

Task: Thank you to everyone who contributed their ideas about what we need to do next about child poverty in the UK. Well done everyone! Your writing task today is linked to the reading task, make sure you complete that before you do this.

- 1) Read the articles and watch the videos about poverty in the UK <https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/53127061>
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/52902282>
- 2) Look carefully at the ideas in the speech bubbles, they were contributed by children in year 6! Choose a solution that you believe will really help end poverty.
- 3) Look carefully at the other issues which could cause poverty. Choose one that you feel could be changed!
- 4) Discuss your ideas with a friend or someone at home, explain why you feel the solution you have chosen is the best and what you would do to end poverty in the UK.
- 5) Imagine you are Marcus Rashford or an anti-poverty campaigner, write a 30 second – 2 minute speech to



All of the world's billionaires should give 10% of their yearly income to families who can't afford food and clothes, the government could use the £900,000 that they're using to paint Boris Johnson's plane on clothes/food for children!

To make sure that everyone who is working earns enough money, I believe that the minimum wage should be raised to at least the living wage.

This is the 6th richest country in the world and yet 14 million (1/5th) of the population still live in poverty, what we need is a better system for sharing wealth. The starting point of this is to bust the myth of infinite growth on a planet with finite resources.