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Q1. What is lithosphere?

Ans. Lithosphere is the solid crust or the hard top layer of the earth. It is made up of rocks and minerals and covered by a thin layer of soil. It is an irregular surface with various landforms such as mountains, plateaus, plains, valleys, etc.

Q2. Why man modifies his environment?

Ans. Man modifies his environment according to their need. With time needs grew and became more varied. Humans learn new ways to use and change environment. They learn to grow crops, domesticate animals and lead a settled life.

Q3. Differentiate between biotic and abiotic environment.

Ans.

Biotic Environment	Abiotic Environment
1. The world of living organisms.	1. The world of non-living elements.
2. Example: plants and animals	2. Example: land

Q4. Which are the major components of the environment?

Ans. The major components of the environment include:

Natural environment – It comprises of land, water, air, plants and animals.

Human environment – It includes individual, family, community, religion, educational, economic and political situation.

Human made environment – It includes parks, buildings, bridges, roads, industries, monuments etc.