Global Inequalities: Economic Development and Quality of Life

The Emperor's New Clothes
70178 VHS Video
53 min I 1995 National Film Board
This documentary looks at life before, during and after the signing of the North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA). It looks at the profound effects that economic agreements between big business and government can have on economies. ***Please note coarse language.***
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International Trade, Tomorrow's Challenges
330 64869 VHS Video
35 min I 1996 National Film Board
International trade - each country takes advantage of its available resources by specializing in specific types of production based on its areas of comparative advantage. Producers & government in countries try to make rational and effective use of resources to produce goods and services at competitive prices for markets around the World. Tomorrow's challenges - this Program on the video presents two scenarios describing Canada's socio-economic situation in the year 2010.
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Production, Consumption
330 64868 VHS Video
31 min I 1996 National Film Board
Production - goods & services are produced by different types & sizes of businesses. Businesses are created by people with initiative and leadership who are willing to take risks. By improving their productivity & efficiency, businesses can improve their market performance. Consumption - our desire to endlessly consume to satisfy our wants is restrained by our limited incomes and assets. In order to increase their sales, businesses improve the quality & attractiveness of their products, try to forecast trends in consumption, and advertise.
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