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Economics

Poverty as Challenge

Question 1.

What is the basic aim of following poverty alleviation programmes?

- (i) Prime Minister Rozgar Yozana (PMRY).
- (ii) Rural Employment Generation Programme (REGP).

Answer:

- (i) The scheme which was started in 1993. The aim of the programme is to create self-employment opportunities for educated unemployed youth in rural areas and small towns. They are helped in setting up small business and industries.
- (ii) Rural Employment Generation Programme (REGP) The aim of the programme is to create self employment opportunities in rural areas and small towns and to develop entrepreneurial skill and attitude among rural unemployed youth.

Question 2.

Mention any two causes of poverty in India.

Answer:

- High growth rate of population.
- Lack of job opportunities in the secondary sector.

Question 3.

How can poverty be reduced in future in India? Suggest any two points.

Answer:

- Better Economic growth.
- Increasing stress on universal free elementary education.

Question 5.

“Poverty is a curse upon humanity.” Explain by giving two examples.

Answer:

- Poverty is a curse because most of the poor people live with a sense of helplessness.
- Poor people are debarred from the basic necessity of life, i.e. good health, drinking water etc.

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