U.G. 2nd Semester Examination – 2023

GEOGRAPHY

[HONOURS]

Course Code : GEO-H-CC-T-03

(Human Geography)

[New Syllabus Under CBCS]

Full Marks : 60   Time : $2\frac{1}{2}$ 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.

UNIT–I

(Nature and Principles)

[Marks : 20]

1. Answer any **three** of the following: 2×3=6

   a) What is *ethnic culture*?

   b) What is *cultural hearth*?

   c) Define *community*.

   d) Write the significance of *Human Geography*.

   e) What is *paleoanthropology*?

[Turn over]

2. Answer any **one** from the following: 4×1=4

    a) Mention the stages of human evolution.

    b) Give the concept of *space*.

3. Answer any **one** from the following: 10×1=10

    a) **Differentiate** *cultural realm* from *cultural region* and elucidate the salient characteristics of any two cultural realms of the world.

                                                      4+6

    b) Make an appraisal on distribution and physical traits of major human races of the world. 10

UNIT–II

(Society, Demography and Ekistics)

[Marks : 40]

4. Answer any **seven** of the following: 2×7=14

    a) What is *nebular pattern* settlement?

    b) Name any two *pastoral nomad tribes*.

    c) What is *stable population growth*?

    d) Write any two demerits of *industrial society*.

    e) What is *dependency ratio*?

    f) What is *subsistence farming*?

g) Give any two examples of Indian towns having primary focus on defense of nation.

h) What is meant by polis?

i) What is meant by *population-environment conflict*?

j) Where are *chess board pattern* settlements formed?

k) Define *service towns*.

5. Answer any **four** from the following: 4×4=16

a) Bring out the criticism of Demographic Transition Model.

b) Give the notion of social morphology.

c) Explain the factors of nucleated settlement formation.

d) Highlight the trend of population growth with reference to India.

e) Mention the advantages and disadvantages of urban society.

f) Write the concept of hunting and gathering.

6. Answer any **one** from the following: 10×1=10

a) Elucidate the population-resource regions (after Ackerman) with suitable example.

b) Make an account of the house types of rural India with necessary illustration.

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