



DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY
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Proposed Scheme of Courses in Geography
Three-Year Pass Course (B. A.) 2015-16

TDC I Year Arts

Paper I : Physical Geography

Paper II : Human Geography

Practical : Cartography-I (Scales and presentation of geomorphic and climatic data)

TDC II Year Arts

Paper I : World Regional Geography

Paper II : Economic & Resource Geography

Practical : Cartography-II (Projections and presentation of socio-economic data & elementary statistical methods)

TDC III Year Arts

Paper I : Geography of India

Paper II : Geography of Rajasthan

Practical : Surveying and Remote Sensing

Notes:

1. Each theory paper will be of 70 marks each with minimum pass marks of 28
2. Each practical will be of 60marks with minimum pass marks of 23.
3. Teaching hours for each theory paper and practical will be three hours per week.
4. Practical batch will comprise of twenty Five students in one batch.
5. Use of map stencils (outline of political boundaries only) and simple function calculators are allowed in the examination.
6. Each theory paper of three hour duration will be divided into five units and questions will be asked as per following scheme:

Sections	Questions		Marks	Distribution of Questions
	To be Asked	To be Attempted		
1. Very Short (20-50 Words Answers)	10	10	20	Proportionately from each Unit with internal choice
2. Short Answers from each Unit with internal choice (250 words)	10	5	20	
3. Analytic/Descriptive Answers (500 words)	5	2	30	
Total	25	17	70	

B.A. First Year
Subject: Geography
Paper I - Physical Geography

Unit – I

- a) Definition and scope of physical geography.
- b) Origin of the earth - Tidal Hypothesis of James Jeans and Big Bang theory.
- c) Interior of the earth.
- d) Origin of the continent and oceans:- Wegner's theory of Continental drift and Plate tectonics.
- e) Theories of mountain building:- Geosynclines Organ theory of Kober and Plate tectonic theory.

Unit – II

- a) Isostasy :- Concept and Views of Airy and Pratt.
- b) Diastrophism: - Faults & folds.
- c) Weathering: - Physical, Chemical and Biological.
- d) Drainage pattern and Cycle of erosion :- Davis & Penck.
- e) Landforms: - Fluvial, coastal and arid.

Unit – III

- a) Composition and structure of the atmosphere.
- b) Atmospheric temperature: – Isolation and heat budget.
- c) Atmospheric pressure :- Vertical and horizontal distribution of air pressure.
- d) Winds: - Planetary, periodic and local winds.
- e) Jet stream.

Unit – IV

- a) Air masses: - Source region and classification of air masses.
- b) Fronts :- Front genesis and frontolysis , Type of fronts.
- c) Cyclones :- Tropical and temperate cyclones.
- d) Anti cyclones.
- e) Climatic classification by Koeppen.

Unit – V

- a) Reliefs of the ocean basins - Bottom reliefs of the Indian ocean.
- b) Distribution of temperature and Salinity of oceans.
- c) Ocean currents : - Atlantic ocean and Pacific ocean currents.
- d) Tides :- Type and theory of origin (Progressive wave and Stationary Wave theory.
- e) Coral reefs :- Conditions of growth, types and origin according to Darwin and Murray.

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