

Q8. Why are women employed in low paid work?

Ans: Education and skill are the major determinants of the earning of any individual in the market. ~~Due to~~

2. Due to gender discrimination, women are generally denied the education and the necessary skills to become worthy ~~and~~ contributors to the ~~the~~ national income.

3. As a result, a majority of women have ~~very~~ meagre education and low skill formation.

4. Therefore women are employed in low paid work.

Q9. How will you explain the term unemployment?

Ans: Unemployment is a situation in which people who are able and willing to work at the going wages cannot find jobs.

2 An individual is termed as unemployed if he or she is part of the workforce of a country and is capable and willing to work for payment, but is unable to do so.

Q10. What is the difference between disguised unemployment and seasonal unemployment?

Disguised unemployment	Seasonal unemployment
1. When more persons are working in a job than	1. Seasonal unemployment occurs when people are able to

actually required find jobs only
the situation during some months
is termed as of the year.
disguised *
unemployment.

2. Ex:- If in an agricultural activity eight people are engaged but this work actually requires 5 people, then three persons are extra. If these three people out of eight are withdrawn, will remain unaffected.

2. Ex:- Agricultural labourers find work only during some months of the year busy seasons, i.e., sowing, harvesting, weeding and threshing. This is because of the seasonal character of agriculture in India.

Q11. Why is educated unemployment, a peculiar problem of India?

Ans: Educated Unemployment is the situation where a number of youth with matriculation, graduation and post graduation degrees are not able to find suitable jobs.

Educated unemployment is a peculiar problem of India because

- (i) Much of the education is low-quality and general in nature.
- (ii) The rate at which white-collar jobs have been created in India is much less than the rate at which population and education have been increasing.
- (iii) In the globalizing world, demand for high-skilled labour is ~~fast~~ increasing at a faster rate.