

**PARUL UNIVERSITY**  
**FACULTY OF ARTS**  
**B.ARTS Summer 2022-23 Examination**

**Semester: -06****Date: 13/03/2023****Subject Code: - 15101380****Time: 02:00pm to 04:30pm****Subject Name: -Economics of social issues****Total Marks: 60****Instructions:**

1. All questions are compulsory.
2. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
3. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
4. Start new question on new page.

**Q.1 Do As Directed.****08**

- 1 Which among the following program was initiated in order to eliminate poverty and unemployment?  
 (A MGNREGA (B) RTE  
 )  
 (C) NCRB (D) None of the above  
 )
- 2 Which among the following is considered as the first problem of resource allocation?  
 (A) What and How much Produce (B) To determine income distribution  
 )  
 (C) How to produce (D) How to utilize resource fully  
 )
- 3 Which among the following is the foundation stone of Economics?  
 (A) Supply (B) Availability of Resource  
 )  
 (C) Demand (D) Scarcity  
 )
- 4 Which among the following cannot be considered as a cause of unemployment?  
 (A) Degrading social status (B) Population explosion  
 )  
 (C) Geographical immobility (D) effective education  
 )
- 5 .....\_is paid for the service of capital.  
 (A) Interest (B) Profit  
 )  
 (C) Wages (D) Rent  
 )
- 6 The first function of prices is to resolve the problem \_\_\_\_\_  
 (A) what to produce and in what (B) How to Produce  
 ) quantities  
 (C) To Determine Income Distribution (D) To Utilize Resources Fully  
 )
- 7 A higher point on PPC represents, \_\_\_\_\_ quantities of both the goods can be produced.  
 (A) larger (B) Smaller  
 )  
 (C) Same (D) None of the above  
 )
- 8 Which among the following institutions is also called as most primal institution?  
 (A) Subsidiary Institution (B) Creative Institution  
 )  
 (C) Enacted Institutions (D) Basic Institutions  
 )

- 9 \_\_\_\_\_ are social institutions that are deliberately set up to achieve certain goals.  
 (A Subsidiary Institution (B) Crescive Institution  
 )  
 (C) Enacted Institutions (D) Basic Institutions  
 )
- 10 \_\_\_\_\_ approach was used in the Robbins Committee Report on Higher Education in Britain.  
 (A Social Demand Approach (B) The rate of return Approach  
 )  
 (C) The manpower requirement (D) None of the above  
 approach )
- 11 ..... treats education as an investment in human capital.  
 (A Social Demand Approach (B) The Rate of Return Approach  
 )  
 (C) The manpower requirement (D) None of the above  
 approach )
- 12 Lack of technical knowledge will lead to \_\_\_\_\_ of resources  
 (A Under utilization (B) Over utilization  
 )  
 (C) Proper utilization (D) None of the above  
 )
- 13 Which among the following cannot be considered as a barrier to good governance?  
 (A weak civil society (B) Red tapism  
 )  
 (C) effective implementation of laws & (D) Lack of strong institutions of  
 Rules ) governance
- 14 Which among the following cannot be considered as a current issue in the education system in India?  
 (A Less Student-teacher ratio (B) Lack of Infrastructure facilities  
 )  
 (C) Expenditure on education (D) Availability of school facilities  
 )
- 15 Which among the following is NOT a social Issue?  
 (A high employment rates (B) high literacy rates  
 )  
 (C) high availability of resources (D) high poverty  
 )
- 16 Which among the following legislation states “Every child in the age group of 6-14 has the right to free and compulsory education in a neighborhood school, till the completion of elementary education”.  
 (A Right to Education (B) Right to Equality  
 )  
 (C) Right to Equal opportunities (D) Right to Employment  
 )

**B. Terms / Short Notes / Case Study / Charts / Graphs/ Tables, etc. (Each of 01 mark) (07)**

- 1 Define scarcity.
- 2 Give examples for various types of scarcity.
- 3 Who abolished the practice of sati in India?
- 4 Up to how many years of free education is allowed for every child in India?
- 5 What does the determinants of health include?
- 6 What is a basic institution?
- 7 Name various approaches used for educational planning.

**Q.2 Answer the following.**

- 1 Write a short note on various types of scarcity. (04)
- 2 Explain briefly various types of Institutions. (04)
- 3 Explain the first problem of resource allocation. (04)

**OR**

- 3 Write a short note on the Rate of Returns Approach. (04)

**Q.3 Answer the following.**

- 1 Write a short note on Issues faced in the education system in India and provide possible solutions. (05)
- 2 What do you mean by Good governance? Mention the Indicators for good governance. (05)
- 3 Explain how efficient allocation of resource will provide incentive to growth (05)

**OR**

- 3 Discuss various limitations of the Man-power approach of Educational Planning. (05)

**Q.4 Answer the following.**

- 1 Write a short note on various determinants of Health. (06)
- 2 Briefly discuss social demand Approach in detail. (06)
- 3 Discuss major Social Issues in India. Mention its causes and Remedies. (06)

**OR**

- 3 Write a short note on various determinants of Education. (06)