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Q1(e)

Can we equate 'poverty' with 'poor living' ? Elaborate your answer

UPSC Civil Services Mains 2017 · Sociology GS 1 · 10 marks · Sociology

Sociology - The Discipline: Modernity and social changes in Europe and emergence of sociology; Scope of the subject and comparison with other social sciences; Sociology and common sense.

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Numbers move. Confirm the latest Budget, Economic Survey or census round. This sheet is for revision, not a substitute for the model answer.

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Sen

Capabilities: poverty as deprivation of beings and doings, not only of income.

Townsend

Relative poverty as exclusion from customary social living.

NFHS

Health, nutrition, and housing files that a consumption line does not exhaust.

Oscar Lewis

Culture of poverty: a debated mix of material lack and transmitted living styles.

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