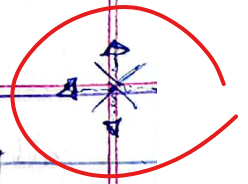


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Poverty Anywhere is a Threat to Prosperity
Everywhere

Outline

This part is ignored in essay altogether i.e. Social, national, regional levels etc

A- Introduction :

- a- Poverty is the root cause of all diseases
- b- How poverty is a threat to prosperity everywhere
- c- Thesis statement

B- Relationship between poverty and prosperity ✓

C- Reasons behind poverty

- 1- Lack of good governance
- 2- Continuous political instability
- 3- Severe economic crises
- 4- Illiteracy, unemployment, extremism and terrorism

D- How poverty is threat to prosperity ?

- 1- Leadership crisis and ~~enhancing~~ corruption
- 2- Leads to underdevelopment of a country
- 3- Breeds social crimes in a society ✓
- 4- Outbreak of diseases ✓
- 5- Wastage of vital natural resources ✓
- 6- Less industrialization and unemployment

E- Way forward to reduce poverty and increase prosperity

- 1- Good governance must prevail ✓
- 2- Provision and access to basic facilities for

all citizens

3- Implementation of coordinated poverty eradication programmes

4- Wealth creation by state to improve
basic infrastructure *strengthen economy*

F- Conclusion

Topic 1 : Low Social Progress is the Reason Behind Poverty.

Attempt again

Poverty has several reasons, one of the major cause is low social progress. The term social progress refers to the slow progress of a society. ^{In terms of..?} It depends on several factors such as employment rate, literacy rate, and health care system. Similarly, there are various social problems which breeds more threats to the development of society, for example overpopulation, illiteracy, unemployment, extremism, and terrorism. The rate of corruption in society and government is prevalent due to these factors. Pakistan had the lowest 'social progress index score' (better than Afghanistan only) in the South Asian region during 2022. (macro-pakistan.com, social progress index, 2022). This report, in fact, represent the dismal situation of Pakistan social progress. Indeed, the country cannot developed without the prosperity of its society. Therefore, it can be said that low social progress, undoubtedly, is the factor behind increasing poverty in Pakistan.

No mention of poverty caused by slow social progress

Topic 2 : Lack of Good Governance is the Reason behind Poverty.

Lack of good-governance is one of the prime reason behind poverty. Some attributes of good governance include transparency, accountability, responsiveness, efficiency, and coordination; therefore, lack of good-governance paves way for certain ills, such as nepotism, corruption, red-tapism, and increasing crime rates. Without any doubt,

How?

these things led to ^{increase} poverty in a society. Pakistan, since independence, is faced with ^{crisis} ~~issue~~ of good-governance ^{mainly} due to leadership crisis and political instability. Pakistan ranks 136th out of 167 countries in the overall prosperity index ranking. Since 2011, Pakistan has moved up the ranking table by 12 places. (London based think tank, Legatum prosperity index, 2023). Despite Pakistan improvement in prosperity index, the current 136th position is alarming. In fact, developed countries of the world are prosperous due to their situation of improved good-governance. Hence, Pakistan is faced with issue of poverty which is mainly because of bad-governance.

Relation of topic with evidence is not explained

The paragraph lacks coherence; that is, ideas are not related, rather stated independently without logically proving how lack of good governance causes poverty

Topic 3 : Poverty is a Threat to Prosperity

Poverty anywhere is a threat to prosperity everywhere. According to the definition of 'World Bank' poverty is the lack of access to basic facilities such as food, clothes, and shelter. 1.90 Dollar (\$)^{per day} income is a line for extreme poverty.

There are various reasons behind poverty which paved way for corruption and underdevelopment of a country. In case of Pakistan, since independence, the menace is on rise and has brought a needless disturbance to the socio-economic fabric of a state. Poverty, in Pakistan, is expected to reach 37.2 percent, there are almost 3 million more poor people in the country than in 2018. (DataBankfiles, World Bank, 2023). Moreover,

the demand of overpopulation is increasing and the supply of the country is either decreasing

or constant; therefore, the country is faced with issues like illiteracy, unemployment, extremism, and terrorism. The prosperity of the country is now turned into ~~advers~~ adversity due to poverty.

That is why, poverty is a root cause of all ills and is not a goal for ~~the~~ stability of a nation. Hence, it is the poverty which is a real threat to prosperity.

These words demand explanation of impacts of poverty on different levels, so keep the topic sentence simple and strictly related to the topic

Evidence ?

Evidence of past prosperity?