

# Comprehension - 2023 (Special)

## Ans: 1

According to the contents of the passage, the main goal of education is fostering the growth, progress and prosperity of a nation. To achieve this goal, education enhances the quality and skills of human resource which then works for the growth and development of the nation. This highlights the importance of education which not only helps to create but also strengthen the human resource of a nation.

## Ans: 2

After the completion of basic 12-year education, guiding and counseling can play pivotal role helping the students decide their future prospects. This helps students understand the

choices available to them for further studies based on their aptitude and interests. Those with interest and requisite aptitude in academics and research are encouraged to go for higher studies while the rest are advised to opt for short-term courses that impart practical skills with quick job prospects - Thus guiding sorts students into manageable human resource pool based on their interests and aptitudes.

### Ans: 3

The only direct question in the passage, i.e., Can (the creation of <sup>and enhancement</sup> human resource) be done through higher education only, or even through higher education?, has been answered in negative. The case of developed nations has been highlighted where the quality of human resource is better comparatively. They do not offer higher education to everyone - Instead, it is reserved for a few with both aptitude and interest.

## Ans. 4

The second last sentence of the passage, i.e., 'We need to realize that, unlike the fundamental right of basic education, higher education should be treated as a privilege of the deserving ones.', could be the topic sentence.

## Ans. 5

The sentence that looks redundant and out of place in the context of paragraph is :-

The admission criteria and fee structure of these colleges and institutes vary according to a number of factors.