

Class: IX

Subject: Social Science (087) - Economics

Chapter: 3 Food Security in India

Assignment Questions

1. How is food security ensured in India?
2. Which are the people more prone to food insecurity?
3. Which states are more food insecure in India?
4. Do you believe that green revolution has made India self-sufficient in food grains? How?
5. A section of people in India are still without food. Explain?
6. What happens to the supply of food when there is a disaster or calamity?
7. Name the three kinds of ration cards.
8. Differentiate between seasonal hunger and chronic hunger?
9. What has our government done to provide food security to the poor? Discuss any two schemes launched by the government?
10. What is hunger? What are its types? Write the difference between them.
11. Why buffer stock is created by the government?
12. What are some of the important features of the PDS?
13. What are the problems of the functioning of ration shops?
14. Write a note on the role of cooperatives in providing food and related items.
15. Write a short note on:
 - (i) MSP
 - (ii) Buffer Stock
 - (iii) Issue Price
 - (iv) Fair Price Shops
16. Who are food insecure in India? What is their social composition? How are they scattered over in the country?
17. What is the current status of the Public Distribution System?
18. How does social inability to buy food also play a role in food insecurity?
19. What are the three important Food Intervention Programmes?
20. Explain how Green Revolution helped India to be self – sufficient in food grain production.