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## How people in the United States compare to people in Poor Countries

|  | United States   | Poor Countries  |
|--|---|---|
| How much money earned in a year.       | \$30,600  | \$410   |
| How many people can read.              | <p>In every 10 people, 9 can read.</p>                     | <p>In every 10 people, 3 can read.</p>                   |
| How many children under 14 work a job. | <p>In every 20 children, none of them work in a job.</p>  | <p>In every 20 children, 19 of them work in a job.</p>  |

After looking at the chart above, explain why it is important to help people out of poverty and why people like Lesly and Georgina work hard to be able to pay for their children to go to school?