

CONSEQUENCE OF RURAL-URBAN MIGRATION

1. Over population and congestion of cities : many cities have too many people and have become over crowded
2. Over – stressing of urban facilities such as school hospital and roads. People are too many for the limited facilities
3. A high rate of youth unemployment occurs in large cities
4. Wide spread crime such as armed robbery, hard drug, pushing and other form of criminal behavior are concentrated in big and over populated
5. Many rural areas lose their useful population to the cities
6. Agricultural productivity in the rural area decline because the young ones have moved to the cities
7. Increase in house rent

HOW TO SOLVE THE PROBLEM OF RURAL – URBAN MIGRATION

1. Establishment of higher institution in the rural area will discourage rural- urban migration in the search of a higher institution
2. Provision of social amenities in the rural areas by providing social in fractural facilities such as portal pipe borne water, electricity
3. A high rate of youth unemployment
4. Establishment of industries in the rural area thereby creating job and discouraging rural –urban migration
5. Provision of recreational facilities in the rural areas will help discourage rural- urban migration