

ASSIGNMENT IInd SEMESTER

SUBJECT: ECONOMICS

TOPIC: FOOD SECURITY

ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS:

1. HOW IS FOOD SECURITY ENSURED IN INDIA?
2. DO YOU BELIEVE THAT GREEN REVOLUTION HAS MADE INDIA SELF SUFFICIENT IN FOOD GRAINS?
3. WHAT HAS OUR GOVERNMENT DONE TO PROVIDE FOOD SECURITY TO THE POOR (SCHEMES)?
4. WHY IS BUFFER STOCK CREATED BY THE GOVERNMENT?
5. WHAT ARE THE PROBLEMS OF THE FUNCTIONING OF RATION SHOPS?
6. WRITE A NOTE ON THE ROLE OF COOPERATIVES IN PROVIDING FOOD AND RELATED ITEMS?
7. HOW DOES MINIMUM SUPPORT PRICE HELP IN FOOD SECURITY?
8. EXPLAIN FOUR FEATURES OF PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM?
9. HOW DOES FOOD SECURITY IS AFFECTED DURING A NATURAL CALAMITY?
10. TRACE THE GROWTH OF FOOD GRAIN PRODUCTION IN INDIA SINCE INDEPENDENCE?
11. HOW DOES RISING MINIMUM SUPPORT PRICE AFFECT FOOD SECURITY?
12. DISTINGUISH BETWEEN:
 - i) CHRONIC AND SEASONAL HUNGER.
 - ii) TARGETED PDS AND REVAMPED PDS.
13. WRITE NOTES ON THE FOLLOWING:
 - i) MINIMUM SUPPORT PRICE
 - ii) BUFFER STOCK
 - iii) ISSUE PRICE
 - iv) FAIR PRICE SHOP
 - v) GREEN REVOLUTION
 - vi) WHEAT REVOLUTION