

Unit 2 - Week 0:Prerequisite

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How does an NPTEL online course work?

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Assignment 0

The due date for submitting this assignment has passed.
As per our records you have not submitted this assignment.

Due on 2020-01-26, 23:59 IST.

1) What are the components of Physical Quality of Life Index (PQLI)?

1 point

- Literacy Rate, Infant Mortality Rate, Life Expectancy
- Population below poverty line, Maternal Mortality Rate, Life Expectancy
- Gender Inequality, Human Development, Economic Inequality Index
- Happiness Index, Gender Inequality Index, Human Development Index

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
Literacy Rate, Infant Mortality Rate, Life Expectancy

2) What does Economic Growth mean?

1 point

- a. Increase in output
- b. Growth of standard of living
- c. Modernization
- d. Improvement in economic policy

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
a. Increase in output

3) Which of the following statements about Inequality-adjusted Human Development Index (IHDI) is correct?

1 point

- a. It was introduced in 1990 Human Development Report
- b. It is a distribution-sensitive average level of human development
- c. The IHDI combines a country's achievements in GDP growth, Infrastructure development, and income inequality reduction
- d. IHDI is calculated is only for the developed countries

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
b. It is a distribution-sensitive average level of human development

4) 4. What is Gross National Product (GNP)?

1 point

- a. An estimate of total value of all the final products and services in a given period by the means of production owned by a country's residents
- b. Statement of all transactions made between entities in one country and the rest of the world over a defined period of time
- c. Total monetary value of all the finished goods and services produced within a country's borders in a specific time period
- d. The difference between the value of a country's imports and exports for a given period

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
a. An estimate of total value of all the final products and services in a given period by the means of production owned by a country's residents

5) The four pillars of Human Development Paradigm are Equality, Sustainability, Productivity, and Empowerment. True or False?

1 point

- a. True
- b. False

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
a. True

6) Which of the following Indicators are not used for the calculation of Gender Inequality Index (GII)?

1 point

- a. Maternal Mortality Ratio
- b. Proportion of Parliamentary Seats Occupied by Females
- c. Labour Force Participation Rate
- d. Infant Mortality Rate of Female Children

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
d. Infant Mortality Rate of Female Children

7) "First published in 1990, this report was developed by the economist Mahbub UI Haq, anchored in the Nobel laureate Amartya Sen's work on human capabilities" Which is this Report?

1 point

- a. World Happiness Report
- b. Human Development Report
- c. World Development Report
- d. Human Capital Report

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
b. Human Development Report

8) The book titled "Development as Freedom" is authored by

1 point

- a. Sabina Alkire
- b. Mahbub UI Haq
- c. Amartya Sen
- d. Nancy Birdsall

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
c. Amartya Sen

9) "This model published in 1960 postulates that economic growth occurs in five basic stages namely, Traditional society, Pre-conditions of take-off, Take-off, drive to technological maturity, and stage of high mass consumption" Who conceptualised this model?

1 point

- a. W.W. Rostow
- b. Joseph Schumpeter
- c. Albert Hirschman
- d. J. M. Keynes

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
a. W.W. Rostow

10) The nature of Economic Development is qualitative. True or False

1 point

- a. True
- b. False

No, the answer is incorrect.
Score: 0

Accepted Answers:
a. True