

See if there is any group consensus around the causes of hunger in the nations of our world.

Hunger Cause Statements

1. *People are hungry because poor nations refuse to cut their birthrate. Lowered birthrates would guarantee adequate food for all.*
2. *People are hungry because food isn't shared equitably. Wealthy nations use too much of the world's resources.*
3. *People are hungry because governments only listen to people with power...and the hungry are powerless.*
4. *People are hungry because they can't find work.*
5. *Poor farming methods in South East Asia make hunger inevitable. If they used our farming methods there would be plenty of food for all.*
6. *People are hungry because they're lazy. With a bit of hard work they could erase their poverty and hunger.*
7. *People in developing countries are hungry because richer nations aren't generous in sharing their resources.*
8. *The US is particularly generous in sharing its resources with the poor people of the world. If every nation matched our level of giving, hunger and poverty would be wiped out in no time.*