

Minor Elective

Geography

Course: Rural Development

(Credits- 4)

4h/week.

Unit:	Topics:	No. Of Lectu
i	Meaning, scope and approaches of Rural Development; Concept of Rural development.	6
ii	Theoretical framework of rural development; Factors affecting origin and evolution of rural settlement.	6
iii	Types of rural settlement, Structure of rural settlement, Regional characteristics of rural settlement in India.	8
iv	Rural markets, Rural centers and central place theories.	6
v	Rural Landuse and it's problems; Dimensions of rural Economy, Physical and Human resources; Infrastructure facilities; Socio-cultural organization.	6
vi	Rural migration and their causes and consequences.	6
vii	Social issues of rural area- poverty, housing and shelter, deprivation & inequality, empowerment of women, health-care, social tension.	10
viii	Environmental issues of rural development; water supply, drainage, occupational health; Rural development strategies of India. Rural development schemes sponsored by Government- IRDP, CDP, IADP, NREP, RLEGP, PMGSY, RWSP	10

Suggested Reading:

1. E. N. Rao: Strategy for Integrated Rural development, B. R. Pub. Co. Delhi, 1986.
2. M. N. Shrinivas: village India, Asia Pub. House, Bombay, 1968.

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3. S. Warmali: Service centre in Rural India, B. R. Pub. Co. Delhi, 1983
4. S. D. Maurya: Settlement Geography, Sharda pustak bhawan, Allahabad, 2014.
5. बी० के० श्रीवास्तव, शर्मा और चौहान: प्रादेशिक नियोजन और संतुलित विकास, वसुंधरा प्रकाशन, गोरखपुर.
6. सुरेशचंद्र बंसल: ग्रामीण बस्ती भूगोल, मीनाक्षी प्रकाशन, मेरठ, संशोधित 2013-14.

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Minor Elective
Geography
Course: Disaster Management
(Credits- 4)

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4h/week.

Unit:	Topics:	No. Of Lectures
i	Definition and concept of Disaster and hazards; Type of Disaster- Natural and Man made.	8
ii	Concept of disaster management, elements of disaster reduction management.	6
iii	Natural Disaster- Earthquake, Volcanic, Tsunamis, Landslides, Floods, Drought and Cyclones.	8
iv	Man-made Disaster- Physical, Chemical, Nuclear and Biological.	6
v	Biological disaster- Bacteria and virus, Human epidemics/ Pandemics, livestock epidemics and food Poisoning.	8
vi	Historical prospective of natural disaster Earthquake- Koyana, Uttarkashi, Bhuj; Tsunamis of 2005; Landslides in Garhwal Himalays; Floods of Ganga valley; Cyclones.	8
vii	Disaster management in India- Role of NDMA & SDMAS; National Disaster management authority- Responsibilities, Strategies and Prevention.	8
viii	Natural Disaster reduction management, Prediction of Disaster, control measures of Natural and man-made disaster, Planning for Disaster- Longterm and short term policy.	8

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Suggested Reading:

1. W. J. Petak and A. D. Atkinson: Natural Hazard risk assessment and public policy, Springer verlay, New York 1982.
2. S. N. Bhattacharya : A perspective of historical earthquake in India and it's Preneighbourhood upto 1900, Mausam 1998.
3. R. Dasgupta: Disaster management and Rehabilitation, Mittal Pub. New delhi 2007.
4. Alexander David: Natural Disaster, London, UCL Press, 1933.
5. Savindra Singh: Disaster management, Pravalika Pub. Allahabad, 2013.
6. H. K. Gupta: Disaster, management, university press, 2003.
7. सविंद्र सिंह: आपदा प्रबंधन, प्रवालिका प्रकाशन, इलाहाबाद, 2014.

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