

# How much do you know about hunger?

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*Test your hunger knowledge by taking the following quiz.*

1. One in \_\_\_ Americans do not have access to enough food.  
A. 5      B. 2      C. 6      D. 8
2. True or False: The lack of adequate nutrition affects a child's cognitive, physical and behavioral development.  
A. True      B. False
3. Approximately how much of the population in developing countries is undernourished?  
A. 15 percent    B. 20 percent    C. 10 percent    D. 5 percent
4. How many US dollars does it cost per day to provide a child with all of the vitamins and nutrients he or she needs to grow up healthy?  
A. \$1.00    B. \$5.00    C. \$0.25    D. \$10.00
5. How many people in the world do not have enough to eat?  
A. 50 million    B. 100 million    C. 500 million    D. 870 million
6. What percentage of deaths in children under the age of 5 in developing countries is linked to undernutrition?  
A. one-third    B. one-half    C. one-fourth    D. one-eighth
7. 1,345 million people in developing countries live on \$\_\_\_ per day or less.  
A. \$0.40    B. \$1.25    C. \$1.00    D. \$0.75
8. True or False: A key cause of food insecurity in the United States is the lack of sufficient resources to cover the cost of food in addition to meeting other basic needs.  
A. True      B. False
9. How much do low-income households spend on food?  
A. 18.5 percent    B. 20 percent    C. 16.4 percent    D. 10 percent
10. One in \_\_\_\_\_ people will go to bed hungry tonight.  
A. eight      B. six      C. ten      D. five

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Correct answers: 1c, 2a, 3a, 4c, 5d, 6a, 7b, 8a, 9c, 10a