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Paper 1 Written Exam

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INFORMATION

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The following documents consider issues related to ethics of food. Read them **both** in order to answer **all** the questions on the paper.

Document A adapted from *Is There a Global Food Shortage?*, an article written by and published by 'World Food Program USA' in 2023. The 'World Food Program USA' is the US division of United Nations World Food Program (UNWFP). The UNWFP works in over 100 countries and territories to deliver lifesaving food and help communities build better futures.

Conflict, economic shocks, climate change and soaring prices for food are all combining to create a hunger crisis.

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But as you can see, there is plenty we can do to keep more people from falling into hunger.

Document B adapted from: *6 Actions to fight hunger*, written by Khanyi Mlabi, published on 'Global Citizen Action Platform' in 2023. The author is Content Manager and Editor of Global Citizen in South Africa. Global Citizen Action Platform is a platform for activists whose mission is to end extreme poverty worldwide.

The year 2023 began with former World Food Programme chief, David Beasley, warning us about how severe the current hunger crisis actually is.

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World leaders need to open their eyes to the realities caused by the global food crisis.

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