

GS-II Welfare Schemes for Vulnerable Sections of the population by the Centre and States and the Performance of these Schemes;

- 1. Jal Jeevan Mission will provide a massive fillip to the ease of living for women, and they will No Longer be Beasts of burden. Comment**

Why this Question?

- For centuries, in most parts of the country, especially in rural areas, our women have borne the responsibility of ensuring the water security of their Homes

Key Demands of Question:

- Mention the burden or challenges faced by women in securing water for their households.
- Discuss objective of the Jal Jeevan Mission and explain how it will help to empower the women.
- Discuss the challenges that should be addressed to empower the women.

Directive word:

Comment:

- When you are asked to comment, you have to pick main points and give your 'opinion' on them based on evidences or arguments stemming from your wide reading.
- Your opinion may be for or against, but you must back your argument with evidences.
- These types of question offer you a chance to consolidate your reading of different subjects to justify your opinion.

Structure of Answer:

Introduction:

- Give brief intro about the water scarcity faced by the country and the role of women in fetching the water for their households.

Body:

- Explain the burden or challenges faced by women in securing water for their households. For example Precious time loss, safety of women, etc.
- Discuss objective of the Jal Jeevan Mission.
- Explain how the Jal Jeevan Mission will ensure the ease of living of women especially in rural areas.
- List out the other measures should be taken by the government to empower the women.

Conclusion:

- Conclude with the significance of the Jal Jeevan Mission in the Changing Climate scenario like increased Drought, Flood, etc.