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Course	: BCA	Date	: 19-Feb-2026
Subject Code	: BCAA / BCAOL - 207	Time	: 03:00pm to 04:00pm
Subject Name	: Environmental Studies-II	Duration	: 01Hours
		Max. Marks	: 35

Section A

Answer the following (Attempt any two) **(20)**

- 1 Explain the role of environmental education in detail.
- 2 Write a detailed note on Renewable resources.
- 3 Discuss the environmental and social implications of the Sardar Sarovar Dam project. How did the opposition to this dam contribute to the discourse on sustainable development in India?
- 4 Provide an overview of the background and objectives of the Stockholm Conference (UNCHE) held in 1972. What were the main environmental concerns that prompted the convening of this conference?

Section B

Answer the following (Attempt any two) **(10)**

- 1 Discuss the role of private schools and educational institutions in NEP-2020.
- 2 Describe the functions of National Committee on Environmental Planning (NCEP).
- 3 Explain the concept of ecological footprint.
- 4 Explain the concept of sustainable development as presented in "Our Common Future."

Section C

Multiple Choice Questions: **(05)**

- 1 Which objective of environmental education encourages individuals to find innovative solutions to environmental challenges?
 - A. Raising environmental awareness
 - B. Fostering environmental understanding
 - C. Promoting responsible environmental action
 - D. Driving innovation and problem-solving
- 2 What does the "National Green Tribunal" (NGT) in India primarily focus on?
 - A. Promoting industrial pollution
 - B. Overturning environmental regulations
 - C. Adjudicating cases related to environmental protection and conservation
 - D. Advocating for deforestation
- 3 Which international agreement focuses on biodiversity conservation and shapes India's

forest policies?

- A. Paris Agreement
 - B. Kyoto Protocol
 - C. Convention on Biological Diversity
 - D. Montreal Protocol
- 4 What is one potential benefit of raising public awareness about carbon footprints?
- A. Adoption of eco-friendly practices
 - B. Reduced demand for sustainable products
 - C. Limited engagement in environmental advocacy
 - D. Increased reliance on non-renewable energy sources
- 5 Which of the following principles was NOT emphasized in "Our Common Future"?
- A. Intergenerational Equity
 - B. Economic Supremacy
 - C. Common But Differentiated Responsibilities (CBDR)
 - D. Integration of Environmental and Development Goals
