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Discuss factors influencing urbanisation in developing countries, using examples from countries of your choice.

QUESTION 2

Critically discuss the form and function of cities using theoretical frameworks of your choice.

QUESTION 3

Using the multiple-dimensions approach in the measurement of poverty, explain how health becomes a critical component of urbanisation.

QUESTION 4

Explain the linkages and disparities in rural and urban development.

QUESTION 5

How does climate change affect urban governance? Illustrate your answer with examples.

QUESTION 6

In Swaziland who participates in urban planning and what are their roles?