

October 2025
B.A./B.Sc.
First Semester
MULTI-DISCIPLINARY COURSE – 1
GEOGRAPHY
Course Code: GGO 1.11
(Settlement Geography)

Total Mark: 50
Time: 2 hours

Pass Mark: 20

I. Answer three questions, taking one from each unit.

UNIT-I

1. What do you mean by settlement? How did the origin of settlements come about in settlement geography? 2+10=12
2. Explain in detail the factors affecting the growth of settlement. 12

UNIT-II

3. Differentiate between rural and urban settlements. Classify towns according to their function. 4+8=12
4. What is urbanisation? Present the features and trend of urbanisation. 4+8=12

UNIT-III

5. Explain in detail the concept of conurbation and metropolitan regions. 8+4=12
6. Present W. Christaller's central place theory with the help of a suitable diagram. 12

II. Write notes on any two of the following: 7×2=14

7. Siting factors of rural settlement
8. Nature of settlement geography
9. Urban sprawl