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Answer ONE question.

Option 5.1 Environments and resources

Generalisation 3

Resource management and sustainability

1. To what extent do you agree that the consequences of the global energy crisis are the same for both MEDCs and LEDCs?

(60)

2. 'Sustainable strategies for managing mineral and non-renewable energy resources require being globally aware but taking action locally.' Discuss.

(60)

Option 5.2 Living with hazardous environments

Generalisation 4

Global trends in hazards and hazard management

3. 'It is not the frequency of natural hazards that is increasing, but rather our awareness of them.' Discuss.

(60)

4. To what extent do you agree with the view that hazard prediction has done little to reduce the impact of hazards?

(60)

Option 5.3 Pollution of natural environments

Generalisation 2

The impact of pollution

5. 'At all scales the consequences of pollution vary considerably from place to place.'
Discuss this statement with reference to **either** atmospheric pollution **or** water pollution.

(60)

6. To what extent do you agree with the view that the economic costs of pollution are always greater than the social costs?

(60)

Option 5.4 Wilderness environments

Generalisation 2

Wilderness areas and conflicting demands

7. 'All wilderness areas are now more vulnerable due to increases in their accessibility.' To what extent do you agree with this view?

(60)

8. 'Conflicting demands always intensify the pressures on wilderness areas.' Discuss.

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