

Poor countries and rich countries. Listen and choose the correct answer.

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1. There are 196 countries in the world

- a. Most of them are rich countries.
- b. Lots of them are poor.
- c. Half of them are rich countries.

2. About growth....

- a. There are some countries which don't grow.
- b. Nowadays all the countries are growing at the same rate.
- c. Poor countries are also on the path to grow but they grow slowly.

3. Institutions and corruption:

- a. Rich countries have a better system of tax collection.
- b. Poor countries are the least corrupt.
- c. Half of the wealth of the 20 richest countries in the world goes into offshore accounts.

4. Clan base thinking implies that:

- a. Job candidates are selected according to their merit and intelligence.
- b. Poor countries don't allow themselves access to the intelligence and power of the whole population.
- c. Job candidates are chosen according to the colour of their ties.

5. Life is in many ways tougher in tropical countries because:

- a. Large domesticated animals eat the crops.
- b. Tropical climate poses some problems to agriculture.
- c. Tsetse fly makes people sleepy and inactive.

6. What about natural resources?

- a. Poor countries normally have lots of natural resources.
- b. Poor countries are becoming richer because of the natural resources.
- c. The republic of Congo is developing faster than other countries because of their coltan mines.