



7.2 The Needy & Homeless Knowledge Organiser

Problemas para los necesitados – Problems for the needy/homeless

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| Me hace falta agua fresca | - I need fresh water |
| Quiero arroz | - I want rice |
| Me faltan zapatos | - I don't have shoes |
| Necesito dinero | - I need money |
| Necesito libertad | - I need freedom |
| Quiero ir a clase | - I want to go to class/school |
| Necesitamos ropa | - We need clothes |
| Buscamos trabajo | - We're looking for a job |
| Me hacen falta amigos | - I don't have any friends |
| Me hace falta un sitio donde vivir | - I don't have a place to live |

Asuntos globales - World issues

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| Vivir en pobreza | - to live in poverty |
| Estar en Guerra | - to be at war |
| Vivir en una zona bélica | - to live in a warzone |
| No tener un lugar donde vivir | - to not have a place to live |
| Tener creencias religiosas ilegales | - to have illegal religious beliefs |
| No tener acceso a educación | - to not have access to education |
| No tener acceso a agua fresca | - to not have access to fresh water |
| No tener acceso a comida | - to not have access to food |
| No tener asistencia médica | - to not have medical assistance |
| No tener la libertad de pensamiento | - to not have freedom of thought |
| No tener justicia y libertad | - to not have justice and freedom |

Soluciones - Solutions

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| Tenemos que | - we have to | ayudarles – help them |
| Hay que | - one has to | darles dinero – give them money |
| Debemos | - we must | darles comida – give them food |
| Deberíamos | - we should | apoyarles – support them |
| Es importante | - it's importante | donar ropa – donate clothes |
| Me gustaría | - I would like | donar dinero – donate money |
| El gobierno debería | - the government should | comprarles... - buy them... |
| | | Ofrecerles... - offer them... |

Me preocupa etc + subjunctive

You can use the table below to make high level phrases in the subjunctive (I'm worried that + subjunctive etc) If you learnt one or two it's a good way of leveling up your writing or speaking.

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Vocabulario importante – Important vocabulary

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| Los "sin techo" | - the homeless |
| Los necesitados | - the needy/those in need |
| Un ladrón | - a thief |
| Un gamberro | - a hooligan/troublemaker |
| La pobreza | - poverty |
| Un vertedero | - rubbish tip |
| Los niños de la calle | - street children |
| Una ONG | - NGO (non governmental organisation) |

Using the words algo and alguien

algo – something, anything
alguien – someone, somebody, anyone, anybody

Since these words do not refer to a specific thing or person, they do not change to indicate masculine or feminine.

These words are not used in negative sentences. Use nada (nothing, not ... anything) and nadie (no one, nobody, not ... anyone/anybody) instead.

"¿Quiere algo más?" "No, no quiero nada más, gracias."
'Do you want anything else?' 'No, I don't want anything else, thanks.'

"¿Conoces a alguien aquí?" "No, no conozco a nadie."
'Do you know anyone here?' 'No, I don't know anyone.'

Also revise third person singular common verbs. See page 123.

Reflexive constructions + infinitive

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| Se debe | - one must |
| Se necesita | - one needs to |
| Se puede | - one can |
| No se puede | - one cannot |

Me preocupa Me molesta Me fastidia Me irrita	que haya	demasiado paro demasiada criminalidad tanta pobreza tantas casas antiguas tanta gente sin techo	Se necesita(n) más	empleo bancos de alimentos viviendas nuevas colegios nuevos profesores hospitales
	que	el sistema de enseñanza el servicio de salud los autobuses		Se necesita



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Retrieval Grid Practice

Trabajo como voluntario recogiendo ropa y zapatos para enviar a países del tercer mundo.	
Cuando pueda doy dinero a una organización no gubernamental que ayuda a los necesitados en el tercer mundo.	
Fue detenido por tener creencias religiosas ilegales.	
Me preocupa que haya tanta pobreza en el mundo y que mucha gente no tenga suficiente comida.	
Me preocupa que haya tantos niños viviendo en la calle.	
	Many children live on the streets and don't have access to education.
	Every weekend my friends and I go to the centre of town and we give soup to the homeless
	One must protect the street children because they are vulnerable and one needs to give clothes to the children when it's cold at night.
	The government should support them and we can donate money and clothes.
	It annoys me that there are so many homeless people in the world.