Geography (P.G.)
[CBCS]
M.Sc. Third Semester End Examination-2023
(Regular & Supplementary Paper)
PAPER-301

Full Marks: 40   ***Time: 02 Hrs***

The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks
Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as
far as practicable
Illustrate the answers wherever necessary

[Use separate answer script for each unit]

Unit 25

[Geographical Thought]

Full Marks 20

Group A

Answer any one question of the following: **1x8=8**

1. Why is Geography called a spatial science? Evaluate the nature of Geography as a social science.

2. Account for the development of British school of thought and its contribution in Geography.

Group B

Answer any two questions of the following: 2x4= 8

3. What are the core elements of "Areal differentiation" as proposed by R. Hartshorne?

4. Identify the typology of models in geography.

5. Discuss the interdisciplinasry nature of geography in brief.

6. Discuss the contributions of Karl Ritter in the development of geography.

Group C

Answer any two questions of the following: 2x2= 4

7. What is 'Pays'.

8. Differentiate Nomothetic approach from ideographic approach.

9. Define mental map.

10. Differentiate physical geography from human geography.

Unit 26

[Contemporary Discourses in Geography]

Full Marks 20

Group A

Answer any one question of the following: 1x8=8

1. Discuss the principles and methods of Humanistic Geography.

2. Elucidate the principles of positivism and examine their

reflection on quantitative revolution in geography.

Group B

Answer any two questions of the following: 2x4= 8

3. Write the limitations of radicalism.

4. "Postmodernism: is it a departure from or one of the manifestations of Modernism" Explain briefly.

5. Identify major paradigms in geography.

6. Differentiate post structuralism from structuralism.

Group C

Answer any two questions of the following: 2x2= 4

7. What do you mean by Logical Positivism?

8. What are the major attributes of pragmatism?

9. Define eco feminism

10. What is '3rd space'?