

Q. The concept of a lifestyle for the environment (LIFE) movement is in line with the global climate justice movement. Justify.

↳ Introduction

today world facing multiple crisis like COVID-19 pandemic, war fuels a devastating Energy, Food, and cost of living crisis.

Right now world facing Triple planetary crisis of climate change, pollution and biodiversity loss.

↳ International Targets ⇒ Paris agreement, INDC were taken, last year COP26 was taken to tackle the crisis.

↳ LIFE / lifestyle for Environment → we have taken life movement. Promotes to develop environmentally conscious lifestyle.

↳ Patterns of consumption needs to change from Linear Economy to Circular Economy :-

Linear - Buy → Use → Dispose → Dump

Circular → Buy → Use → Reuse → Recycle → Again used.  
(Mindful and Deliberate utilisation)

↳ Saving energy at home, cycling and using public transport.

↳ waste less and leveraging our position as customers and employees to demand climate-friendly choices.

↳ Gentle persuasion techniques to encourage positive behaviour

↳ UNEP → More than 2/3rd of GHG Emissions can be attributed to Household consumption and lifestyle.



b) India

↳ 1.3 bn people, achieve a true jan andolan.

↳ As ~~for~~ India leads, our PM and UN Secretary General are calling on all consumers across the world become 'one planet people' by 2027

↳ LIFE as Global climate justice movement

↳ CBDR Common But different Responsibility → Rich do more poor do less ⇒ climate, environment is common Responsibility but is a differentiated responsibility. This principle is & should be recognised.

↳ avg. carbon footprint of person in high income country is more than least developed country.

↳ Developed countries to support climate adaptation and mitigation for those most affected, yet least responsible

↳ "The world has enough for everyone's need, but not enough for everyone's greed".

-Mahatma Gandhi.