

TUTOR MARKED ASSIGNMENT
MED-008: Globalisation and Environment

Course Code: MED-008
Assignment Code: MED-008/TMA/2023
Maximum Marks: 100

- Note:** * **This assignment is based on the entire course.**
* **All questions are compulsory. Marks for the questions are shown within brackets on the right-hand side.**
* **Please answer in your own words; do not copy from the course material.**
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1. Briefly discuss the Greenhouse effect on the earth. Explain how globalization is responsible for large scale disruption of ecosystems (5x2=10)
2. Distinguish between:
 - (i) Floods and droughts (5)
 - (ii) Sudden and Insidious disasters (5)
3. What is meant by North-South divide? Discuss the role of MNCs, TNCs and IFIs in economic globalisation. (2.5+7.5=10)
4. Write short notes on the following: (3.5+3.5+3=10)
 - (i) Rio +5 and Rio +10
 - (ii) Biodiversity Convention
 - (iii) UNEP
5. Mention any five multilateral agreements related to transnational air pollution. Discuss the world Bank's environmental agenda. (5+5=10)
6. Discuss briefly the environmental concerns of South Asia with special reference to Nepal. (5+5=10)
7. Define NGOs. Explain its origin and briefly discuss the different perspectives of NGOs. (2+8=10)
8. Write short notes on the following: (6x5=30)
 - (i) Chilka Bachao Andolan and Appiko Movement
 - (ii) Seed suicides in India
 - (iii) Indicators of sustainability of food security
 - (iv) Environmentally Sound Technologies
 - (v) Environmental Ethics
 - (vi) Role of judiciary in curbing air pollution