


MORE STUDENTS SPEAK OUT...

NPG's ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIP CONTEST WINNERS

As part of our broad educational efforts, NPG conducts an annual scholarship contest for college-aged students. A recent contest invited students to submit text that could be used to create a print advertisement in order to recruit more Americans to our efforts. We are pleased to release the text of three of the winners for your review and we strongly encourage you to visit our website, www.npg.org, where you will find a wealth of information relating to population, immigration and environmental issues. We also sincerely hope you will join our ranks as we continue our work to educate more and more Americans regarding what we deem to be the most critical issue of our time – population size and growth.



P is for **population**, one that consumes more and more of this world each second.

O is for **one** acre of natural habitat or fertile land lost as space for every person born.

P is for the **pain** felt by the hundreds of species of animals that suffer extinction at our hands.

U is for the **United States** which consumes more energy than any other nation.

L is for **land**, which is lost to the effects of urban sprawl and development.

A is for **agriculture**, which is responsible for the consumption of 85% of fresh water.

T is for **temperature**, which will change due to global warming as our population grows.


I is for **immigration**, which already increases the population of the U.S. by one person every 37 seconds.

O is for **overcrowded**, which is the type of school that one in three Californian children attend.

N is for **negative**: the direction our population must grow if we are to survive.

Help save the world. Join Negative Population Growth today.

—Udayan Gupta – New York University



WHY IS AMERICA'S POPULATION A PROBLEM YOU ASK?

*Natural Resource Depletion
Deforestation
Congested Traffic and Roadway...*

*Water and Air Pollution
Overcrowded cities and schools...*

US Population Count: 308,623,650

What the United States needs now is an active population to stand up and acknowledge that we need a change. The problem in America is that there are TOO MANY PEOPLE and we need to work together to turn this problem around.

If we do not do anything about this problem it will lead to an unlivable world. We will be out of green land and trees. We will be out of clean air to breathe, and worst of all we will be out of clean water to drink!

What we need to do is to help in the effort to slow, halt, and ultimately completely reverse population growth. By making an effort to join programs and to support the programs that help in the stop to population growth, you are helping solve all of these issues. In doing this we can save our country from a devastating future.

So what will you do to help your children, grandchildren and future generations? The future of America can only change with the support and help of people like you.

—Lindsey Hamilton – Salisbury University



CREATE A VOICE FOR THE FUTURE

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Be proactive today, address pressing issues:

- 1. Vanishing open spaces**
- 2. Water and energy shortages**
- 3. Soil erosion**
- 4. Air pollution**
- 5. Overcrowded schools**
- 6. Urban sprawl**
- 7. Traffic congestion.**

We currently live in a world facing an uncertain future. The life we've known is diminishing to OVERPOPULATION. With your dedication and help our nation may be the first to reverse the effects of overpopulation. Use your voice to alert and educate the American people and government. You can make a difference. Find out more about Negative Population Growth and their resources at www.NPG.org.

—Camille Kirch
The Illinois Institute of Art - Chicago



Negative Population Growth, Inc. (NPG) is a national nonprofit membership organization with over 30,000 members nationwide. It was founded in 1972 to educate the American public and political leaders about the devastating effects of overpopulation on our environment, resources, and standard of living. We believe that our nation is already vastly overpopulated in terms of the long-range carrying capacity of its resources and environment.

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