

2023

GEOGRAPHY — HONOURS

Paper : CC-11

(Research Methodology and Fieldwork)

Full Marks : 50

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

*Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words
as far as practicable.*

Category - A

Answer **any five** questions (each within **50** words).

2×5

1. Mention two styles of referencing.
2. Why do we need pre-field academic preparations?
3. When do we need to provide a citation?
4. Define cluster analysis.
5. What is the purpose of using 'keywords' in research articles?
6. State the characteristics of Likert Scale.
7. What is sampling error?

Category - B

Answer **any four** questions (each within **150** words).

5×4

8. Differentiate between structured and non-structured questionnaire.
9. State the differences between hypothesis and theory.
10. What is the purpose of abstract?
11. Mention the features of non-participant observation.
12. What are the advantages and disadvantages of landscape survey by radio recording?
13. How is inventory prepared from fieldwork?

Category - C

Answer *any two* questions (each within 500 words).

14. Write a short note on the techniques of writing a scientific report. Discuss with emphasis on references and bibliography. 10
 15. Write a note on plagiarism and its prevention. 6+4
 16. Discuss the objectives of literature review. What is research gap? 8+2
 17. Describe the uses of transects and quadrats in research in geography. What is belt transect? 8+2
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