

## N.G.M.COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) : POLLACHI

## END-OF-SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS : NOVEMBER-2023

B.A ECONOMICS

MAXIMUM MARKS: 50

SEMESTER: III

TIME : 3 HOURS

## PART - III

## ECONOMICS OF DEVELOPMENT AND PLANNING

SECTION – A

(10 X 1 = 10 MARKS)

ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS.

(K1)

1. Underdevelopment is defined in terms of \_\_\_\_\_.  
a) National Income b) Per Capita Income c) Poverty Ratio d) Rate of Unemployment
2. According to W.W. Rostow, the stages of economic growth are \_\_\_\_\_.  
a) Five b) Four c) Two d) Six
3. Black money is used avoid the legal activity like to pay \_\_\_\_\_.  
a) extortion b) gift c) taxes d) penalty
4. The concept of Economic Planning in India is derived from  
a) USA b) UK c) Australia d) Russia
5. By \_\_\_\_\_ growth rate of an economy can be speeded up.  
a) Investment in human capital formation b) Investment abroad  
c) Investment in share market d) Investment in primary sector

ANSWER THE FOLLOWING IN ONE (OR) TWO SENTENCES

(K2)

6. Who propounded the concept of Physical Quality of Life Index?
7. Explain the Backward Linkages.
8. Economic Planning is in Which List?
9. Which organization launched the “GRAND INNOVATION CHALLENGE”?
10. Mention the two major sources of human capital in a country.

## SECTION – B

(5 X 3 = 15 MARKS)

ANSWER EITHER (a) OR (b) IN EACH OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS.

(K3)

11. a) Examine the Obstacles of Economic Development of any country.  
**(OR)**  
b) Discover the components of Physical Quality of Life Index.
12. a) Find the Features of the Theory of Unbalanced Growth.

**(OR)**

- b) Describe the Merits and demerits of Balanced Growth theory.

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13. a) Calculate the estimates of Black Money in India.  
**(OR)**  
b) What is money Laundering? Define.

14. a) List the objectives of economic planning in India.  
**(OR)**  
b) Find the main assumptions of the Harrod-Domar models.

15. a) Show the importance of human capital formation.  
**(OR)**  
b) Assess the Criteria for Investment in Human Capital.

**SECTION – C****(5 X 5 = 25 MARKS)****ANSWER EITHER (a) OR (b) IN EACH OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS.**  
**(K4 /K5)**

16. a) Distinguish between economic growth and economic development  
**(OR)**  
b) Prepare the Characteristics of an Under Developed Economy.

17. a) Discuss Rostow's Stages of Economic Growth in detail.  
**(OR)**  
b) Examine the Critical Minimum Effort Thesis

18. a) Investigate the factors responsible for Generation of Black Money  
**(OR)**  
b) Discuss corruption in India.

19. a) Classify the types of Planning.  
**(OR)**  
b) Summarize the objectives and functions NITI Aayog.

20. a) Outline the Problems faced by human capital formation in India.  
**(OR)**  
b) Develop the Strategy for Manpower Planning.

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