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#### **GEOGRAPHY**

# SYLLABUS FOR SEMESTER - IL FUNDAMENTALS OF PHYSICAL GEOGRAPHY - II

#### **UNIT-I: EARTH DYNAMICS**

1. Land and Sea: formation and Distribution

2. Theories: Isostasy, continental drift, Plate tectonics

#### **UNIT-II: EARTH DYNAMICS**

- 3. Interior of the Earth
- 4. Earthquakes
- 5. Volcanoes

## **UNIT-III: EARTH DYNAMICS**

- 6. Rocks
- 7. Weathering and mass-wasting

#### **UNIT-IV: GEOMORPHOLOGY**

## Process and Landform Development

8. River: Flow and work - Erosion, Transportation, Deposition - Landforms

9. Wind: Air flow and work - Erosion, Transportation, Deposition - Landforms - desert formation.

#### **UNIT-V: GEOMORPHOLOGY**

10. Marine: Waves and currents and work – Erosion, Transportation, Deposition – Shoreline and landforms

11. Karst: flow of underground water and work – solutions – Erosion and deposition-landforms.

12. Glacial: Types, Movements and work – Erosion, Transportation and deposition - landforms.

#### **Practicals**

## **Elements of Mapping**

1. Scales: Classification - Statement - Representative Fraction(R.F), Graphic scales.

2. Representation of Relief – Spot heights, Bench marks, Layer colouring, Contours – Hachures and Hill shading.

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### **GEOGRAPHY SUBJECT**

# SYLLABUS FOR SEMESTER 1: FUNDAMENTALS OF PHYSICAL GEOGRAPHY - I

## Answer all questions

 $(5 \times 10 = 50 \text{ Marks})$ 

1.a) Write an essay on Isostacy.

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- b) give an account of wegener's continental Drift Theory.
- 2.a) Write an essay on the Interior of the Earth
  - b) Write an essay on Earthquakes.
- 3.a) Describe the types and characteristics of Metamorphic rocks. (or)
  - b) Explain the role of Weathering.
- 4. a) Explain the Delta formation and give an account of categories of deltas.
  - b) Discuss the Erosional work of wind.
- 5.a) Explain the Characteristics of Karst topography (Or)
  - b) give an account of Glacial landforms.

## Answer any five of the following.

(5 X 5 = 25 Marks)

- 6. Land and Sea formation and distribution.
- 7. Classification of volcanoes.
- 8. Mass-Wasting
- 9. Under ground water.
- 10. Plate tectonics ...
- 11. Sedimentary rocks.
- 12. Marine waves and currents.
- 13. River landforms.