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EXAMINATION, APRIL 2025****(CBCSS)****Political Science****POL 4E 06—ENVIRONMENT, DEVELOPMENT AND POLITICS****(2019 Admission onwards)****Time : Three Hours****Maximum : 30 Weightage****Part A (Short Answer Questions)***Answer any **four** questions in a paragraph each.**Each question carries 2 weightage.*

1. What is Green politics ?
2. Environmental Democracy.
3. Eco feminism.
4. Environmental Auditing.
5. Appikko Movement.
6. Sustainable Development.
7. Eco Managerialism.

**(4 × 2 = 8 weightage)****Part B (Short Essay Questions)***Answer any **four** of the following in about 150 words each.**Each question carries 3 weightage.*

8. Bring out the relations between environment and development.
9. Discuss the principal themes of Earth Summit. Estimate its outcome.
10. Explain the Marxist notions of conservation of environment.
11. Elucidate the Gandhian perspective on environment.

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12. What are Sustainable Development Goals ? Explain its importance.
13. Comment upon the efforts of United Nations in sustainable development and environmental management.
14. Bring out the themes of discussions in the Stockholm Conference.

(4 × 3 = 12 weightage)

### Part C (Essay Questions)

*Answer any **two** of the following in about 450 words each.*

*Each question carries 5 weightage.*

15. Bring out the issues of development at the grassroots level. Examine the role of local self-governments in managing environmental problems.
16. Analyse the politics of environmental movement in India. Why did the Narmada Bachao Andolan oppose the dam projects in the Narmada valley ?
17. Estimate the major legislations concerning environmental and sustainable development in India
18. What do you mean by Environmental Disasters ? Discuss the ways and means to prevent them.

(2 × 5 = 10 weightage)

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1. This Question Paper carries Multiple Choice Questions from 1 to 20.
2. The candidate should check that the question paper supplied to him/her contains all the 20 questions in serial order.
3. Each question is provided with choices (A), (B), (C) and (D) having one correct answer. Choose the correct answer and enter it in the main answer-book.
4. The MCQ question paper will be supplied after the completion of the descriptive examination.

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(Multiple Choice Questions for SDE Candidates)

1. In a food chain animals constitute the :  
(A) First trophic level. (B) Second trophic level.  
(C) Intermediate trophic level. (D) Ultimate trophic level.
2. The Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act was enacted in \_\_\_\_\_ and amended in \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) 1986 and 1991. (B) 1976 and 1988.  
(C) 1981 and 1987. (D) 1972 and 1991.
3. Chernobyl disaster is associated with :  
(A) Nuclear Accident. (B) Landslide.  
(C) Earthquake. (D) Acid rain.
4. Which environmental movement refers to as Greed Game Political Populism by the environmentalists ?  
(A) Narmada Bachao Andolan (NBA).  
(B) Silent Valley Movement.  
(C) Appiko Movement.  
(D) Jungle Bachao Andola.
5. As per United Nations, following is (are) the broader issue(s) of human development :  
(A) Education. (B) Public health.  
(C) Standard of living. (D) All of the above.
6. The Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) recognize that all countries must stimulate action in the following key areas :  
(A) People, planet, prosperity, peace and partnership.  
(B) People, planet, prosperity, plants and planning.  
(C) People, planet, prosperity, plants and partnership.  
(D) People, planet, prosperity, peace and planning.

7. A promising direction towards sustainable development is to design systems that are :
- (A) Flexible and irreversible. (B) Flexible and reversible.  
(C) Inflexible and reversible. (D) Inflexible and irreversible.
8. The technology which meets the sustainable development needs is often referred to as :
- (A) Advanced technology. (B) Appropriate technology.  
(C) Sustainable technology (D) Adaptive technology.
9. Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants is an international environmental treaty, signed in 2001 and effective from :
- (A) 2004. (B) 2005.  
(C) 2009. (D) 2010.
10. The Minamata Convention is an international treaty designed to protect human health and the environment from anthropogenic emissions and releases of :
- (A) Mercury. (B) Nitrogen.  
(C) Sulphur. (D) Ozone.
11. Nagoya Protocol is associated with :
- (A) Terrorism. (B) Tsunami.  
(C) Bio diversity. (D) HIV-AIDS.
12. What is the full form of UNFCCC ?
- (A) United Nations Framework conservation on Climate Change.  
(B) United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change.  
(C) United States Framework Convention on Climate Change.  
(D) United States Framework Coordination on Climate Change.
13. UNFCCC and its supreme decision making body meets :
- (A) Quarterly. (B) Monthly.  
(C) Annually. (D) Biannual.
14. The Montreal Protocol is an international treaty designed to protect the \_\_\_\_\_.
- (A) Solar layer. (B) Ozone layer.  
(C) Hydrogen layer. (D) Sulphar layer.

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15. \_\_\_\_\_ is an annual event on April 22 to demonstrate support for environmental protection.
- (A) Soil day. (B) Afforestation Day.  
(C) Climate change Day. (D) Earth Day.
16. Trusteeship is associated with which Indian thinker ?
- (A) Mahatma Gandhi. (B) Pt. Jawaharlal Nehru.  
(C) V.D Savarkar (D) Aurobindo Ghosh.
17. Africa falls under which geographical realm ?
- (A) Ethiopian realm. (B) Botswanian Realm.  
(C) Equatorial realm. (D) Oriental Realm.
18. In which century Emperor Ashoka's edict proclaimed that all forms of life are important for our wellbeing in :
- (A) First Century BC. (B) Fourth Century BC.  
(C) Third Century BC. (D) Fourth Century AD.
19. 'Origin of Species' was written by ?
- (A) Aldo Leopald. (B) Henry Thoreau.  
(C) Charles Darwin. (D) Muir.
20. \_\_\_\_\_ name is synonymous with ornithology in India and with the Bombay Natural History Society (BNHS).
- (A) Salim Ali. (B) AsgarAli.  
(C) Amjad Ali. (D) Kalam Ali.