sistance to change etc.

Ans to Q No 4: Mortality means death .Death is defined as the permanent disappearance of all evidence of life at any time after birth has taken place. Thus , death does not include abortions and still births

Ans to Q No 5: The first census was taken in India in 1871.

Ans to Q No 6: Some common reasons for uneven sex structure of India as cited by the Census Authority in India are -

- Neglect of girl child resulting in higher mortality at younger ages
- High maternal mortality
- Sex selective female abortions
- Female infanticide
- Change in sex ratio at birth.

Ans to Q No 7:The underlying causes of increasing the number of elderly persons during the last two decades are better education, health facilities and increase in life expectancy.



2.10 MODEL QUESTIONS

A) Short Questions (Answer each question in about 150 words)

Q 1:What are the determinants of population growth? Discuss elaborately.

Q 2:Name the factors that influence population growth in India.

Q 3:Though the growth rate of India's population is declining, yet the number of populations are increasing. Why?

Q 4: How do you measure or assess the birth rate, mortality rate in one area.

B) Long Question (Answer each question in about 300-500 words)