Countries should provide enough food for their own people and therefore lessen exportation of food abroad, if needed. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

Recently, many countries are exporting food products to other nations, while their own citizens are in need of it. Some people argue that selling food products to other countries should be minimized. I totally agree that the government should cut down the food exportation level to provide food to the poor people and to boost our economy.

There are several reasons why food should not be exported if there is a shortage in the local country. One of the main reasons is to provide food to the citizens who cannot afford it. Every country has their own poverty level and there will be thousands of people starving for a meal every day. The government should take actions to give those excess food products, which are exported, to the poor, which are to be exported. For instance, India exports rice to developed countries, while so many local children and adults are in need of it. If those rice products are given to the poor citizens, it will help them to lead a healthy life without hunger.

The other reason is to enhance our economy by selling those food items internally. The local farmers who are in need of money sell their farmed food products to developed nations to get a high income. Since, the price for those food products is high in those countries. This results in domestic inflation of prices for those food items because of scarcity, which produces negative effects to our economy. For example, many farmers in India exported onions to nearby nations, when there was only less number an insufficient amount of onions to buy in their own country. Thus, the price of onions increased massively, which in turn affected India’s economy.

In conclusion, after analyzing the benefits of cutting down the exportation of food; in my opinion, it is essential that the government look after their own citizens rather than trading it. I believe it assists their country’s economy to grow and to help the poor people, who are in need of food.

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### Cohesion and Coherence

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Excellent overall structure

in some places things could be stated a little more clearly

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**Comment [u9]:** you don’t want to make it sound like you against all exporting of food - that’s not the question is only about exporting food when there’s not enough for local citizens

**Comment [u10]:** Makes it clearer that this is in the local country

**Comment [u11]:** you need this part here at about India to make the later part about India make sense

### Vocabulary

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Errors with word choice:

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Errors with word endings:

### Grammar

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Errors with sentence structure

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to get a high income.

**Comment [u12]:** It’s not a competition!

**Comment [u13]:** Makes it clearer that this is in the local country

**Comment [u14]:** or " are not able to afford it"

**Comment [u15]:** putting this here makes it seem like the poor people should be exported!
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