

Complete this sentence:

When I see people in the world who are living in difficult conditions or who are suffering, I feel...

## Learning Objectives:

- Identify problems in the world that concern me and talk to other people about them.
- Recognise the emotions I experience when I consider people in the world who are suffering or living in difficult situations.

Choose ONE of the photos on the next slide and answer these questions:

1. What does your picture show?
2. Where might this photo have been taken? (e.g. country)
3. What might be the difficulty the child/people/person lives with in this situation?
4. What might be dream of the person/people in the picture?
5. What might help their situation?
6. What feelings do you feel when you consider the situation of the people/person in your picture?



# What types of difficulties are there in the World?

Examples: disability, poverty, natural disasters, illness...

People experience similar issues world-wide and these are known as **global issues**.



Activity-Write a short poem with the title 'My Dream for the World'. Here are a few examples to get you thinking.

## I Dream A World

I dream a world where man  
No other man will scorn,  
Where love will bless the earth  
And peace its paths adorn  
I dream a world where all  
Will know sweet freedom's way,  
Where greed no longer saps the soul  
Nor avarice blights our day.  
A world I dream where black or white,  
Whatever race you be,  
Will share the bounties of the earth  
And every man is free,  
Where wretchedness will hang its head  
And joy, like a pearl,  
Attends the needs of all mankind-  
Of such I dream, my world!

*Poem by Langston Hughes*

## PEACE

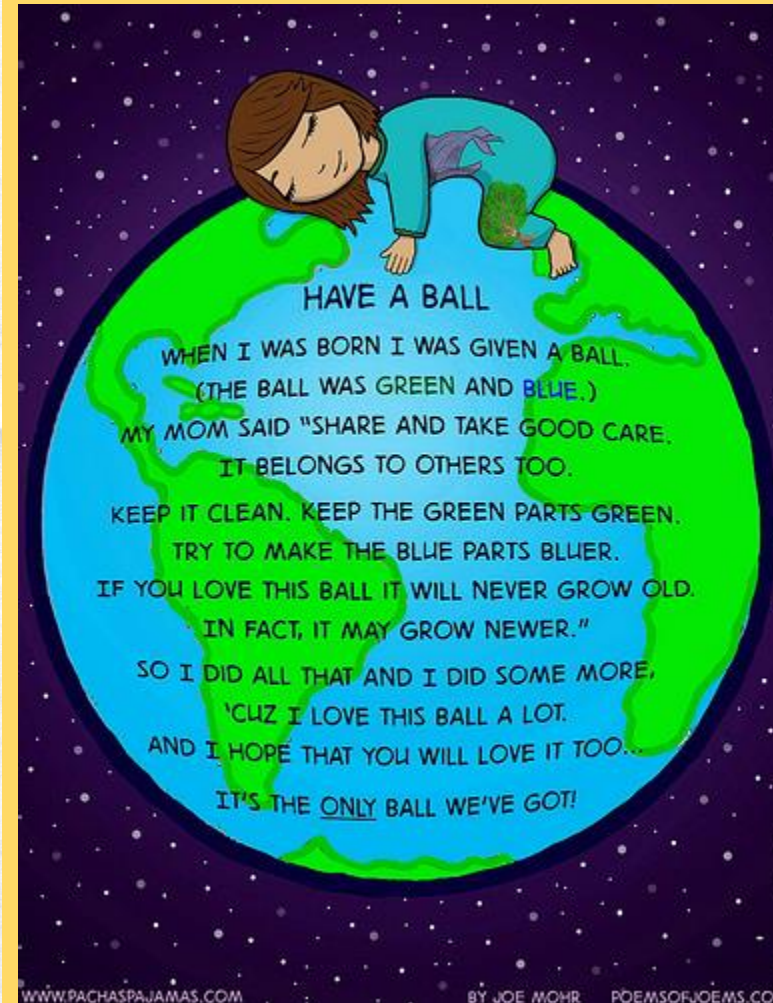
A dark hand touching a light hand,  
A young face looking into an old,  
All people working together,  
For a goal to be told.

A stranger and stranger together,  
A foe and a foe are now friends,  
All people helping each other,  
Making beginnings meet ends.

A heart understanding another,  
A soul reaching out to a soul,  
All people feeding their elders,  
With plate, fork, spoon and bowl.

A rich man helping a poor man,  
A convict dancing with a child,  
All people put aside their differences,  
And share a hope that is wild.

A shout comes out from the open,  
Like a footstep falling on sand,  
All people together proclaim,  
"Now there is peace in this land!"



What global issue will you write your poem about?

Remember, a poem does not have to rhyme.