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Answerkey 45

Sub: Economics Class: XII

Chapter 20: Poverty, Inequality and Unemployment

F.M.: 15

Topic: Concept of Poverty and Unemployment

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Multiple choice questions

1x15 = 15

1. _____ is the inability to fulfill basic requirements of life.
 - a. Poverty,
 - b. Unemployment.
 - c. Inequality,
 - d. None of these.Ans: a. Poverty,
2. There are _____ methods for measuring poverty.
 - a. Four,
 - b. Two,
 - c. Three,
 - d. Five.Ans: b. Two.
3. A person should take _____ calories per day for subsistence.
 - a. 2100,
 - b. 2400,
 - c. 2250,
 - d. 2450.Ans: c. 2250.
4. For a rural person daily calorie intake should be _____ calories.
 - a. 2250,
 - b. 2100,
 - c. 2400,
 - d. 2450.Ans: c. 2400.
5. Which one is not the study of poverty?
 - a. Minhas,
 - b. Bardhan,
 - c. Ojha,

d. Mahalanobis.

Ans: d. Mahalanobis.

6. For an urban person daily calorie intake should be _____calories.

- a. 2250,
- b. 2100,
- c. 2400,
- d. 2450.

Ans: b. 2100.

7. NREP was started in _____.

- a. 1980,
- b. 1970,
- c. 1990,
- d. 1991.

Ans: a. 1980.

8. Those who are not willing to work at the existing wage rate are known as _____unemployed.

- a. Seasonal,
- b. Disguised,
- c. Voluntary,
- d. Frictional.

Ans: c. Voluntary.

9. In agriculture we can find _____unemployment.

- a. Seasonal,
- b. Disguised,
- c. Voluntary,
- d. Frictional.

Ans: a. Seasonal.

10. Those workers whose marginal productivity is _____are called disguised unemployment.

- a. Positive,
- b. Zero,
- c. Negative,
- d. One.

Ans: b. Zero.

11. Due to _____changes of the economy structural unemployment arises.

- a. Demand,
- b. Supply,
- c. Quality,
- d. Structural.

Ans: d. Structural.

12. Due to imperfection in labour market _____unemployment arises.

- a. Seasonal,
- b. Disguised,
- c. Voluntary,
- d. Frictional.

Ans: d. Frictional.

13. Due to cyclical fluctuation in the economy _____unemployment arises.

- a. Industrial,
- b. Structural,
- c. Cyclical,
- d. Technological.

Ans: c. Cyclical.

14. Seasonal unemployment is mainly found in _____sector.

- a. Industry,
- b. Agriculture,
- c. Service,
- d. None of these.

Ans: b. Agriculture.

15. To generate gainful employment in rural areas_____ programme was taken.

- a. MGNREGA,
- b. JRY,
- c. IRDP,
- d. FFW.

Ans: b. JRY.S

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