

(FOR THE CANDIDATES ADMITTED
DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2022 ONLY)

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N.G.M.COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) : POLLACHI

END-OF-SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS : MAY - 2023

COURSE NAME: B.A.-ECONOMICS

MAXIMUM MARKS: 50

SEMESTER: II

TIME : 3 HOURS

PART - III

DISASTER MANAGEMENT

SECTION – A

(10 X 1 = 10 MARKS)

ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS.

MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS.

(K1)

1. The Disaster Management Act was made in_____.
 - a) 2006
 - b) 2003
 - c) 2005
 - d) 2009
2. The Richter scale expresses an earthquake_____.
 - a) Magnitude
 - b) Location
 - c) Duration
 - d) Depth
3. What is Ring of Fire?
 - a) Belt of volcanoes in the Circum Pacific region
 - b) Belt of volcanoes in the mid-continental region
 - c) Belt of volcanoes in the mid-atlantic region
 - d) None of the above
4. Vulnerability analysis comes in which part of the Disaster Management Cycle_____.
 - a) Mitigation
 - b) Preparedness
 - c) Response
 - d) Recovery
5. Who shall be the first responders in disaster management situation?
 - a) Central Government
 - b) Community
 - c) Local Government
 - d) State Government

ANSWER THE FOLLOWING IN ONE (OR) TWO SENTENCES.

(K2)

6. What is disaster?
7. What is called a cyclone?
8. What is manmade disaster?
9. Mention the steps involved in disaster management cycle.
10. Define emergency.

SECTION – B

(5 X 3 = 15 MARKS)

ANSWER EITHER (a) OR (b) IN EACH OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS. (K3)

11. a) Explain the Special features of disaster management.
(OR)
- b) What international organization helps with natural disasters?

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12. a) What are the consequences of the phenomenon of drought? Explain briefly.
(OR)

b) Write a short note on earthquakes. What are its causes?

13. a) Write a note on social hazard.

(OR)

b) What are the negative effects of oil drilling?

14. a) Define vulnerability in disaster management.

(OR)

b) Why are the mitigation activities necessary?

15. a) What is the role of social media in disaster management?

(OR)

b) What are the stakeholders in disaster management?

SECTION – C

(5 X 5 = 25 MARKS)

ANSWER EITHER (a) OR (b) IN EACH OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS. (K4 (Or) K5)

16. a) What are the Principles of disaster ? Write a short note.

(OR)

b) Evaluate the risk reduction strategies followed by the Government of India during the times of disaster.

17. a) What are the mitigation measures to be taken at the time of earthquakes?

(OR)

b) Write short notes on: a) cold waves .

b) Heat waves

c) Soil Erosion.

18. a) Illustrate the any five worst man-Made disasters in History.

(OR)

b) Write a note on Bhopal on gas tragedy.

19. a) List the phases of disaster life cycle.

(OR)

b) Explain recovery with its types.

20.a) Discuss the role of technology in disaster management.

(OR)

b) How important is the health department in the disaster management system?
