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<b>Class: IX</b>	<b>Department: Social Science</b>	<b>Sub: Economics</b>
<b>Chapter-4 Worksheet</b>	<b>Topic: Food Security in India</b>	<b>Year: 2025-26</b>

1	<b>Chronic hunger mainly affects poor people because:</b> A. Food is not available in markets B. They lack awareness about nutrition <b>C. Their low income prevents them from purchasing sufficient food</b> D. Agricultural production is low
2	<b>Minimum Support Price (MSP) is:</b> A. The price at which foodgrains are sold through ration shops B. The market price fixed by traders C. The lowest price in international markets <b>D. The pre-announced price paid to farmers by the government</b>
3	<b>One major objective of buffer stock creation is to:</b> A. Promote export of foodgrains <b>B. Stabilize food prices and ensure food availability</b> C. Increase private hoarding D. Reduce agricultural production
4	<b>The Public Distribution System (PDS) functions through:</b> A. Wholesale markets B. Cooperative societies <b>C. Fair Price Shops</b> D. Private retailers
5	<b>Which of the following programmes directly aims at providing employment along with food security?</b> A. PDS B. ICDS <b>C. Food-for-Work</b> D. Mid-day Meal
6	<b>Academy of Development Science (ADS) works mainly in:</b> <b>A. Maharashtra</b> B. Gujarat C. Tamil Nadu D. Delhi
7	<b>Which of the following is a commonly reported malpractice under PDS?</b> A. Free distribution of foodgrains <b>B. Diversion of grains to the open market</b> C. Excess supply of quality grains D. Overpayment to farmers

8	<p><b>Amul is associated with which major transformation in India?</b></p> <p>A. Green Revolution  B. Blue Revolution  <b>C. White Revolution</b>  D. Yellow Revolution</p>
9	<p><b>Which of the following statements is correct?</b></p> <p>A. Cooperatives operate mainly in eastern India  B. Mother Dairy operates independently of government pricing  C. Grain Banks are promoted only by the central government  <b>D. Cooperatives and NGOs complement government efforts in food security</b></p>
10	<p><b>In which state did the most devastating famine take place in 1943?</b></p> <p><b>A. Bengal</b>  B. Uttar Pradesh  C. Kerala  D. Maharashtra</p>
11	<p><b>Identify the correct option from the statements given below.</b></p> <p><b>Statement I:</b> Seasonal hunger is prevalent in rural areas because of the seasonal nature of agricultural activities and in urban areas because of casual labourers.  <b>Statement II:</b> Poor people suffer from chronic hunger because of their very low income and in turn inability to buy food even for survival.</p> <p><b>Options:</b></p> <p>A. Statement I is correct but Statement II is incorrect.  B. Statement I is incorrect but Statement II is correct.  <b>C. Both are Correct.</b>  D. Both are Incorrect.</p>
12	<p><b>Identify the correct option from the statements given below.</b></p> <p><b>Statement I:</b> Indian policymakers adopted a new strategy in agriculture, which resulted in the 'Green Revolution', especially in the production of wheat and rice.  <b>Statement II:</b> The attainment of food security will increase current hunger and reducing the risks of future hunger.</p> <p><b>Options:</b></p> <p><b>A. Statement I is correct but Statement II is incorrect.</b>  B. Statement I is incorrect but Statement II is correct.  C. Both are Correct.  D. Both are Incorrect.</p>