

## Key Issue #4: Why Might the World Face an Overpopulation Problem? (69)

**Before you read:** Do you believe the world will soon face an overpopulation problem? Why or why not?

**BYR:**

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1. Explain Thomas Malthus's (1766 – 1834) view on world population and the future. 1.

2. Explain two ways Neo-Malthusians have changed Malthus's original theory. 2a.

2b.

3. Explain two criticisms of Malthus's theory. 3a.

3b.

4. Why didn't Malthus's views concerning world population come true? 4.

5. Describe two ways of reducing the natural increase rate (NIR). 5a.

5b.

6. Define **epidemiology**. 6.

6.

7. What are the main cause(s) of death in each of the four (five) stages of the DTM?

7a. Stage One:

7b. Stage Two:

7c. Stage Three:

7d. Stage Four:

7e. (Stage Five):

8. How has AIDS impacted Sub-Saharan Africa. Give three examples.

8a.

8b.

8c.

**After you read:** In a sentence, write a main idea that answers the key issue question posed.

**AYR:**