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## **Level 0**

# **Hunger affects one in eight people**

**3rd October, 2013**

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**Please try Levels 1, 2 and 3. They are (a little) harder.**

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# THE READING

From <http://www.breakingnewsenglish.com/1310/131003-world-hunger-0.html>

One in eight people in the world is very hungry. That's 842 million people, or 12% of people worldwide. In 1992, it was 17%. Almost 98% of them live in developing countries. Many countries cannot feed their people. Africa has the most hungry people. One in five Africans is hungry. In some countries, 25% of Africans are hungry.

The World Food Programme said hunger is "not having enough food for an active and healthy life". Hunger is not getting the energy you need. Hunger is a very big problem. Poor countries that are at war have bigger problems. Climate change will make the world hotter. This means less food and more hunger in the future.

Sources: <http://uk.reuters.com/article/2013/10/01/uk-un-hungry-idUKBRE9900A620131001>  
<http://www.voanews.com/content/world-hunger-down-not-enough-to-reach-goals/1760371.html>  
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# VOCABULARY MATCHING

From <http://www.breakingnewsenglish.com/1310/131003-world-hunger-0.html>

## PARAGRAPH ONE:

- |  |                      |
|--|----------------------|
| 1. One in eight people in the world is | a. was 17%           |
| 2. 12% of people                       | b. feed their people |
| 3. In 1992, it                         | c. hungry people     |
| 4. 98% of them live in                 | d. worldwide         |
| 5. Many countries cannot               | e. are hungry        |
| 6. Africa has the most                 | f. poor countries    |
| 7. One in five Africans                | g. very hungry       |
| 8. 25% of Africans                     | h. is hungry         |

## PARAGRAPH TWO:

- |                                   |                         |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. The World Food                 | a. you need             |
| 2. not having                     | b. healthy life         |
| 3. an active and                  | c. enough food          |
| 4. getting the energy             | d. less food            |
| 5. Hunger is a very               | e. have bigger problems |
| 6. Poor countries that are at war | f. Programme            |
| 7. This means                     | g. in the future        |
| 8. more hunger                    | h. big problem          |

# LISTEN AND FILL IN THE GAPS

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One in eight people in the world (1) \_\_\_\_\_.

That's 842 million people, (2) \_\_\_\_\_ people

worldwide. In (3) \_\_\_\_\_ 17%. Almost 98% of

them live in (4) \_\_\_\_\_. Many countries cannot

feed their people. Africa has (5) \_\_\_\_\_ people.

One in five Africans is hungry. (6) \_\_\_\_\_, 25%

of Africans are hungry.

The World Food Programme (7) \_\_\_\_\_ "not

having enough food for an (8) \_\_\_\_\_ life".

Hunger (9) \_\_\_\_\_ energy you need. Hunger is a

very big problem. Poor countries (10) \_\_\_\_\_

have bigger problems. Climate (11) \_\_\_\_\_ the

world hotter. This means less food (12) \_\_\_\_\_

in the future.

# PUT A SLASH ( / ) WHERE THE SPACES ARE

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## WRITE QUESTIONS & ASK YOUR PARTNER(S)

Student A: Do not show these to your speaking partner(s).

a) \_\_\_\_\_

b) \_\_\_\_\_

c) \_\_\_\_\_

d) \_\_\_\_\_

e) \_\_\_\_\_

f) \_\_\_\_\_

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## WRITE QUESTIONS & ASK YOUR PARTNER(S)

Student B: Do not show these to your speaking partner(s).

a) \_\_\_\_\_

b) \_\_\_\_\_

c) \_\_\_\_\_

d) \_\_\_\_\_

e) \_\_\_\_\_

f) \_\_\_\_\_

