## Sorting Opportunities Name:

On the chart below, sort the opportunities that you cut out into the **poorest** column that you think that statement is true of. For example “can afford to breathe air would go in Extreme Poverty because everyone can afford that. When finished, you will write the correct answers into each column.

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| **Extreme Poverty** | **Poverty** | **Working Class** | **Middle Class** | **Upper Class** | **Top 1%** |
| Income: | Income: | Income: | Income: | Income: | Income: |
| Opportunities: | Opportunities: | Opportunities: | Opportunities: | Opportunities: | Opportunities: |

### Answers after activity

Answer each of the questions below.

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| Which opportunity’s placement did you find the most surprising? Why? |

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| Do you think it’s okay that some people live in extreme poverty in America? Why / why not? |

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| What’s the lowest level of income that should be “okay” for people to live at in America? Why? |

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| Do you think it would be fair for America to reduce the income of the richest classes in order to help people living in poverty? Why? |