

**B. A. General (CBCS)
BAG**

**ASSIGNMENTS
(2023-24)**

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

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BECE-145
INDIAN ECONOMY I
Assignment (TMA)
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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, 2024 **for the students appearing in the June 2024 Term End Examination**

31st October, 2024 **for the students appearing in December 2024 Term End Examination**

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Maximum Marks: 100

Answer all the questions

- A. Long Answer Questions (word limit - 500 words) $2 \times 20 = 40$ marks**
- 1) Discuss the methods on Approaches to Development.
 - 2) Discuss the trend in the liberalization of Capital Account in India.
- B. Medium Answer Questions (word limit - 250 words) $3 \times 10 = 30$ marks**
- 3) Outline the challenges and constraints for infrastructure development in India.
 - 4) Explain the role of 'state' versus 'market' in financing education.
 - 5) How is 'consumption inequality' measured? What has been the state-wise trend in this respect in India.
- C. Short Answer Questions (word limit - 100 words) $3 \times 5 = 15$ marks**
- 6) Differentiate between the following.
 - (a) Preventive and curative healthcare.
 - (b) Capitalism and Socialism.
 - (c) Density of Population and Growth of Population.
 - 7) Write short notes on the following.
 - (a) Gender Parity Index (GPI).
 - (b) Poverty Gap Index (PGI).
 - (c) Factors influencing Current Account Balance.