### 2023

## B.A./B.Sc.

### **Fifth Semester**

### DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE - 2

#### **GEOLOGY**

Course Code: GLD 5.21 (Environmental Geology)

Total Mark: 70 Pass Mark: 28

Time: 3 hours

Answer five questions, taking one from each unit.

#### UNIT\_I

1. Elaborate on sustainability of resources. Also give solutions on how to utilize natural resources sustainably.

2. Write notes on the following:

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- (a) Geology a basic environmental science
- (b) Earth as a system

#### UNIT-II

3. Explain the causes, impacts and mitigation measures of vehicular pollution.

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- 4. Write notes on the following:
  - (a) Causes and impacts of air pollution
  - (b) Mitigation measures of water pollution

## **UNIT-III**

- 5. What are primary and secondary hazards? Explain any one. 14
- 6. Mention the factors affecting slope erosion.

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# **UNIT-IV**

7. Mention the effects and causes of deforestation.

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- 8. Why is soil conservation important? Mention some methods of soil conservation. 8+6=14

# **UNIT-V**

9.	Explain the land use, forest cover and their mitigation measures of NE	
	India.	14

10. Describe the geo-environmental problems of NE India with reference to the topographic characteristics and climate.

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