

ECONOMICS

Time:3hrs
Marks:80

Part A

Answer the following:

Question 1.

- i. What is non-formal education? [2]
- ii. Two ways in which education contributes to economic development. [2]
- iii. Bring out the difference between voluntary and involuntary unemployment. [2]
- iv. What do you mean by sustainable development? [2]
- v. What do you mean by **Quality of life**? State any two components of better quality of life [2]
- vi. How does unemployment lead to wastage of productive resources? [2]
- vii. Derive a market demand curve from a hypothetical market demand schedule. [2]
- viii. Explain two factors that determine the market demand [2]
- ix. What do you mean by underemployment? [2]
- x. Why does cyclical unemployment occur. Where is it commonly found? [2]

PART B

(Answer any five)

Question 2.

- a. Explain the following in a few sentences each.
- i. Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan
 - ii. Kasturba Gandhi Balika Vidhyalaya
 - iii. Bring out two instances of expansion of secondary education. [6]
- b. Why is the demand curve sloping downwards? Substantiate giving two reasons. [3]
- c. Discuss two points of difference between Economic growth and development. [3]

Question 3.

a. How has Economic development adversely impacted the environment?

Enumerate any four points.

b. Give a brief account on the seasonal unemployment in India.

c. Discuss urbanisation as one of the causes of depletion of resources and environmental degradation

Question 4.

a. Enumerate any four determinants of Demand for a commodity.

b. What do you mean by open unemployment and disguised unemployment?

c. Suggest any two strategies for sustainable development

Question 5.

a. Discuss any four consequences of unemployment.

b. State the Law of Demand with two of its assumptions.

c. What do you mean by derived Demand and Joint demand

Question 6

a. Explain three cases where inverse relationship between price and quantity demanded does not hold good.

b. The demand for commodity X falls as the income of the consumer increases. What commodity X? Give reason

c. How does human resource development add to the productive capacity of the economy?

Question 7.

a. How does education contribute to economic development?

b. Briefly account on the sectoral distribution of employment in India.

c. How does unemployment adversely affect the personality of an individual.