

Food Security in India (Important MCQs for class 9th)

Answer NCERT based following questions:-

Q.1 What are the dimensions of food security?

- a) Availability, affordability, and adaptability
- b) Availability, accessibility, and affordability
- c) Availability, accessibility, and adaptability
- d) Accessibility, affordability, and adaptability

Answer: b) Availability, accessibility, and affordability

Q.2 What is meant by the term 'accessibility' in relation to food security? Does it refer to

- a) producing food within the country
- b) the availability of imported food and government-stored food reserves,
- c) the proximity of food to individuals
- d) an individual's ability to buy a sufficient amount of safe and nutritious food.

Answer: c) the proximity of food to individuals

Q.3 How is food security impacted during a natural calamity like drought?

- a) Prices of food decrease due to surplus production
- b) Total production of food grains increases
- c) Shortage of food leads to price increases
- d) Access to food becomes easier for everyone

Answer: c) Shortage of food leads to price increases

Q.4 What new dimension did Amartya Sen add to the concept of food security?

- a) Quantity of food available per capita
- b) Quality standards for food production
- c) Access to food through entitlements

d) Affordability of food in the global market

Answer: c) Access to food through entitlements

Q.5 According to the 1995 World Food Summit declaration, when does food security exist?

- a) When there is surplus food production globally
- b) When there is equitable distribution of food resources
- c) When all people have access to sufficient, safe, and nutritious food
- d) When there is government intervention in food markets

Answer: c) When all people have access to sufficient, safe, and nutritious food

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