

Year 11- Revision Questions - Pressure at the rural/urban fringe

1. What is the rural/urban fringe? (2 lines, 1 mark).
2. Describe the changes that have taken place in cities that have caused them to spread outwards (8 lines, 4 marks).
3. What is a 'brownfield' site? (2 lines, 1 mark)
4. What problems have been created in the rural/urban fringe by out of town shopping centres? (8 lines, 4 marks)
5. Suggest reasons why more people have moved from cities to more rural areas (7 lines, 4 marks).
6. Describe the leisure and recreation facilities that you might see in the rural/urban fringe (10 lines, 5 marks).
7. What are the advantages and disadvantages of living in the rural/urban fringe? (10 lines, 6 marks).
8. For an out of town shopping centre you have studied, explain why many people decide to go shopping there instead of city centre shops (8 lines, 4 marks).

9. Below are some of the strategies that can be used to manage urban/rural fringe growth:

- Green belts
- New towns
- Redevelopment of 'brownfield' sites

Describe how each method could help slow down the growth of cities (15 lines, 8 marks).

10. For the methods outlined above, describe their advantages and disadvantages (16 lines, 8 marks)

