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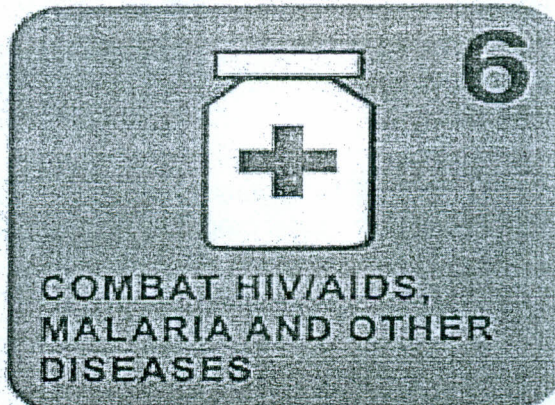
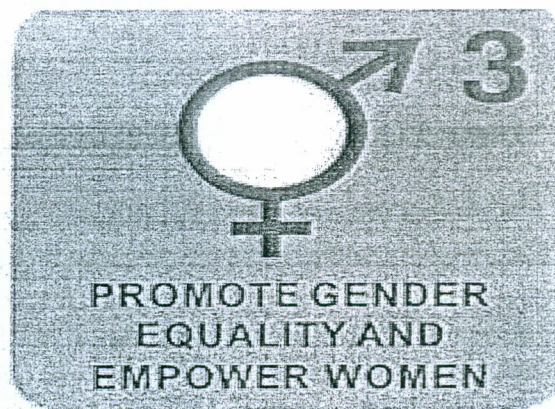
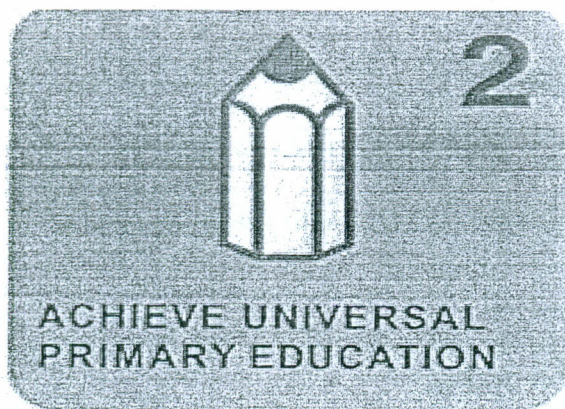
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This question paper is divided into three sections- namely A, B, and C. Read the instructions and the questions carefully before answering.

Section A

ANSWER ALL FOUR QUESTIONS (8 MARKS EACH)

- 1) Millennium Development Goals have become the new *mantra* for human development. See the illustrative representation below. It represents few of the goals. List all those goals not shown below and highlight the significance of any one of the eight for India's development. What role can technology play in that?



- 2) Why is the injustice frame important in a social movement? What are the important stages of any social movement? Explain using examples from the pertinent need of contemporary anti-corruption movement in India.
- 3) Sustainable development is multidimensional. Discuss. Sustainable development desires better consumption practices which in turn will reduce production of waste including those that are hazardous. Elaborate using the experience of Erin Brockovich.
- 4) *A white feminist in Paris rushed up to a fully veiled Muslim woman and tore off her veil. Shouting curses at the institution of patriarchy, she asked her to rebel against it.* How does this situation highlight humiliation? What are the processes in which recognition of "others" ways of life can create a better society? Explain.

Section B

BRIEFLY EXPLAIN THE FOLLOWING (2 MARKS EACH)

- 1) Importance of Values in Education
- 2) Difference between Community and Society
- 3) Participatory Action Research
- 4) ASHA
- 5) Anomie
- 6) Right based approach to development
- 7) Role of technology for better governance

Section C

WRITE THE CORRECT ANSWER OF EACH QUESTION (1 MARK EACH)

- 1) The seminal concept of "Sanskritization" is given by: (a) M. N. Srinivas (b) Yogendra Singh (c) Dipankar Gupta (d) Andrew Weber
- 2) The author of the book *Introduction to the Sociology of Development* is: (a) Amartya Sen (b) Dipankar Gupta (c) Andrew Webster (d) Max Weber
- 3) Good governance entails: (a) Participation, Accountability, Transparency, and Efficiency (b) Participation, Oligarchy, Transparency, and Accountability (c) Accountability, Efficiency, Criticality, and Transparency (d) Accountability, Decency, Motivation, and Democracy
- 4) *Janani Suraksha Yojna* aims to promote institutional health facilities and reduce: (a) Maternal and Pre-natal mortality (b) Maternal and Neo-natal mortality (c) Maternal and post-natal mortality (d) None of the above