

Chapter 19 Issues

There are a lot of things to think about when we consider the effects of globalization. This is your opportunity to think about what your opinions and responsibilities are. Remember – “This is your world: You must be the change you wish to see in the world”

For this assignment, you should answer each of the 4 sections with a ½ page response (so your completed assignment should be at least 2 pages long). DO NOT WRITE ON THIS PAGE (it will help the environment if we can reuse the question sheet)

Migration and Technology (pages 313-314)

- What is your opinion of transnational communities? Should Canada be a melting pot (assimilation) or a mosaic (encourage ethnic differences)? Why do you feel this way – what example or evidence can you use to make your opinion convincing?

Food Supply (pages 316- 318)

- What is your opinion of genetically modified foods? Use the information from this section, especially the diagram on page 317, to support your position on the use of genetically modified foods.

Pandemics (pages 319- 321, 352 - 353)

- What do you think Canada’s responsibility should be in helping to reduce the epidemic of HIV/AIDS in Africa? Use the information from your textbook, including the JCPA, to justify your position.

Water (pages 322-324)

- a. How much water does the average Canadian use every day?
 - b. How much water does the average person in Gambia use every day?
- What does this information tell you about the ways Canadians use water? How should you respond to the issue of water scarcity? Use the information from your textbook to explain your answer.