



WEST BENGAL STATE UNIVERSITY
B.A./B.Sc. Honours 5th Semester Examination, 2020, held in 2021

GEOACOR11T-GEOGRAPHY (CC11)

FIELDWORK AND RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.
Candidates should answer in their own words and adhere to the word limit as practicable.
All symbols are of usual significance.*

CATEGORY-A

Answer any *one* question from the following (within 600 words) 10×1 = 10

1. Critically analyse the different field techniques and tools adopted in any geographical study. 10
2. Give a brief account of the different sources of Literature Review. How Literature Review in any research help in the formulation of Research Design? 4+6=10

CATEGORY-B

Answer any *four* questions from the following (within 150 words each) 5×4 = 20

3. What are the ethical protocols that should be kept in mind during the household survey?
4. Mention the criteria for the selection of a research problem.
5. Mention the significance of fieldwork in Geographical studies.
6. Discuss the significance of an applied research.
7. Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of participant observation method.
8. What are the essential parts of a Research Report?
9. Mention the characteristics of a good questionnaire.

CATEGORY-C

Answer any *five* questions from the following (within 50 words each)

2×5 = 10

10. Mention different types of research design.
11. What is phenomenology?
12. Define 'Research gap'.
13. Give examples of non-parametric test.
14. How does inventory report help for preparing master data table?
15. Mention the importance of 'Keywords'.
16. Why do we write Abstract in a research paper?
17. Name two referencing systems with examples.
18. Why Pre-Field work is important?

N.B. : *Students have to complete submission of their Answer Scripts through E-mail / Whatsapp to their own respective colleges on the same day / date of examination within 1 hour after end of exam. University / College authorities will not be held responsible for wrong submission (at in proper address). Students are strongly advised not to submit multiple copies of the same answer script.*

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