

**The Schram Academy- Chennai**  
**Social Science Worksheet- MCQ and Question Bank**  
**People's as Resources –part-1**  
**Class IX**

**I. Choose the appropriate answer for the following**

- 1) In which state was the literacy rate highest as per 2001 study?  
a) Kerala                      b) Madhya Pradesh      c) Bihar                                      d) Orissa
  
- 2) Market activity refers to production for  
a) exchange                      b) earning income      c) Earning profit                      d) all the above
  
- 3) Self-consumption is  
a) non-production activity      b) non-market activity      c) non-economic activity              d) none of the above
  
- 4) . Secondary sector includes  
a) trade                              b) marketing                      c) manufacturing                      d) education
  
- 5) Investment in human capital is expenditure on  
a) education                      b) training                      c) medical care                      d) all the above
  
- 6) What is India's position in scientific and technical manpower in the world?  
a) first                              b) second                      c) third                                      d) fourth
  
- 7) Infant mortality rate refers to the death of a child under the age of  
a) 1 year                              b) 2years                              c) 3 years                                      d) 4 years
  
- 8) Choose the non-market activities  
(i) Vilas sells fish in the village market                      (ii) Vilas cooks food for his family  
(iii) Sakal works in a private firm                              (iv) Sakal looks after his younger brother and sister  
a) (i) & (ii)                      b) (iii) & (iv)                      c) (i) & (iii)                              d) (ii) & (iv)
  
- 9) Quality of population depends upon  
a) literacy rate                      b) health                              c) skill                                      d) all the above
  
- 10) People as a resource refers to their  
a) educational skills                      b) productive skills                      c) health skills                              d) none of the above

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**Question bank**

1. Define the following terms--
  - I. People as resource
  - II. Human capital formation
  - III. Unemployment
  - IV. Infant mortality rate
2. Differentiate between ----
  - a. Economic and non-economic activities
  - b. market and nonmarket activities
  - c. Seasonal and disguised un employment
3. Are the following activities economic or non-economic activities? Give reasons.
  - (a) Vilas sells fish in the village market.
  - (b) Vilas cooks food for his family.
  - (c) Sakal works in a private firm.
  - (d) Sakal looks after his younger brother and sister
4. Domestic services performed by women not treated as economic activities, justify this statement.
5. Is begging an economic activity. Substantiate.
6. 'Unemployment is an economic as well as a social evil.' Explain the statement.
7. Human resource the most important resource. Comment
8. What is the Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan? What are its objectives?
9. What is Infant Mortality Rate? What are its functions.
10. What are the strategies that the government has undertaken to reduce unemployment?
11. Why did Japan emerge as a developed country inspite of its poor natural resource?