

Refugees

What does Refugee mean?

Refugees are people that have to go through bad things and go to a different country escaping war. They are also not all the time welcome to that country if the residents allow it or not.

What do they have to go through?

In my eyes the most undeserved people have to go through such a difficult time. Refugees are people that go to different countries because their home their family and their country is either killed, destroyed or in war. Lots of 10-65 year old men have to go to war with weapons to try and protect their country. The annoying thing is that they haven't done anything wrong to hurt, abuse or kill their country. They go to war not to make people sad but to create peace. Refugees walk from country to country just so they can keep their children safe and their family safe or even themselves.

Where do they go?

To random places, some people are over there and some people are over here, all of them I believe don't have a home they live in a tent or even out in the open. Here is a documentary:

<https://www.theguardian.com/global/video/2016/dec/09/kids-refugees-questions-whats-it-like-to-have-no-home-video>.

When you start complaining "I don't want to go to bed I want to watch TV all day" remember that there are children without a home that don't have TV or anything. Did you know refugees live on £5 a day? That is not enough to get 3 meals a day for one person let alone a whole family!

Also, just to make you cry even more like me writing this, they don't have anywhere to cook so they have to get things like already made sandwiches or meal deals if there are even shops around where they live.



Is anyone helping them?

Well to be honest there are a lot of people that think refugees don't deserve a home when they've done nothing but try and protect their country, home and family. Luckily there are people that actually care about people that are struggling with their lives, that is why there are charities that try and help the most they can but all the money that goes to charities is still not enough. There are also banks helping poor people including food bank and many other ones.

What will happen to them next?

In my opinion it will be harder for refugees to go to school. No one knows if refugees will become safer because there are a lot of people that would like to help refugees get a home to stay and a school to study but there a lot of people that disagree with me. What is your opinion? I would like you to have a moment to think do you want to help these people or make it more difficult for them to have a

peaceful respectable fair life?, you don't have to think right now you could do it later this day or tomorrow.

How can you help?

Well there are lots of things you can do to help this world. Starting from giving money to charities, you don't have to go give your salary money but you can fundraise like my mum, you can do cycling, running, swimming, anything. Fundraising is people donating money for you to do something difficult and then you will give all the money you fundraised to a charity that helps refugees.

You can also speak to your parents, tell them that you would like other children to have the same as you, the school council would like you to be fully on board with this since it is a big deal.

My conclusions

So basically try and help other people because when you complain about something there are other people that would be so grateful with that gift. So in conclusion do anything to try and help other people have a better life. So try fight for refugees to go to schools, that is what us as school council representatives are doing.

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