

Topic 2: Write a persuasive essay explaining why people should adopt a vegan lifestyle. In your essay, consider the environmental, ethical, and health benefits of veganism. Use evidence and examples to support your argument.

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For too long, factory farming has been an overwhelming part of animal cruelty. Slaughter houses are immoral stains on our community! Imagine the pain a cow, pig, chicken, duck or other beautiful creatures undergo during the killing – just for a barbecue. 99% of piteous animals are crammed into wire mesh cages, metal boxes, or other windowless sheds. These animals will never raise their families, build habitats, or **do** anything else. They might never see the sun or breathe fresh air. Put yourself in their shoes – they are hopeless, helpless, **and** pathetic. They do not have the choice to be murdered, but we have the choice to murder them.

As Jonathan Safran Foer stated, “Factory farming, of course, does not cause all the world’s problems, but it is remarkable just how many of them intersect there.” Animals are crammed into tiny spaces, and often they die from **the** disease. Picture the devastation and demise! The beautiful creatures that die day after day, as if lives are tissues to be thrown away and wasted, suffer fear and torment in slaughter houses. Often they don’t even have enough space to turn or lie down comfortably. The animals are fed chemicals and vitamins to make them grow fat or produce an unnatural amount of eggs or milk before being slaughtered. Furthermore, these chemicals also threaten human health. Paul McCartney from PETA announced, “If **slaughter houses** **slaughterhouses** had glass walls, everyone in the world would be vegan.” Imagine the yelps and screams of pure pain in their dying moments as the creatures meet their death. The splatters of blood and inequality all over the place. Think about the loss and moral implications!

However, there is a ray of hope, a beacon of light, a call for unity **for in** this depressing, cruel situation. Many people never thought about veganism, but here’s a reason to – factory farming. Veganism also has plenty of benefits, including reducing the risk of cancer, type 2 diabetes and heart disease. It can promote weight loss, and plant-based diets can supply vitamins that you need. Pollutants can have serious health consequences for people who work **in on** farms and those who live in the neighbourhood. Ammonia can cause breathing problems, including lung disease, and exposure to the particulate matter over a longer period is linked **with to** heart attacks. Asthma rates are higher in people who live near a factory farm. Animal agriculture is 16.5 **percent per cent** of human-generated greenhouse gases, which makes eating a hamburger more harmful than those gas es that come out of your car!

Factory farming is a spiteful and hideous practice on gaunt animals that have no choice **but** to die. The animals that die of infection, **that** are not eaten, **and that** are treated horribly, can never feel the sun on their backs or walk the earth. No creature deserves to live like this. This is a wake- up call to justice and veganism – to stop factory farming and **slaughter houses**, and to live a healthy, plant-based life. What is veganism? Veganism: a chance at redemption.

Good job in making a solid piece! Your standpoint here is clear, and great utilisation of emotions is evident. Besides that, it is also good that you provided key points that supports your main idea however, try to follow

the PECS formula completely. Evidence, examples, and research studies should have also been included to support your points. Moreover, you may also explain your viewpoints through logos. Remember, accumulation of knowledge is key; asking insightful questions based on gaps in your piece would enhance the quality of your work. Please consider my suggestions to improve your writing.

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