**Hydrosphere**

**Assignment Question:** How does the increasing demand of water impact the hydrological cycle and increase the overall need for sustainable water use?

You are tasked to write about what type of impact the increasing global demand of water has on the hydrological cycle and then explore why there is a need for sustainable water use due to this impact. Your assignment should contain the following points:

- **Introduction:** Provide a description of the hydrological cycle and its general process.

- **Increasing Demands of Water:** Explain how water as a resource is being increasingly more demanded today. What are some of the global major uses of water (provide statistical information)?

- **Importance of Water**: Describe how increasing demands of water are impacting the hydrological cycle.

- **Sustainable Use of Water**: List some of the methods in which water can be conserved (sustainable management of water) and further sustained for future generations.

- **Conclusion:** Provide a summary of your write-up proposing your very own ideas/opinions how to sustainably manage the global water resources.

- **References & Pictures:** Refer to academic sources and cite (both in-text and in a reference list) all the online materials used in APA (7th edition) format. Include a small citation or link under each picture used in the assignment. **This is a mandatory requirement for any material used from online sources.**

**Marks Distribution**

· Introduction + Increasing Demands + Importance of Water = **5 Marks**

· Sustainable Uses of Water + Conclusion + Pictures and References = **5 Marks**

**THE DEADLINE FOR THIS ASSIGNMENT IS 15th November, 11:59 PM**


**Submission guidelines:**


1. Please read the question carefully before attempting to answer the question.

2. The word limit for this assignment is **700 words (+/- 50 words).** Please adhere to this word limit as deviations may result in penalties during grading.

3. Write your assignment in **Times New Roman, Font Size 12, and use 1.5 line spacing.**

4. Do not copy, or plagiarize from any other source, including fellow students or online platforms. Plagiarism will result in severe penalties. **Usage of Artificial Intelligence** will also result in **heavy penalties during grading**.

5. Submit your assignment in a Word document (.doc or .docx format).

6. Name your file as follows: **Student ID_Name_Section** (Example: 1*****ABC_1).

7. Do not include any cover page containing personal details. Do not write down the questions within the assignment file.

8. Provide references and citations where necessary (if you take information from online sources). APA 7th style is the preference. However, the reference section is excluded from the word count limit.

9. Please Submit your word/doc file in your **designated section's turnitin class, otherwise penalty** will be applied. **Section-wise** Turnitin **Class ID & Enrollment Key** have already been provided in a separate post. There has been an assignment submission portal created, titled, "Assignment 1" in your Turnitin classroom.

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