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**SECTION A - K1 (CO1)**

	<b>Answer ALL the Questions</b>	<b>(10 x 1 = 10)</b>
<b>1.</b>	<b>Definitions</b>	
a)	Ecosystem	
b)	Energy crisis	
c)	Alienated labour	
d)	Climate change	
e)	Food insecurity	
<b>2.</b>	<b>True or False</b>	
a)	Ecology is the study of behaviour of individuals.	
b)	The theory of risk society was given by John Hannigan.	
c)	The concept of sustainable development was first introduced in the report ‘Our Common Future’.	
d)	Pyrolysis is a method of solid waste management.	
e)	Genetically modified food crops received widespread appreciation from Dr. Vandana Shiva.	

**SECTION A - K2 (CO1)**

	<b>Answer ALL the Questions</b>	<b>(10 x 1 = 10)</b>
<b>3.</b>	<b>Match the following</b>	
a)	Social constructionist approach	- Green belt movement
b)	Human Exceptionalism Paradigm	- UNCCD
c)	Wangari Maathai	- John Hannigan
d)	Desertification	- Ecofeminist
e)	Bina Agarwal	- Riley Dunlap
<b>4.</b>	<b>Define</b>	
a)	Environmental Sociology	
b)	Sustainable development	
c)	Ecological citizenship	
d)	Carbon sink	
e)	Biodiversity	

**SECTION B - K3 (CO2)**

**Answer any TWO of the following in 600 words each. ( 2 x 10 = 20)**

5.	Establish the relationship between environment and Sociology.
6.	Illustrate the significance of new ecological paradigm.
7.	Bring out the detrimental consequences of global warming.
8.	Analyse the patterns of consumerism and the environmental damage that it causes.

**SECTION C – K4 (CO3)**

	<b>Answer any TWO of the following in 600 words each. (2 x 10 = 20)</b>
9.	Explain the theory of treadmill of production.
10.	Elaborate your understanding of environmental justice.
11.	Assess the theory of ecological modernisation.
12.	Explain the significance of ecofeminism.

**SECTION D – K5 (CO4)****Answer any ONE of the following in 1000 words (1 x 20 = 20)**

13.	Summarise and evaluate the contributions of any two classical sociologists towards environment.
14.	Examine different types of environmental degradation and their mitigation strategies.

**SECTION E – K6 (CO5)****Answer any ONE of the following in 1000 words (1 x 20 = 20)**

15.	Critically evaluate Ulrich Beck's theory of risk society.
16.	Assess the relevance of environmental movements and their impact in society.

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