



Poverty “Deprivation”

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What is poverty “Meaningful quote”

"Poverty is hunger. Poverty is lack of shelter. Poverty is being sick and not being able to see a doctor. Poverty is not having access to school and not knowing how to read. Poverty is not having a job, is fear for the future, living one day at a time. Poverty is losing a child to illness brought about by unclean water. Poverty is powerlessness, lack of representation and freedom."

What is poverty for you?

What is Poverty?

Poverty is a complex problem with many aspects, faces and causes. Your donation helps meet the basic needs of children living in extreme poverty.

- **POVERTY OR DEPRIVATION** is the state of one who lacks a certain amount of material possession.
- People all over the world are now dying because they cannot afford to the necessaries resources that they need to survive within this cruel world.

What poverty looks like



Types of poverty

Absolute poverty is when household income is below a certain level, which makes it impossible for the person or family to meet basic needs of life including food, shelter, safe drinking water, education, healthcare, etc.

In this state of poverty, even if the country is growing economically it has no effect on people living below the poverty line. Absolute poverty compares households based on a set income level and this level varies from country to country depending on its overall economic conditions.

Relative poverty is when households receive 50% less than average household incomes, so they do have some money but still not enough money to afford anything above the basics. This type of poverty is, on the other hand, changeable depending on the economic growth of the country.

- Relative poverty is sometimes described as “relative deprivation” because the people falling under this category are not living in total poverty, but they are not enjoying the same standard of life as everyone else in the country.

Causes of poverty or Deprivation

The main causes of poverty or deprivation are:

- **Lack of education and employment**
- **Natural Disasters**
- **Lack of moneys**
- **overpopulation**

Current Findings

- Nearly 1/2 of the world's population — more than 3 billion people — live on less than \$2.50 a day. More than 1.3 billion live in extreme poverty — less than \$1.25 a day.
- Poverty affects women and people of color disproportionately in the U.S. African Americans have the highest poverty rates of any ethnic group, at 27.4 percent. Around 45.8 percent of black children under the age of 6 are living in poverty, compared to 14.5 percent of white children of the same age.
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Interviewee

Crew member : *What is poverty to you?*

-Condition where people's needs are food, clothing, and shelter, but are not being met.

Manager: *What is poverty to you?*

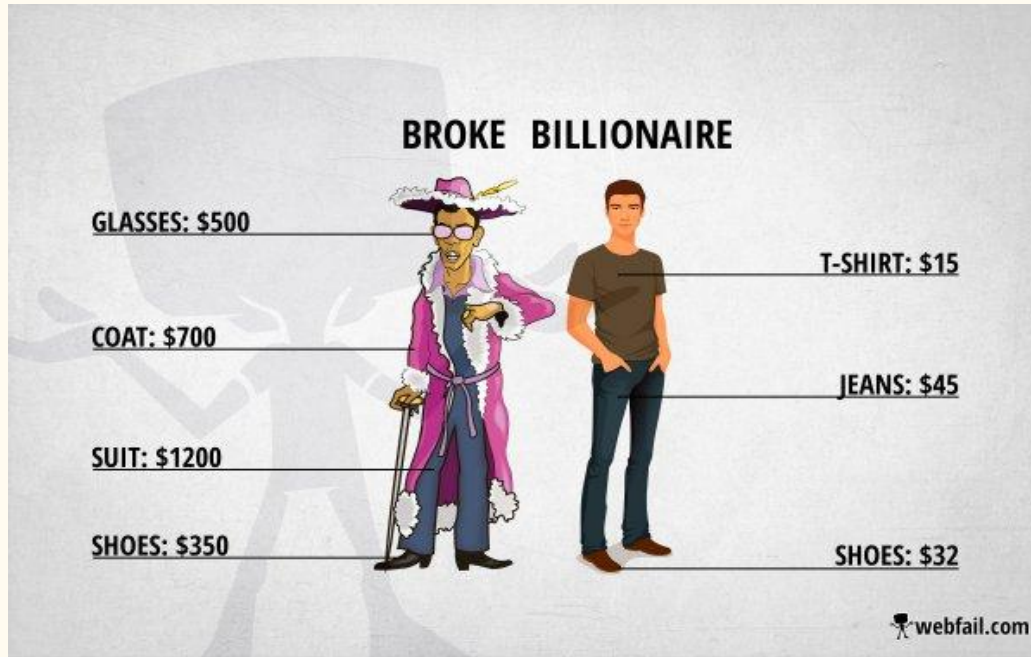
-Poverty is the lack of something important you need to live your life in dignity. You can experience poverty of love or attention, education, health, food, happiness, money and much more. Everyone can have a different list of poverty depending on ones priorities

Resident from bronx: *What is poverty to you?*

-Deprivation is Trump

The Irony of poverty

- People always pretend to be more than what they really are.



“How can we end it”



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- And this is effort to it with the graphics.

The Graphic here at the Bronx Community college



My Name is Jonuel Firpo Rodriguez and this is what I do to help my community through my career. I'm a graphic designer major artist here at the Bronx Community college and as a way of helping out my community I decided to join this art club called the "The Graphics". Because of this art club we are able to learn from each others idea and come as a group to help the community. Due to the Graphics there have been people that is no longer in the streets, people how are now eating and have a roof and people whose education is been changed.

- How? Well, within the graphics we design stuff, any type of design, it came be a flyer, poster, books, logos, magazines, illustrations, etc any type of work that we are able to do is been sell, and whatever money get from it is donated to shelters and to people in the streets. Those who have the least is our priority.

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