



Post Graduate Diploma in Tourism and Environmental Law
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Total Marks: 50

The word limits and marks allocated to each question are mentioned after the question

Course 2: Tourism Destinations

Assignment 2

Question 1:

Chief Minister of Madhya Pradesh was recently quoted for saying that with the reintroduction of Cheetah in Kuno National Park tourism will increase in Chambal region. This is good news and a worrisome news at the same time. Increase in tourist influx means development of infrastructure. It also implies a greater number of tourists visiting the national park to spot Cheetahs now. *Discuss the challenges involved in wildlife tourism in India and what action needs to be taken to ensure effective balancing between travel and conservation.*

[10 marks, 800-1000 words]

Question 2:

Few states such as Maharashtra, Kerala and Uttar Pradesh have introduced 'Caravan Tourism' to attract tourists. This definitely suggests the recent trend in tourism industry, i.e., tourism mobility. *Discuss the implications of this trend for climate change and what measures can be taken to address the challenges.*

[10 marks, 800-1000 words]

Question 3:

On 15th August 2022, our Prime Minister emphasized on encouraging the local tourism by urging people to visit at least 15 tourist destinations within India by end of 2022. *In light of this statement, discuss the impact of tourism on society and for the economic growth. Also, discuss few best practices followed by different States for ecotourism.*

[10 marks, 800-1000 words]



Question 4:

According to draft National Tourism Policy (issued by Ministry of Tourism on 21st November 2021), the aim is to make India as one of the top 5 destinations in the world in terms of both international arrivals and international tourism receipts by 2030.

Keeping in view the above, explain what is the role of carrying capacity in tourism industry and how it can be integrated to achieve the aim of the draft Policy and why is it required to be integrated?

[10 marks, 800-1000 words]

Question 5:

Tourism not only contributes to generate revenue but also has the potential to advance socio-cultural dimensions in an economy. *Discuss how tourism can help to achieve different Sustainable Development Goals by analyzing the linkages between tourism and sustainable development.*

[10 marks, 800-1000 words]