

# Unit 13 - Week 11 : Politics & Environmental ethics

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## Assignment 11

The due date for submitting this assignment has passed.  
As per our records you have not submitted this assignment.

**Due on 2020-04-15, 23:59 IST.**

1) Who among the following is the author of Man and Nature (1864)?

1 point

- George Perkins Marsh  
 Will Kymlicka  
 Iris Marion Young  
 Amartya Sen

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
George Perkins Marsh

2) Who among the following wrote Silent Spring (1962)?

1 point

- J S Mill  
 George Perkins Marsh  
 Rachel Carson  
 T H Marshall

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
Rachel Carson

3) Which of the following sentences is not correct about environmental crisis?

1 point

- It is a serious challenge before the communities and modern democracies  
 It requires revisiting core values and preferences of modern lives and politics  
 It does not put pressure on democratic political institutions to alter the ways in which we consume and think of development  
 It is believed widely that environmental problem is the result of anthropocentrism

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
It does not put pressure on democratic political institutions to alter the ways in which we consume and think of development

4) Who among the following is the author of The Population Bomb?

1 point

- Iris Marion Young  
 Rachel Carson  
 Amartya Sen  
 Paul Ehrlich

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
Paul Ehrlich

5) Green party belongs to which one among the following countries?

1 point

- USA  
 Russia  
 Germany  
 India

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
Germany

6) Which one of the following statements is not correct?

1 point

- Stockholm conference (1972) focused on the relation between man and natural environment  
 In this conference, the term environmental justice was invoked by developing countries against the developed countries  
 Since then there have been numerous discussions and debates on environmental issues at international level  
 Developed countries fulfilled the commitment to reduce green-house gases emissions made under the Kyoto Protocol (1995)

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
Developed countries fulfilled the commitment to reduce green-house gases emissions made under the Kyoto Protocol (1995)

7) United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) was officially opened for signature during which of following events?

1 point

- Rio or Earth Summit  
 Non-Aligned Movement  
 Kyoto Protocol  
 World Trade Organization (WTO)

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
Rio or Earth Summit

8) The term 'environmental justice' was invoked by developing countries during which of the following conferences?

1 point

- WTO Summit  
 United Nation Conference on the Human Environment in Stockholm  
 Kyoto Protocol  
 Rio or Earth Summit

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
United Nation Conference on the Human Environment in Stockholm

9) Who among the following thinkers argued about 'participative justice' as a one model for environmental justice?

1 point

- Iris Marion Young  
 Will Kymlicka  
 J S Mill  
 Rachel Carson

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
Iris Marion Young

10) Who among the following political thinkers has argued about two forms of justice, namely distributive and corrective?

1 point

- Machiavelli  
 Aristotle  
 Marx  
 Gandhi

No, the answer is incorrect.  
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:  
Aristotle