on socio-economic condition of India.

UNIT – IV

4. Examine the changes of livelihood pattern of Jarwas in India.

Or

Bring out the salient features of urban-industrial society in India highlighting the major cultural changes during the social evolution.

UNIT – V

5. Briefly discuss the 'Heartland' theory of Mackinder and state its present day relevance.

Or

Describe nature of global politics on energy resources at present time.

(4)

GROUP – B

[Semi-long answer type questions]

Answer any one question from each Unit
within 250 words :

4 × 5

UNIT – I

6. Mention the perspective of resource management in developing countries.

Or

State the characteristics of mixed farming practised in mediterranean countries.

UNIT – II

7. Briefly state the major problems of Haldia industrial region.

Or

Elucidate the role of WTO in international trade.

(5)

UNIT – III

8. Enumerate the major indicators of social well being and how it can be secured.

Or

Give a brief account of the nature and types of crime in India.

UNIT – IV

9. Cite the unique ethical characteristics of Santhals, the major ethnic group of India.

Or

Why is family considered as basic unit of society ?

UNIT – V

10. Give a comparative view of the socio-political nature of boundary and frontier.

(6)

Or

Briefly comment on the geo-political view of the Houshofer.

GROUP – C

[Short answer type questions]

Answer any ten questions each within 50 words
from the following : 2 × 10

11. What do you mean by scarcity of resources ?
12. Define sustainable development.
13. What is the source of geo-thermal energy ?
14. Define cultural landscape.
15. What are the major linguistic zones in India ?
16. What is material index ?
17. Define social justice.
18. Distinguish social group from ethnic group.

19. What is 'Program' ?
 20. Mention the livelihood characteristics of Lodhas.
 21. What is 'Pivot-area' ?
 22. Define Isodapane.
 23. What do you mean by 'No man's land' ?
 24. Define nation-state.
 25. What is 'Geopolitics' ?
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