

M.Sc. ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE
FOURTH SEMESTER
COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AND SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY
MEV-405 [CCEC]
(USE OMR FOR OBJECTIVE PART)

**SET
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Duration: 1:30 hrs.

Full Marks: 35

Time: 15 mins.

(Objective)

Marks: 10

Choose the correct answer from the following:

1×10=10

1. Which of the following is *NOT* considered a part of rural infrastructure?
 - a. Roads and transportation
 - b. Telecommunications
 - c. Shopping malls
 - d. Irrigation systems
2. Which sector is the most dependent on rural infrastructure for its growth?
 - a. Information Technology
 - b. Agriculture
 - c. Banking
 - d. Tourism
3. What is the main cause of resource depletion in rural areas?
 - a. Excessive conservation efforts
 - b. Sustainable farming techniques
 - c. Overuse and mismanagement of resources
 - d. Implementation of organic farming
4. Sustainable agriculture practices include,
 - a. Excessive use of chemical fertilizers
 - b. Crop rotation and organic farming
 - c. Deforestation for farming land
 - d. Monoculture farming
5. The major source of irrigation in rural areas is,
 - a. Rainwater harvesting
 - b. Desalination plants
 - c. Industrial wastewater
 - d. None of the above
6. Which of the following is a primary function of the Gram Panchayat?
 - a. Defence and foreign policy
 - b. Law making for the entire country
 - c. Local development and welfare activities
 - d. Currency printing
7. The main goal of the Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan is to,
 - a. Build roads in rural areas
 - b. Promote higher education among youth

- c. Provide universal elementary education
- d. Offer skill training to women
8. The Beti Bachao, Beti Padhao scheme mainly addresses,
- a. Child labor issues
- b. Female foeticide and girl child education
- c. Health insurance for mothers
- d. Employment for rural women
9. Ayushman Bharat scheme aims to provide:
- a. Free transportation
- b. Pension for senior citizens
- c. Health insurance for poor families
- d. Scholarships for students
10. The Community Development Programme was launched in India in:
- a. 1947
- b. 1952
- c. 1965
- d. 1971

(Descriptive)

Time : 1 hr. 15 mins.

Marks: 25

[Answer question no.1 & any two (2) from the rest]

1. What are the major natural resources available in rural areas? ~~5~~ ~~5+5=10~~
Explain their importance in rural livelihoods.
2. Discuss the impact of modernization on rural values and traditional community structures. 10
3. Write Short note on 5+5=10
 - a. Agriculture and farming in rural areas
 - b. Rural markets
4. Explain the structure and functions of local self-government in rural India. How does it contribute to grassroots democracy and development? 6+4=10
5. Discuss the objectives and achievements of the Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan. How has it contributed to improving elementary education in rural areas? 5+5=10

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