

## Worksheet: Poverty and Human Capital Formation (India)

West Bengal State Board · Class 12 · Economics · 3 questions · 12 marks

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**Q1.** What is the poverty line? What are the caloric norms used to define it in rural and urban India? Why is the rural norm higher than the urban norm? [2 marks]

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**Q2.** Describe the objectives and features of MGNREGA. How does it help address rural poverty and unemployment? [4 marks]

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**Q3.** Explain India's demographic dividend. What must India do to realise this potential, and what happens if it fails? [6 marks]

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