

Q.2 What is the Environment?

Ans. Descending from the middle French preposition envision "around" environment, in its most basic meaning is "that which surrounds". When preceded by the and unmodified it usually refers to the natural world. In a less physical, more extended sense, it may signify the circumstances and conditions that make up everyday life. The word may also be applied in highly specialized ways denoting for example "the position of a linguistic element."

1. The circumstances objects or conditions by which one is surrounded.
2. (A) the complex of physical chemical and biotic factor that act upon an organism or an ecological community and ultimately determine its form and survival.
(b) the aggregate of social and cultural conditions that influence the life of an individual or community.

3. The position or characteristic position of a linguistic element in a sequence.

4. A Computer interface from which various tasks can be performed.