ENVIRONMENT STUDIES (ENVS)

Class - XI

Full Marks: 100

Theory: 80 marks

Project: 20 marks

Chapter-I: MAN AND ENVIRONMENT

- i) Introduction
- ii) Dimensions of Environment-Physical, Biological & Social
- iii) Human Being as a Rational and social Partner in Environmental Actions
- iv) Society and Environment in India: Indian Traditions, Customs and Culture-Past and Present
- v) Population and Environment
- vi) Impact of Human Activities on Environment
- vii) Conclusion

Chapter-II: ENVIRONMENT AND DEVELOPMENT

- i) Introduction
- ii) Economic and Social Needs as a Basic Considerations for Development
- iii) Global Development Scenario-Some Facts
- iv) Agriculture and Industry as Major Sectors of Development
- Social factors Affecting Development- Education, Employment, Child Marriage and child Labour, Health, Social Security, Cultural and ethical Values
- vi) Impact of Development on Environment Changing Pattern of Land Use, Land Reclamation, Deforestation, Resource Depletion, Pollution and Environmental Degradation
- vii) Impact of Liberalization and Globalization on Agriculture and Industrial Development

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viii) Role of the Society in Development and Environment – Public Awareness
Through Education, Eco-clubs, Population Education Programme,
Campaigns, Public Participation in Development

Chapter-III: ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION AND GLOBAL ISSUES

- i) Air Pollution
- ii) Water Pollution
- iii) Soil Pollution
- iv) Hazardous Waste and Materials
- v) Noise Pollution
- vi) Radiation Pollution
- vii) Ozone Layer Depletion and its Effects
- viii) Green House Effects and Global Warming
- ix) Pollution Related Diseases
- x) Disaster Natural & Man-Made
- xi) Strategies for Pollution abatement and Environmental Quality Improvement

Chapter-IV: ENERGY

- i) Introduction
- ii) Changing Global Pattern of Energy Consumption
- iii) Energy Consumption as a Measure of Quality of Life-Style
- iv) Energy Scenario in India
- v) Energy Sources
- vi) Fossil fuel Harnessing and Environmental Consequences
- vii) Energy Conservation- Efficient Production and Efficient Uses
- viii) Planning & Management of Energy

PROJECT

Project: 20 marks (1500-2000 words) (any one)

- 1. A Project Report on Air/Water/Sound Pollution in your locality.
- 2. Eco-friendly unconventional source of Energy
- 3. Waste Management System in your local Hospital
- 4. Afforestation Programme taken by your Municipality/Panchayet

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Chapter-V: BIODIVERSITY

i)	Concept	of	Biodivers	sity
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- ii) Value of Biodiversity
- iii) Types of Biodiversity
- iv) Loss of Biodiversity
- v) Balance in Nature
- vi) India as Mega diversity Nation
- vii) Our Common Plants
- viii) Our Common Animals
- ix) Economic Potential
- x) Wildlife in Trade
- xi) Strategies of Conservation

Chapter-VI: ENVIRONMENT MANAGEMENT

- i) Introduction
- ii) Need for Environmental Management vis a vis Development
- iii) Aspects of Environmental Management
- iv) Legal Provisions for Environmental Management
- v) Approaches for Environmental Management

Chapter-VII: SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

- i) Concept of Sustainable Development
- ii) Concept of Sustainable Consumption
- iii) Need of Sustainable Development for Improving Quality of Life for the Present and Future
- iv) Challenges for Sustainable Development- Social, Political and Economic Considerations

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- v) Support Base for Sustainable Development
- vi) Role of National and International Agencies (Both Government and Non Government)

Chapter-VIII: SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE

- i) Introduction
- ii) Need for Sustainable Agriculture
- iii) Importance of Soil for Crops
- iv) Irrigation Systems, Use of Manure and Fertilizers
- v) Crop Protection Major Plant Pests & Diseases, Measures for their Control Agrochemicals
- vi) Impact of Agrochemicals on Environment
- vii) Elements of Sustainable Agriculture
- viii) Action Plan for sustainable Agriculture

PROJECT

Project: 20 marks (1500-2000 words) (any one)

- Global Warming.
- 2. Importance of setting up Disaster Management System in Earthquake prone Regions.
- 3. Erosion of soil due to floods and its impact on Society.
- 4. Effects of excessive use of mobile phones.