GI-Unit 1

**Global Poverty NGOs –Google Slides Presentation**

Each member of class will research an NGO (non-governmental organization) that focuses on alleviating the problems of global poverty. **Please follow the directions below**:

* **1st slide**: Full name of organization (centered on the slide) with weblink centered, just below name of organization
  + **Include at least 2 relevant pics on this slide**
* **2nd slide:** Mission statement
  + **Include at least 1 relevant pic**
* **3rd Slide:** What the organization does (put this into your own words)
  + **Include at least 2 relevant pics**
* **4th Slide:** Goods and/or Services Produced (if the org. has produced goods to help pull people out of poverty OR has helped those in poverty learn to produce certain goods, list them here as well as the purpose of those goods. If no goods are produced by the org., state that the org. does not produce goods, but make sure you provide evidence of services that they perform.)
  + **Include pictures of goods produced or pictures of services being provided**
* **5th Slide:** How/where the org. gets funding for their projects AND recent stats on money raised & spent (try to find a recent Annual Report to identify this information)
* **6th Slide**: Statistical evidence of the degree of poverty in at least 2 of the countries where the org operates (try googling ‘poverty statistics’ in <insert country name>’) (cite your source on slide)
* **7th Slide**: Include a link to Gapminder.org that graphically shows one indicator of poverty in one of the countries you mentioned in the 6th slide compared to other countries around the world.
* **8th Slide**: Using Dollar Street, at gapminder.org, show the class 5 images from one of the countries where your NGO operates its programs.
* **9th Slide**: Success Stories (Try to find a couple of success stories from the org’s website that provide evidence of how the org. has helped with poverty issues. Statistics of how effective the organization has been would also be useful here.)
* **10th Slide**: A compelling quote about the org’s impact that you got from either contacting someone from the org. , or watching a video from the org’s website, or watching a video about the org. from another website
  + **Include WHY you think this is a compelling quote**
* **11th Slide:** Other interesting or compelling facts you learned about the org. or the org’s mission and message you learned from their website
* **12th Slide:** Embedded video clip about the organization or link to video. Clip should be no more than 5 minutes long. You may have to search for this from home because school laptops tend to block many video sites.
* **13th Slide:** Brief personal take on what you think about this particular NGO and how it is relevant to Global Issues.

**Honors Extensions:**

* **14th slide:** Locate a recent article about an issue relevant to global poverty in the one of the countries you chose for the Sixth slide. Put article title & URL of it at top of the slide; summarize the article in your own words, and indicate how a different NGO than the one you chose (from the list on the next page) could work or is already working to address the issue.

**Format Requirements for the PowerPoint:**

* Text must be a **minimum of 22-point font** (if this means you need to insert extra slides, then do so); make sure background does not make it difficult to see text
* Google Slides must be shared with me
* **If you are in a group**, Project work must be evenly distributed among group members; **put your initials on the slides you were responsible for**

**List of NGOs and their websites:**

1. Global Poverty Project: <http://www.globalpovertyproject.com/>
2. Oxfam International: <http://www.oxfam.org/>
3. Millenium Promise: <http://www.millenniumpromise.org/promise-stories>
4. CARE: <http://www.care.org/>
5. ActionAid: <http://www.actionaid.org/?intl>=
6. FarmAfrica: <http://www.farmafrica.org.uk/index.php>
7. ONE: <http://www.one.org/us/>
8. A Future Without Poverty: <http://www.futurewithoutpoverty.org/>
9. Women Thrive Worldwide: <http://www.womenthrive.org/index.php>
10. Freedom From Hunger: <http://www.freedomfromhunger.org/>
11. World Food Programme: <http://www.wfp.org/>
12. BRAC: <http://www.brac.net/>
13. Heifer International: <http://www.heifer.org/>
14. Mercy Corps: <http://www.mercycorps.org/>
15. InterAction: <http://www.interaction.org/>
16. Nuru International: <http://www.nuruinternational.org/>
17. The Co-Operative: <http://www.co-operative.coop/join-the-revolution/>
18. Plan International: <http://plan-international.org/>