GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY
Bachelor of Engineering
Subject Code: 3110007

ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE
1st Year

Type of course: Mandatory Course

Prerequisite: Interest in natural systems sustaining the life on the earth.

Rationale: To inculcate the environmental values translating into pro-conservation actions. Honorable Supreme Court of India has made it 'mandatory' to introduce a basic course on environment at the undergraduate level.

Teaching and Examination Scheme:

Teaching Scheme			Credits	Examination Marks				Total Marks
L	T	P	C	Theory Marks		Practical Marks		
				ESE(E)	PA (M)	ESE (V)	PA(I)	
2	2	0	0	70	30	0	0	100

Content:

Sr. No.	Content	Total Hrs	% Weightage
1	**INTRODUCTION TO ENVIRONMENT** Definition, principles and scope of Environmental Science. Impacts of technology on Environment, Environmental Degradation, Importance for different engineering disciplines	02	8
2	**ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION** a) Water Pollution: Introduction – Water Quality Standards, Sources of Water Pollution, Classification of water pollutants, Effects of water pollutants b) Air Pollution: Composition of air, Structure of atmosphere, Ambient Air Quality Standards, Classification of air pollutants, Sources of common air pollutants like PM, SO_2, NO_X, Auto exhaust, Effects of common air pollutants c) Noise Pollution: Introduction, Sound and Noise, Noise measurements, Causes and Effects d) Solid Waste: Generation and management e) Bio-medical Waste: Generation and management f) E-waste: Generation and management	14	44
3	**GLOBAL ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES** Sustainable Development, Climate Change, Global Warming and Green House Effect, Acid Rain, Depletion of Ozone layer, Carbon Footprint, Cleaner Development Mechanism (CDM), International Steps for Mitigating Global Change	06	24

4	**BASIC CONCEPT OF GREEN BUILDING AND SMART CITIES** Green Building: Introduction, Objectives, Fundamental Principles, Benefits of Green Building, Examples of Green Building Smart Cities: Concept	04	16
5	**CONCEPT OF 4R's** Principles, Application of 4R's	02	8

Suggested Specification table with Marks (Theory):

Distribution of Theory Marks					
R Level	U Level	A Level	N Level	E Level	C Level
40	**40**	**20**	**0**	**0**	**0**

Legends: R: Remembrance; U: Understanding; A: Application, N: Analyze and E: Evaluate C: Create and above Levels (Revised Bloom's Taxonomy)

Note: This specification table shall be treated as a general guideline for students and teachers. The actual distribution of marks in the question paper may vary slightly from above table.

Reference Books:

1. Textbook of Environmental Studies for Undergraduate Courses by Erach Bharucha Second edition,2013 Publisher: Universities Press (India) Private Ltd, Hyderabad.
2. Basics of Environmental Studies by Prof Dr N S Varandani ,2013 Publisher: LAP -Lambert Academic Publishing , Germany
3. Environmental Studies by Anindita Basak ,2009 Publisher: Drling Kindersley(India)Pvt. Ltd Pearson
4. Textbook of Environmental Studies by Deeksha Dave & S S Kateva , Cengage Publishers.
5. Environmental Sciences by Daniel B Botkin & Edward A Keller Publisher: John Wiley & Sons.
6. Environmental Studies by R. Rajagopalan, Oxford University Press
7. Environmental Studies by Benny Joseph, TMH publishers
8. Environmental Studies by Dr. Suresh K Dhameja, 2007 Published by : S K Kataria & Sons New Delhi
9. Basics of Environmental Studies by U K Khare, 2011 Published by Tata McGraw Hill

Course Outcome:

Sr. No.	CO statement	Marks % weightage
CO-1	Identify the types of pollution in society along with their sources	45
CO-2	Realize the global environmental issues	25
CO-3	Conceptualize the principles of Green Buildings and Smart cities	15
CO-4	Implement the concept of recycle and reuse in all fields of engineering	15

List of Tutorials: Based on

1. Introduction to Environment
2. Water Pollution
3. Air Pollution
4. Noise Pollution
5. Solid Waste
6. Bio-medical Waste
7. E-waste
8. Global Environmental Issues
9. Concept of Green Building
10. Concept of Smart Cities
11. Concept of 4R's

List of Open Source Software/learning website: MOEF, NPTEL