

ASSIGNMENT BOOKLET

**M.Sc. Programme in Geography
(MSCGG)
(1st Semester-First Year)**

**REGIONAL GEOGRAPHY OF INDIA
MGG-003**

Valid from 1st July, 2026 to 30th June, 2027



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Dear Student,

Please read the section on assignments in the Programme Guide of M.Sc. Geography Programme. A weightage of 30 percent, as you are aware, has been earmarked for continuous evaluation, which would consist of one tutor-marked assignment (TMA) for this course. The assignment given in this booklet consists of three parts, Part A, B and C. The total marks for all parts are 100, of which 35% are required to pass.

Instructions for Formatting Your Assignments

Before attempting the assignment, please read the following instructions carefully:

- 1) On top of the first page of your answer sheet, please write the details exactly in the following format:

ROLL NO.:.....
NAME:.....
ADDRESS:.....
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COURSE CODE:
COURSE TITLE:
ASSIGNMENT NO.:
STUDY CENTRE:**DATE:**

PLEASE FOLLOW THE ABOVE FORMAT STRICTLY TO FACILITATE EVALUATION AND TO AVOID DELAY.

- 2) Use only foolscap size writing paper (but not of very thin variety) for writing your answers.
- 3) Leave 4 cm margin on the left, top and bottom of your answer sheet.
- 4) Your answers should be precise.
- 5) Complete each of Part A, Part B and Part C of this assignment separately, and **submit them together.**
- 6) The assignment answer sheets are to be submitted to your Study Centre within the due date. **Answer sheets received after the due date shall not be accepted. We strongly suggest that you retain a copy of your answer sheets.**
- 7) **This assignment is valid from 1st July 2026 to 30th June 2027. The last date for assignment submission is as follows:**
30th September 2026 for January 2026 admission cycle
31st March 2027 for July 2026 admission cycle
- 8) **You cannot fill the examination form for this course till you have submitted this assignment. For any further queries, please contact: satyaraj@ignou.ac.in, knrao@ignou.ac.in, vishalwarpa@ignou.ac.in**

We wish you good luck.

TUTOR MARKED ASSIGNMENT

Course Code: MGG-003
Course Name: Regional Geography of India
Assignment Code: MGG-003/TMA/2026-27
Maximum Marks: 100

Part-A

All Questions are compulsory. Each question carries 10 marks.

1. Write a detailed note on the unity and diversity in relation to India's socio-cultural mosaic.
2. Discuss in detail the genesis of regions during the ancient period in India.
3. Write a detailed note on the climate of the Indo-Ganga and Brahmaputra plains.
4. Write a detailed note on the regions of Bundelkhand.

Part-B

All Questions are compulsory. Each question carries 10 marks.

5. Write a detailed note on the physical bases of regionalisation.
6. Discuss in detail the review and critical evaluation of the scheme of regionalisation presented by S.P. Chatterjee.
7. Write a detailed note on the population characteristics of the Sikkim Himalaya.

Part-C

All Questions are compulsory. Each question carries 5 marks.

8. Write Short notes on the following.
 - a) Differentiate between ad hoc and vernacular regions
 - b) Weaknesses of the scheme of regionalisation presented by Kazi S. Ahmad
 - c) Regions of the Indian Islands
 - d) Historical background of the Bengal delta
 - e) Problems and prospects of the Malabar coast
 - f) Transport and communications of the Sundarbans delta