Notes To Teachers And Students.

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SUGGESTIONS ABOUT ACTIVITIES

In a January 1995 speech, the Director-General of the World Trade Organization, Peter Sutherland, said: "Of the nearly two billion people who will be added to the world's population in the next 20 years, 95 out of 100 will be born [in developing countries]. One consequence is that between now and the year 2015, the number of new jobs required to keep unemployment unchanged in the developing world will exceed the current populations of Western Europe and North America combined." As chairperson of the G-7 Summit, how would you focus the attention of leaders on this issue rather than on the issue of unemployment in their own countries? Would you even try? Discuss.

Invite a member of your local Chamber of Commerce to your classroom to discuss what industries in your community export goods or services. Determine what role exports play in your community.

Canada is a Pacific country, has a strong European heritage, and is linked into a free trade agreement with the world's largest and most dynamic economy — the United States'. These three factors give us access to the world's three major trading blocs; something that no other nation enjoys. Develop an advertising slogan and marketing strategy based on these advantages that could be used by trade officials in Canada's foreign missions. Send your plan to International Trade Minister Roy MacLaren, Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade, 125 Sussex Drive, Ottawa, Ontario, K1A 0G4.

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