

National Institute of Open Schooling
Senior Secondary Course : Geography (316)
Lesson 21 : Our Water Resources
Worksheet -21

1. “Water is most valuable resource of Nature.” Justify.
2. “Rivers play pivotal role in the availability of surface and underground water in India”. Justify the statement with appropriate data.
3. Define water budget. Why it varies in different areas and seasons?
4. Examine the changing pattern of use of water in India.
5. Describe the river valley projects of India.
6. Define rain water harvesting. In present scenario why it is needed in urban and rural areas?
7. Suggest methods of rain water harvesting with the help of graphics.
8. On the basis of practices observed in your area, suggest any six methods of water conservation.
9. What is watershed development? How it is beneficial for us?
10. Linking of river has been suggested as solutions for the problem of draught and flood in many areas. Examine whether it is beneficial or not with appropriate reasons.