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I can demonstrate my understanding of the unfairness and injustice of the distribution of the world's resources.

It's not fair!



Task 1

In your books, make a list of **unfair** treatment in the world and a list of **fair** treatment. These can include situations where people have less access to resources compared to others.

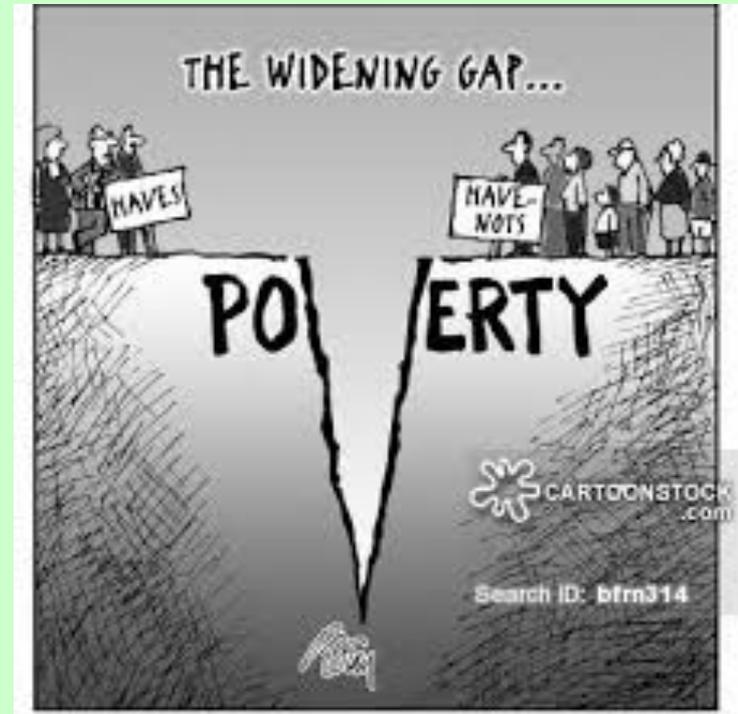
Which of the lists is longer?

Why do you think this is?



Social Injustice

Social injustice is a term used to describe situations where some people in society are given fewer rights and privileges than others.



Christian Teachings

Christians believe in the value and dignity of all human beings.

- This includes the weak, immigrants and other minority groups in society.

If you keep the royal law found in scripture, 'Love your neighbour as yourself', you are doing right. But if you show favouritism, you sin and are convicted by law as lawbreakers.' (James 2:8-9)



What does this quote mean?

Task 2

Copy the quote in your books and explain in a short paragraph what you understand from it.

Liberation Theology

Liberation theology is the Christian idea that God has the power to change situations in the world that are unjust.

Some Christians have taken this belief to mean that it is right to stand up against governments that oppress their people, or to challenge abuses to power.

- Peaceful protests
- Actively take part to support those harmed by injustice



Task 3

This sign can be found on many products imported from around the world.

Try finding out what FAIRTRADE actually means and how it fights injustice.

Illustrate your findings in your book!

Checklist

Task 1 Make a list of fair and unfair treatment and distribution of resources in the world.

Task 2 Explain what the phrase 'Love your neighbour as yourself' means to you.

Task 3 Research what FAIRTRADE means and how it fights injustice in the world.

