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Important Questions

Q.1) How will you explain the term unemployment?

Ans: Unemployment refers to a situation in which people who are able and willing to work at the current wages but cannot find jobs.

Q.2) What is the difference between disguised unemployment and seasonal unemployment?

Ans:

Disguised Unemployment	Seasonal Unemployment
situation in which an individual appears to be employed, but he does not add to the productivity. That is, the productivity would remain the same even in his absence	situation in which an individual is not able to find a job during certain months of the year.

Q.3) Describe how the poverty line is estimated in India.

Ans: In India, poverty lines are determined by calculating a minimum level of food requirement, clothing, footwear, fuel and light, educational and medical requirements, which is then multiplied by their prices in rupees. This calculation gives the poverty line.

Q.4) What happens to the supply of food when there is a disaster or a calamity?

Ans: When there is a disaster or a calamity, the production of food grains decreases in the affected area. This results in shortage of food in the area. Due to the food shortage, the prices rise. The raised prices of food materials affect the buying capacity of many people. When the calamity occurs in a very wide spread area or is stretched over a long period of time, it may cause a situation of starvation which can take the form of famine.