B. A. General (CBCS) BAG

ASSIGNMENTS (2022-23)

Course Code: BECE-145
Title of Course: Indian Economy I

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BECE-145

INDIAN ECONOMY I

Assignment (TMA) 2022-23

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Dear Student,

As explained in the Programme Guide for BAG, you will have to do one assignment for this Elective course in Economics (BECE-145). This is a Tutor Marked Assignment (TMA) and carries 100 marks.

It is important that you write answers to all the questions in your own words. The TMA is designed to enable you to answer different categories of questions. Here evaluation is made keeping in view your ability to present your answer in a systematic, precise and coherent manner. The assignment is divided into three Sections. All questions are compulsory. Section A comprises two long answer questions of 20 marks each. Section B comprises three questions of 10 marks each. In Section C, you have to answer two questions of 15 marks each.

Submission: The completed assignments should be submitted to the Coordinator of your Study Centre.

Last date for submission of assignment is

30th April, 2023 for the students appearing in the June 2023 Term End Examination

31st October, 2023 for the students appearing in December 2023 Term End Examination

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Maximum Marks: 100

Answer all the questions

A. Long Answer Questions (word limit-500 words)

 $2 \times 20 = 40 \text{ marks}$

- 1) Discuss the trends in the 'sectoral growth/changes' in India over the period 1951-2019.
- 2) Discuss the importance of 'Governance Indicators' outlining its significance for development.

B. Medium Answer Questions (word limit-250 words)

 $3 \times 10 = 30 \text{ marks}$

- 3) Analyse the growth in the National Income of India over the different plan periods.
- 4) Explain the trends in 'demographic transition' in India.
- 5) Outline the measures initiated to combat poverty in India during the post-2010 years.

C. Short Answer Questions (word limit 100 words)

 $3 \times 5 = 15$ marks

- 6) Differentiate between the following.
 - (a) Absolute Poverty and Relative Poverty.
 - (b) Horizontal Inequality and Vertical Inequality.
 - (c) Physical and Social Infrastructure.
- 7) Write short notes on the following.
 - (a) BoP.
 - (b) Limitations of Per Capita Income.
 - (c) Social Progress Index and World Happiness Index.