

## Hand out 7.1

### ***Why has Wanjiku dropped out of school?***

1. Why did Wanjiku's parents take her out of school?
2. Why did Nyambura's mother decide to keep her in school?
3. What might the mother's proverb mean? "Educate a boy and you educate one person; educate a girl and you educate a nation." Do you agree with the mother? Why or why not?
4. How might Nyambura's future differ from Wanjiku's as a result of her having gone to school?
5. Which girl might get married and have children first? Why?

### ***Fatima's Story***

1. Why does Fatima not want to have anymore children?
2. Why does her mother in law want her to have more sons?
3. Why is it important for Zarin to go to school instead of taking care of her brothers and sisters?
4. What would you do if you were Fatima: would you listen to your mother in law or go with your own decision?

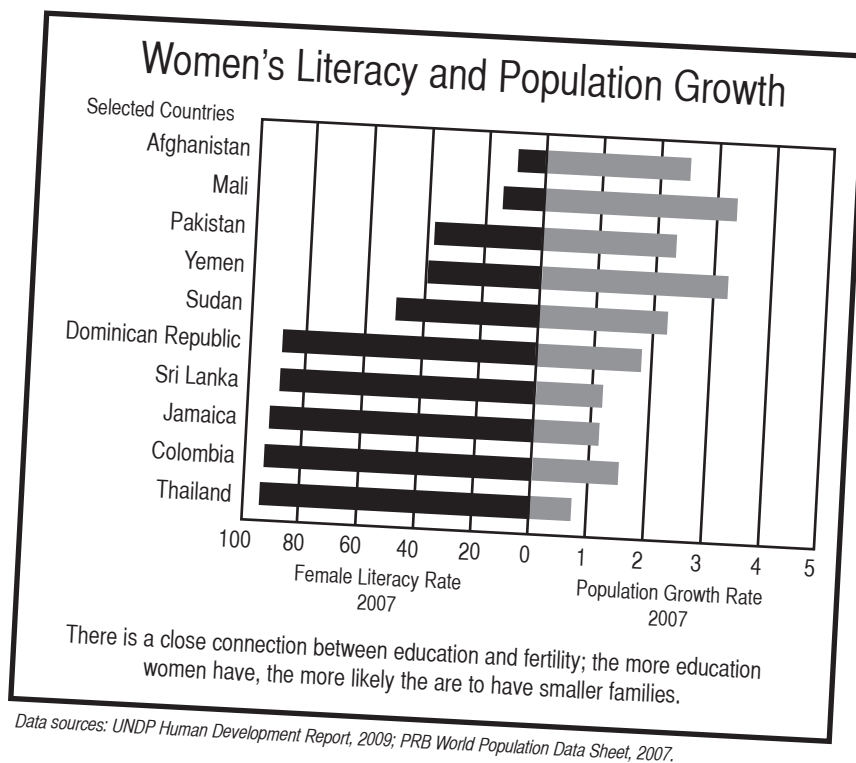
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### Student Worksheet – Page 2 of 2

#### Part 2: Graph Interpretation

1. On the graph below, which country has the highest female literacy rate?
2. Which country has the highest population growth rate?
3. What might be the relation or connection between the female literacy rate and the population growth rate?



## Hand out 7.2

### ***What's your Perspective? Chart***

“Why has Wanjiku dropped out of School?”

Wanjiku and her Family	
What are your needs?	What are your concerns?
What events have impacted your life?	How do you feel about this?
Summarize your situation:	

Nyambura and her Family	
What are your needs?	What are your concerns?
What events have impacted your life?	How do you feel about this?
Summarize your situation:	

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“Fatima’s Story”

Fatima	
What are your needs?	What are your concerns?
What events have impacted your life?	How do you feel about this?
Summarize your situation:	

Fatima's mother in Law	
What are your needs?	What are your concerns?
What events have impacted your life?	How do you feel about this?
Summarize your situation:	