**Assignment 2**

**Title : Practice session to differentiate between prosperity and accumulation.**

**Aim** : **To understand prosperity vs accumulation by discussion on –**

1. **What is meant by prosperity?**

**Ans :** Prosperity is success or the state of success, especially financial or material success. Prosperity often implies success in terms of wealth, health, and happiness. But it can also be used more broadly. The verb prosper means to achieve prosperity. Someone who achieves prosperity can be described as prosperous. The word prosperity is often paired with words like peace and wealth, such as when wishing people well, as in May your year be full of peace and prosperity.

1. **How can it be ascertained? Does accumulation ensure prosperity?**

We may have been wrong to believe that economic prosperity would bring happiness, but the evidence suggests that happiness and social well-being are likely to bring economic prosperity. Moreover, where prosperity arises from post-materialist values, it has the potential to enhance well-being without costing the earth. Wealth refers to the state of being rich or having an abundance of material assets and money. Prosperity refers to the state of having an abundance of material assets and money as well as other contributing factors like health and happiness.

1. No. accumulation doesn't mean prosperity. A prosperous person does not have a lot of money, and property, but he has a lot of friends, family and stays healthy. Here, we are not merely willing for money or wealth but for happiness and satisfaction. Having lots of friends is a kind of wealth that you never lose. In this case it doesn't matter how rich you are or how much money you have.

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