SARDAR PATEL UNIVERSITY

B.Com. Semester: II

Syllabus with Effect From:November/December-2019

Paper Code:UB02SCOM51	Total Credit:3
Title Of Paper: Climate Change and Sustainable Development	Total Credit:5

Objective: This course introduces students to concepts, methods and policy options in managing the environment using tools of economic analysis.

Unit	Description of Detail	Weighting(%)
I	Pollution:	25%
	Causes and Effects of Air Pollution, Water Pollution, Soil Pollution, Marine	
	Pollution and Noise Pollution	
	➤ Role of an individual in prevention of pollution	
	Disaster management: Floods, Earthquakes, Cyclones and Landslides.	
II	Social Issues:	25%
	> From unsustainable to sustainable development	
	Urban problems related to energy	
	➤ Water conservation, Rainwater harvesting and Watershed management	
	Resettlement and rehabilitation of people: It's Problems and concerns.	
III	Climate Change:	25%
	Climate change, Global warming, Acid rain, Ozone layer depletion, nuclear	
	accidents and nuclear holocaust.	
	➤ Issues involved in enforcement of environmental legislation.	
	> Public awareness	
IV	Human Population:	25%
	Population growth, Population Explosion.	
	> Environment and Human Health.	
	➤ Role of information technology in environment and human health.	
	➤ Visit to a local area to document environmental assets as per guidelines.	

Basic Text & Reference Books:-

➤ Text book of Environmental Studies for undergraduate Courses : ErachBharucha, **Publisher:** University Press, University Grants Commission