



LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034

M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – SOCIOLOGY

FIRST SEMESTER – NOVEMBER 2022

PSO 1505 – ENVIRONMENTAL SOCIOLOGY

Date: 30-11-2022

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

Time: 01:00 PM - 04:00 PM

PART – A

(10x 2 = 20 Marks)

Q. No Answer ALL questions in 50 words each.

- 1 What is environmental sociology?
- 2 Write a short note on deforestation
- 3 Write a short note on Ocean Acidification
- 4 Differentiate NEP from HEP.
- 5 Write a short note on COP26.
- 6 Write a short note on Existential Dualism.
- 7 Write a short note on Asocial Nature.
- 8 When and why was Tiwari Committee formed?
- 9 What are environmentally sound technologies?
- 10 State two examples depicting environmental inequality.

PART – B

(5 x 8 = 40 Marks)

Answer any FIVE questions in 300 words each

- 11 Discuss the consequences of global warming.
- 12 Explain the convergence of environmental studies and sociology.
- 13 Narmada Bachao Andolan is the most powerful mass movement - Comment
- 14 List and analyse the benefits of renewable energy.
- 15 Discuss and critic carbon market.
- 16 Deliberate on climate justice and social inequality in India.
- 17 Discuss the evolution, structure and impact of Chipko movement.

PART – C

(2 x 20 = 40 Marks)

Answer any TWO questions in 1200 words each

- 18 What is acid rain? Describe in detail the cause and the impact of the acid rain.
- 19 Deliberate in detail the cause and consequences of air pollution.
- 20 Critically evaluate the proposed amendments to the Forest Conservation Act, 1980
- 21 Deliberate on the international environmental law – CBD.
