STATE MODEL SYLLABUS FOR UNDER GRADUATE COURSE IN ABILITY ENHANCEMENT COURSE (I) (Bachelor of Arts/Sc/Com Examination)

UNDER CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM

ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES

SEMESTER – I

FOR UNDER GRADUATE ARTS, SCIENCE & COMMERCE - 2019-20

FULL MARKS: 100

TIME: 3 HOURS TIME: 1 HOUR

END SEMESTER: 80 MID SEMESTER: 20

Unit – I

The Environment: The Atmosphere, Hydrosphere, Lithosphere, Biosphere, Ecology, Ecosystem, Biogeochemical Cycle (Carbon Cycle, Nitrogen Cycle), Environment Pollution: Air Pollution, Water Pollution, Soil Pollution, Radiation Pollution.

Unit – II

Population Ecology: Individuals, Species, Pollution, Community, Control Methods of Population, Urbanization and its effects on Society, Communicable Diseases and its Transmission, Non-Communicable Diseases.

Unit- III

Environmental Movements in India: Grassroot Environmental movements in India, Role of women, Environmental Movements in Odisha, State Pollution Control Board, Central Pollution Control Board.

Unit –IV

Natural Resources: Conservation of Natural Resources, Management and Conservation of Wildlife, Soil Erosion and Conservation, Environmental Laws: Water Act, 1974, Air Act, 1981, The Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972, Environment Protection, 1986, Natural Disasters and their Management.
