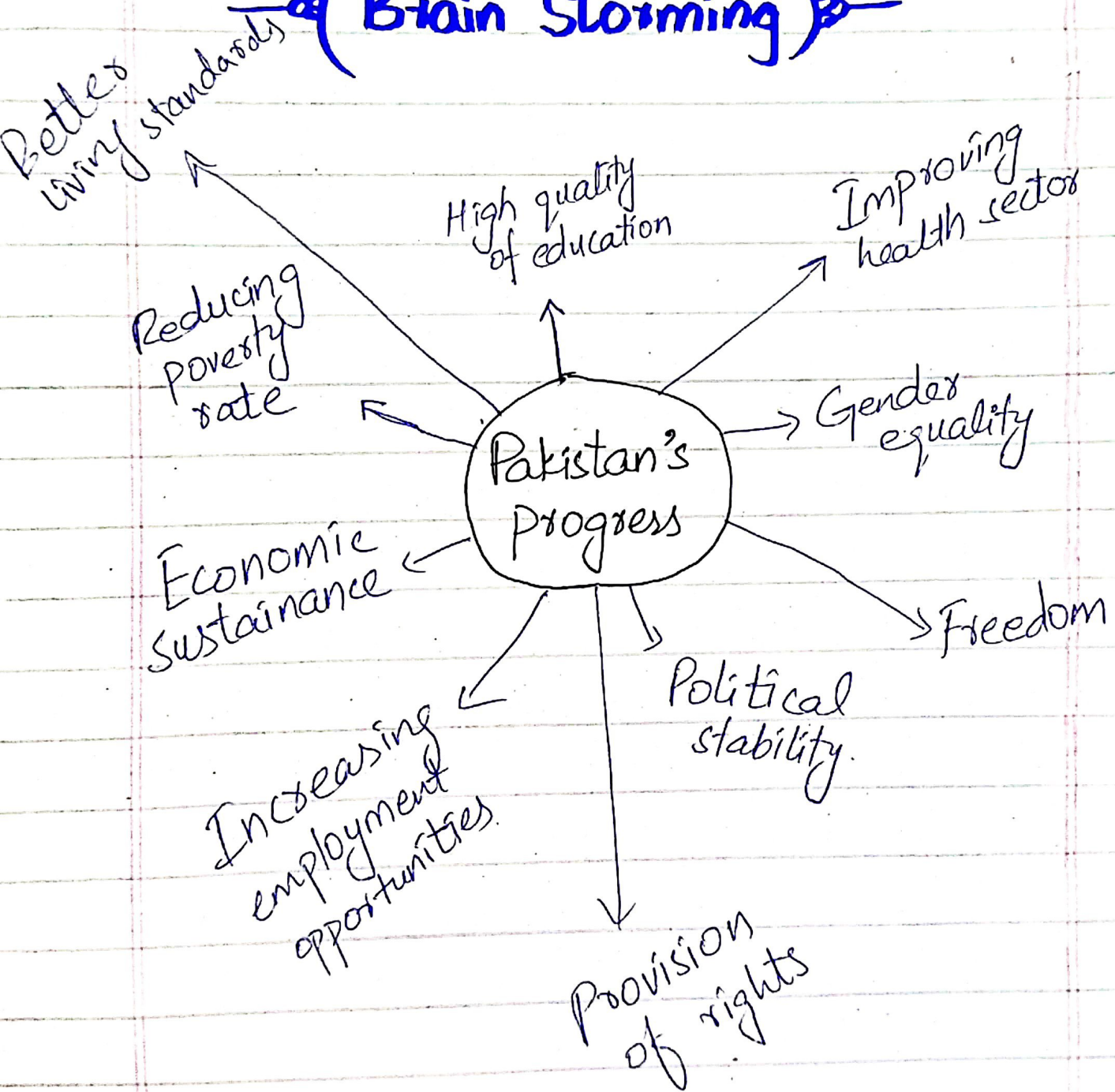


Pathways to Pakistan's progress

(Brain Storming)



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Outline

1) Introduction:-

1.1) Attention grabber

1.2) General statements

1.3) Thesis statement:- Pakistan is a developing country and it can get progress and prosperity by improving living conditions, health standards, the quality of education, reducing poverty and increasing economic stability.

2) Pathways to Pakistan's progress:-

2.1) Improving health sector

a) providing affordable treatment

b) providing best facilities to patients

c) appointing well-experienced doctors and paramedics

2.2) Increasing quality of better education:-

- a) providing affordable education
- b) improving facilities for modern technology's education
- c) more construction of schools and colleges

2.3) Increasing employment opportunities:-

- a) improving salary structure
- b) providing more jobs and seats to skilled individuals

2.4) Ensuring gender equality:-

- a) provision of equal rights to men, women and transgenders
- b) analysis of UNDP's report

2.5) Improving political stability:-

- a) increasing accountability of the political leaders
- b) ensuring rule of law

2.6) Improving economic development:-

- a) reducing inflation
- b) lowering the rates of extra funds of government officials
- c) promoting tourism

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2.7) Provision of equal rights to every citizen

3) Conclusion

Beginning with a quote of George Bernard Shaw, "Progress is impossible without change, and those who cannot change their minds cannot change anything." Pakistan is the fifth-most populous country; having second-largest Muslim population as of **2023**. Pakistan is considered as a middle-power nation, with world's sixth-largest standing armed forces. It is declared nuclear-weapons state and is ranked amongst emerging and growth-leading economies, with a large and rapidly-growing middle class. It is an ethnically and also linguistically diverse country, with similarly diverse geography and wildlife. It is a developing country. It can get more progress and prosperity by various pathways including gender equality, increasing quality of education, providing equal rights and justice to everyone, improving health sectors and increasing political and economic stability in the future.

There are some ways through which our beloved Pakistan can become a prosperous country. Firstly, the most crucial pathway is to improve health sector. Health comes first for any country's development.

First one step to improve the health sector of a country is to provide affordable treatment. Every citizen should have opportunity to possess medical treatment in a low package. Hospitals especially private ones, offer much more expensive treatments which people can't afford and die due to their less access to treatment facility. There must be a reasonable treatment package.

Second step to improve health sector of our country is to provide best facilities which must be the right of every citizen. Modern medical technology must be implanted in the hospitals so that people do not have to travel to far off urban areas who are living in rural areas.

Third step to improve health sector is to appoint well-experienced doctors, medical professionals and the paramedical staff. Un-experienced staff must be given opportunity to train themselves. By all these steps, the health sector of Pakistan can be improved. As it is said, "The greatest wealth is health."

Secondly, ^{one of} the most important pathway for Pakistan's progress is to increase the quality of education. It can be done by various ways. To begin with, affordable education is the first step. People who live in backward areas do not have access to schools. Some people do not send their children to schools because of expenses and less travelling facilities. Education must be affordable to everyone. Because education is very important and it is a well-known quote, "Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use."

to change the world." In this way, it is crucial for Pakistan's development.

Second comes in improving quality of education is to improve the facilities for modern technology for a better education. Students must learn the use of artificial intelligence (AI), marketing, finance and business skills.

Last step in improving quality of education is to construct more schools and colleges. The far-off and rural areas which lack schools and colleges must have the academic institutions so that everyone can get education.

Thirdly, employment opportunities are very beneficial for a country. The employees who are already working in job sectors, should be given a handsome salary structure so that they can meet their both ends easily.

In addition to providing reasonable salary structures to already employed persons, more and more vacancies and job opportunities must be

introduced for un-employed individuals so that they can make better use of their skills and working capacity.

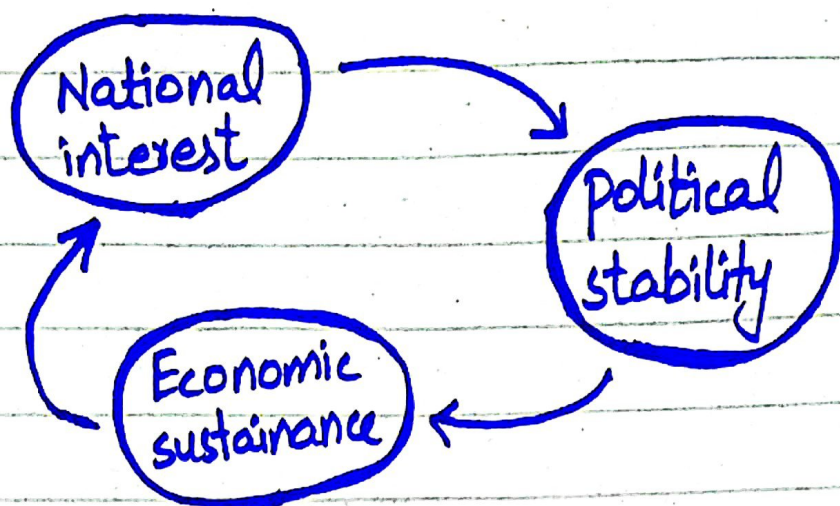
It is a powerful quote, "It is only through labor and painful effort, by grim energy and resolute courage, that we move on to better things." So, employment opportunities must be enhanced.

Fourthly, promoting gender equality is also one of most strengthening step towards Pakistan's progress. All genders including men, women and transgenders must be provided with equal rights of facilities like education, health, freedom, justice and job opportunities. According to the United Nation Development Programme (UNDP)'s report 2021-22, our beloved country ranks **145th** out of 146 countries on the World Economic Forum's 2022 Global Gender Gap Index, and **161st** out of 191 countries on the Human Development Report's 2022 Gender Inequality Index. There is an urgent need to closely examine the

factors contributing to this state of gender in Pakistan.

Fifthly, political stability is another critical pathway leading to Pakistan's progress. For this purpose, the first and foremost step is accountability of political leaders. Every leader in the politics must be accountable for his/her actions and use of power and fundings. Currently, there is no proper system for their accountability in the Pakistan. Every leader do what he wants. There should be a proper check and balance for their powers set-up.

The second step towards political stability is rule of law. The proper enforcement of rule of law is essential so that all political influencers must follow laws equally for the sake of national interest, because the political stability, national interest and economic sustainance are inter-connected to each other for a country's development.



In this way, political stability is the important step towards Pakistan's progress.

Sixthly, another pathway to the Pakistan's progress is improving the economic development and stability.

Beginning with the highly required step, reducing inflation. According to the Press Release on Consumer Price Index (CPI)

Inflation by Pakistan Bureau of Statistics, the CPI National for the period Jul-Jan (2022-23) increased to **25.40%** over

Jul-Jan (2021-22). The increasing rate of inflation is creating troubles for people to get basic necessities of life including food, clothes and the shelter. So, this issue must be addressed and resolved for Pakistan's prosperity.

Furthermore, the economic development is sustained by reducing the extra funding and allowances which are provided to government officials. If these advantages are provided to a limit, the economy of Pakistan must will surely be improved.

In addition, Pakistan can stable its economy and can get a large amount of money by promoting tourism. Allah Almighty has blessed our beloved country with glorious places which are definitely magnificent sources of pleasure and tourism. A large number of foreigners come to Pakistan for visiting northern areas including Mussee, Naran, Kaghan, Swat and Hunza Valley. So, a great amount of profit can be earned by promoting tourism opportunities.

Last but not the least, the most critical and important pathway to Pakistan's progress is the provision of equal rights and justice to every

Citizen. As it is said, if we do not maintain justice, justice will not maintain us. Courts should provide equal justice and punishments to all citizens of Pakistan. A good example of justice has set by Chief Justice **Ayesha Malik**. She believes in providing equal rights to everyone.

All these pathways ensure the progress, prosperity and better future of Pakistan, if followed in a serious way.

To conclude, Pakistan is an under-developed country whose progress lies in different ways including the improvement of tourism, health sector, education system, political and the economic development. Our beloved country has blessed with different rewards of Allah Almighty in the form of the rivers, mountains, lakes, hills and the northern areas. Progress lies only in the changing minds. Without changing themselves, no nation can get progress.