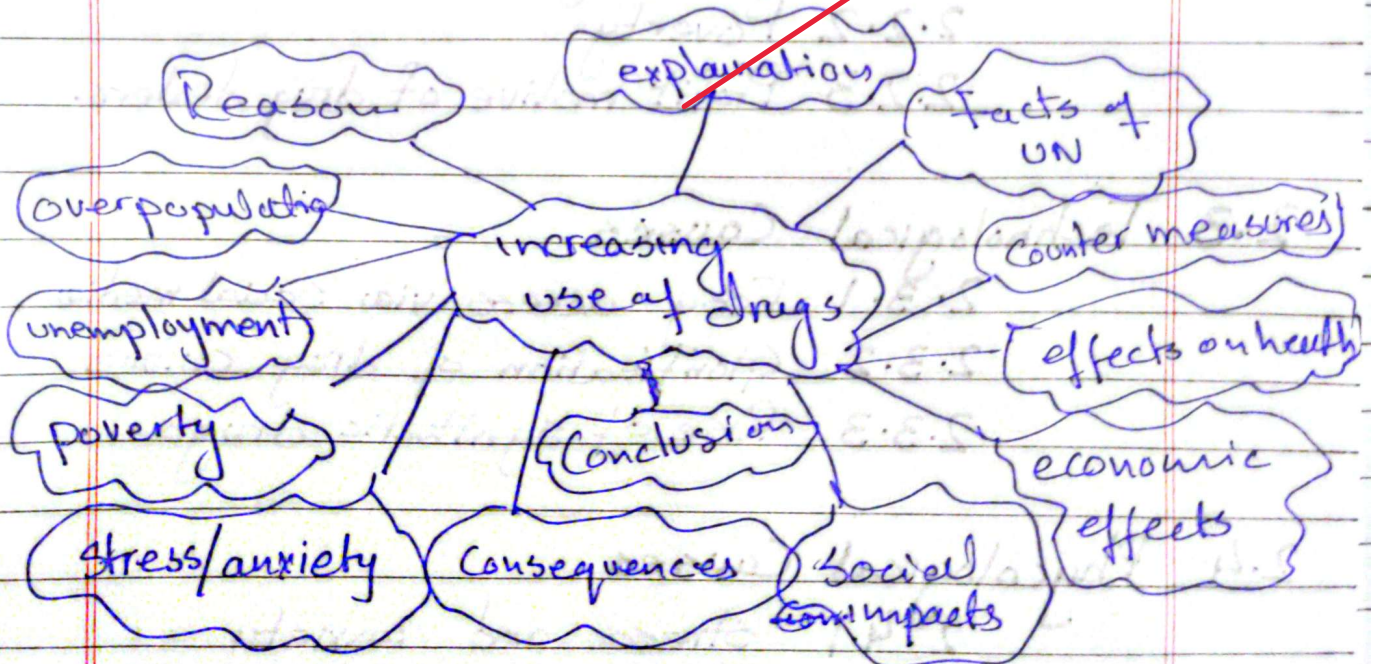


Increasing Use of Drugs in Modern Age

Brain Storming



1 Introduction

- (i) Hook
- (ii) Explanatory/Background.
- (iii) Thesis statement: Drug use has escalated in modern age, due to many reasons such as overpopulation, poverty, unemployment, stress and anxiety, leading to serious implications for individuals and society.

2 Causes of increasing drug use

2.1 Social Causes

2.1.1 Over population.

2.1.2 Broken families

2.1.3 Urbanization and modernization.

2.2 Economic Causes

2.2.1 Unemployment

2.2.2 Poverty

2.2.3 Profit motive of drug dealers.

2.3 Technological Causes

2.3.1 Easy access via social media

2.3.2 Glorification of drug culture

2.3.3 Rise of synthetic drugs

2.4 Psychological Causes

2.4.1 stress and anxiety

2.4.2 friend circle and social gathering

2.4.3 need to relax

3 Consequences of Drug abuse

3.1 Social Consequences of increasing drug use:

3.1.1 Rise in Crime and violence

3.1.2 Socially being isolated

3.1.3 Youth wastage and decline in productivity.

3.2 Health Consequence

3.2.1 Spread of Hepatitis via injection

3.2.2 Mental health deterioration.

3.2.3 Organ damage and premature deaths.

3.3 Economic Consequences

3.3.1 Burden on health care system

3.3.2 loss of skilled workers

3.3.3 Economy of country suffers.

3.4 Political Consequences

3.4.1 Corruption

3.4.2 Cross border security undermined

4. Measures to limit drugs use.

4.1 Public awareness

4.1.1 social media campaigns

4.1.2 Newspaper

4.1.3 awareness at educational institutions.

4.2 Legal measures

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- 4.2.1 strict law enforcement.
- 4.2.2 heavy fines and sentence
- 4.2.3 formulation of anti Narcotic force.

4.3 Medical and Rehabilitation Centers

- 4.3.1 Rehabilitation centers should be affordable
- 4.3.2 These centers should be in populated areas for easy approach.
- 4.3.3 Reintegration of addicts into society.

5 Conclusion

The Essay.

With more than 35 million people world wide suffering from drug-use disorders, the modern age stands at the brink of a global crisis.

According to WHO, any substance that, when taken into ~~the~~ a living organism, may modify one or more of its functions is known as drugs. Those substances whose production, sale, possession, or use is forbidden by law because they are harmful, addictive and have no accepted medical purpose are illicit drugs. These illicit

drugs are often simply referred to as "drugs"

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The UNODC report 2019, stated that 4% of ^{the} world population used Cannabis and users were increased by 18% in past decade. In 2020, around 275 million people were estimated to use drugs. By 2022-23, UNODC reported 296 million drug users. In modern age the use of drugs is increasing at a very sharp rate. The reasons behind are mainly overpopulation, unemployment, stress and anxiety. This menace has adverse affects on society, culture, economy and also on the health of addicted person.