

Feedback Form / Research for our “WE Scare Hunger” Campaign & Canned Food Drive

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Data / Community Responses:

1. "Hunger is not always visible; if people are suffering from hunger in my community, I may not be able to see it." True or False? And explain your answer...

23 responses

- True, since not everyone pays attention to their surroundings.
- I completely agree with this, I believe this is true because hunger doesn't always just because of the amount of food in one's possession, some people suffer from hunger because of bad eating habits or because they are picky and so many other things. Just because someone looks well-nourished doesn't mean they don't suffer from hunger.
- True. I don't think there is a way to "look" hungry.
- true: if people are suffering from hunger in my community, i may not be able to see it. mostly if someone's hungry you won't see it visibly, unless someone is really starved. like if someone is thirsty, you won't be able to tell that well unless their voice is raspy and stuff etc.
- I think this is false, because you can tell if someone is suffering from hunger because they will be begging for money or for food from you so i think this statement is false.
- In My opinion, I think you can see hunger. How you can see hunger is if you can see someones ribcage or if they look sick.

2. "If someone in my community is suffering from hunger, it is their own fault. True or False? And explain your answer..."

23 responses

False because they may not be able to afford food or maybe they only have enough food for their family excluding them self, not everybody has the ability to afford full meals unfortunately.

False. They could be victims of something that wasn't their fault.

False. When it comes to being hungry, it's nobody's fault. The person that is hungry might not want to tell someone else their hungry cause they might think they are going to bother someone. They might also not have any food to eat.

Its true because if someone didn't eat for a day its there fault.

It goes both ways for this one it could be true because they know they need to eat to help their body get energy, or it could be false because they may have had something done to them that made them not want to get up and eat anything or even do anything at all.

False

yes but no because it depends, they probably did something bad and lost everything or they were just born

3. "Children, adults and elderly people use food assistance programs (ex., EBT or school lunches and breakfast-to-go). True or False? And explain your answer..."

23 responses

True, cause not everyone can afford a proper meal.

This is true! I know this is true from personal experience, over the summer a few years ago i would go to a park right next to my house for a few weeks straight with my family when we had time because there would be a free food program! However, some people join these programs for different reasons, some people join because they don't have or can't get the money to pay for their own food, some of these people are children some are adults, and some are elderly.

True. Children eat school lunches across the country.

true: yes, people who usually don't have access to food normally use assistance programs.

This statement is true because as a kid myself we do get those food assistance programs because everyone in my opinion needs to eat, they at least need one meal of food per day

People do use EBT and get free food because it can save you money and you can have food to eat.

True. the state has programs that can help families pay for food when they don't have money.

4. "Food assistance programs provide sufficient quantities of food to all people who need them." True or False? And explain your answer...

23 responses

In my opinion, I think that food programs provide enough food if people start donating food to those programs.

True. I am not really sure but the program provided should give them enough food to eat

true because some people need it and some people do not need it

In a way this is true however it is also incorrect, because if food was given to everyone who was in need they would be no more hungry citizens but this isnt exactly the case they give food to as many as they can and unfortunately that doesnt include all.

True and false. In some cases there isn't enough.

True and False. On EBT cards they put money on them so people can buy anything they need. Sometimes people need specific food. School lunches and breakfast only have a couple things in the bag. They also come cold.

This is true because if a food program doesnt provide the food they need then they shouldnt even be a food program so.

5. "Contributing to local food assistance programs is the only way we can fight against hunger in our community." True or False? And explain your answer...

23 responses

False, there is more than one way to make a difference in the world.

While I do think this is an amazing way to help the community it is not the only way, sometimes you can make food and give it to homeless people you see on the streets.

False. We can "fight against hunger" by making food items free for everyone.

partly true: contributing to local food assistance programs is a big way to help fight hunger in our community, it's just not the only way. there are other ways like spreading awareness, donating to your local community etc

That is one of the options to solve that problem but it will still work but there are many other options to help that aspect

I think its true because, people with food can come together and start giving to the people who cant afford to get food.

False. Families can help each other by cooking different meals and giving the food to help out the families

6. "Problems associated with hunger are confined to certain areas of the country, or certain neighborhoods. My community and neighborhood are not affected." True or False? And explain your answer...

23 responses

I do not agree fully with this because sometimes it is not based on the area that people are living in, sometimes it's based on the types of families in the areas and the age groups in the area, but I do partially agree because a lot of the time people who are wealthier live in nicer areas, and they don't worry about money and food problems.

False. Just because you don't know that people are hungry in your neighborhood doesn't mean that it doesn't affect your neighborhood.

true ish false ish: problems associated with hunger are not confined to certain areas, they can happen anywhere and everywhere. i don't believe my neighborhood is affected, but in the palmdale community there might be people affected.

This is false because in my neighborhood everyone seems like they can afford food and they seem like they can get enough of it and not go hungry

I think that in my community there are people that are not suffering from hunger because my neighborhood is a nice supportive community.

7. "People become hungry because they are lazy and don't work hard." True or False? And explain your answer...

23 responses

False, as I said before others may have not been given the same opportunity's as others which could have led to their financial struggles.

false sum people work vere hard but thay dont get pad that much and dont have money

False many homeless lose there jobs or they maybe be lazy and don't want to work

True because laziness does affect the amount of work your doing and you need to work hard to get money, but in some situations, even if you work hard you will still go hungry.

False, some people do become hungry because they don't work and are lazy but some have mental illnesses, chronic illnesses, and long term illnesses such as Cancer, Alzheimer's, and Parkinson's. Circumstances sometimes cause hunger through no fault of the person.

False Because people get hungry because they haven't ate

no some people might lost there jobs they might have a family and they cant offerd them so they go to shelters for food

8. "Only adults can contribute to ending hunger in our community." True or False? And explain your answer...

23 responses

false: anyone of any age can contribute to ending hunger in our community. kids may not be able to go and donate or volunteer, but they can research about the topic and spread awareness so things can begin to change.

That is false, kids can also help prevent hunger to continue they can make a program or they can do donations to help the people in need or they can provide food.

I think this is false because children can earn money and donate if they care food to people who are in need.

False. I can volunteer at a food pantry or shelter to help pass out food for the homeless.

false because ever one gets hunger.

False, as a young student i believe any and everyone can contribute and do all in their power to end the hunger no matter big or small.

False. Everyone can help.

9. "People who access a food assistance program once will access it for the rest of their lives." True or False? And explain your answer...

23 responses

False because its their choice

False, this may not be the case, they may have been able to find a job that provides them enough money to be able to stop using the assistant program.

i dont now if this is true or false

True the access when they need it

False because in most situations you won't always be able to access it.

False, No someone might need food assistance in their early 20's when they first become an adult but by the time their 30 or so they can be financially stable and come off of EBT because if they have a good job or good jobs and they save the money they can work out of it. Or in their early years they don't need it but in their later years when they get older and it becomes harder for them to work they might need the EBT.

True because they want to have food

10. "Feeling hungry and suffering from hunger are the same thing." True or False? And explain your answer...

23 responses

False, feeling hungry means you haven't eaten in a while and suffering from hunger might be like you haven't eaten in weeks and can't afford much.

I do not think this is true at all, everyone feels hungry at times but that is not the same as suffering from it, when people suffer from hunger that means they are continuously staying hungry because the little bit of food they are getting is not enough or they have nothing to eat at all.

False. Suffering from hunger for too long can kill you, unlike feeling hungry.

false: feeling hungry is not the same as suffering from hunger. mostly when people feel hungry, they will have food soon enough, and they have access to snacks and things. suffering from hunger is being very hungry and not even knowing when or if you even will get food anytime soon.

It is false because feeling hungry may mean like you have food and you just have to cook it, but suffering from hunger means like you don't have food at all and you need food.

I think this is false because, if you're hungry, your stomach will tell you that you're hungry and if you're suffering from hunger, you will feel pain forever until you eat food.