





THE QUIZ TEST for Subject Code: ER601

FUNDAMENTALS OF CLIMATE CHANGE AND NATURAL DISASTERS

- 1. Is the weather the same as climate?
- a) True
- b) False

2. What is the primary cause of the overall rising trend in CO₂ in the atmosphere?

- a) As human population grows, people exhale more CO₂
- b) CO_2 is increasing because we are coming out of an ice age
- c) The increase in CO_2 is caused by burning of fossil fuels
- d) CO_2 is released by the oceans as they warm
- e) Forest destroy and fire leading more CO2 is released

3. Which of these greenhouse gases is most abundant in the atmosphere?

- a) Carbon dioxide
- b) Methane
- c) Nitrous oxide
- d) Water vapour

4. Which of the following activities contributes the most to carbon emissions globally?

- a) Agriculture
- b) Transport
- c) Forestry
- d) Energy supply
- e) Industry
- f) Human waste

5. How has the global average temperature changed since the Industrial Revolution?

- a) Cooler by 0.1° Celsius
- b) Warmer by 0.1° Celsius
- c) Warmer by more than 1° Celsius
- d) Warmer by almost 2° Celsius
- e) The temperature has gone up and down, but remains overall the same

6. Has changed the number of reported hydro-meteorological hazards in recent decades (droughts, floods, wind storms, etc.)?

- a) Has increased
- b) Has decreased
- c) Has remained about the same

7. What are the major causes of sea level rise?

- a) Increasing rainfall and storms
- b) Rivers accelerating
- c) Rocks and soil washing into the sea
- d) Melting glaciers and ice sheets and Seawater expanding as it gets warmer

8. How much do we want to limit global warming to in terms of a global temperate increase?

- a) 1.5° Celsius
- b) 2.0° Celsius
- c) 2.5° Celsius
- d) 3.0° Celsius

9. Which of the following contributes least to your carbon footprint?

- a) Riding a bike to college
- b) Driving a car to the shops
- c) Cleaning your house
- d) Collecting solid waste

10. Which country has emitted the most CO₂ over time?

- a) China
- b) USA
- c) Russian
- d) EU
- e) Japan