

# In-class Essays

PHIL 105

Tuesday, December 4

In the space provided please answer **two** of the following questions:

1. Explain what food insecurity is. Explain the “principle of preventing bad occurrences”. How does Singer use this principle to argue for supporting the food insecure? What objections might we raise for this argument? Are any of these objections convincing? Defend your answer.
2. The interests of the food industry are misaligned with those of public health. Explain this misalignment. Does the structure of the industrial food system present an instance of “moral hazard”? Defend your answer.
3. “Local” agriculture privileges geographic and cultural locality when making food consumption and production choices. Describe at least **three** advantages & disadvantages of each “local” and “global” form of agriculture. Is one form of agriculture preferable to the other? Defend your answer.





