

## **B. Practice in comprehending and analysing social science texts:**

Paul Farmer's (2009) On Suffering and Structural Violence: A View From Below. *Race/Ethnicity: Multidisciplinary Global Contexts* 3(1): 11-28.

1. Why does Farmer argue that "The stories of Acephie and Chouchou are anything but 'anecdotal'"?
2. What does it mean to say that "suffering is structured"?
3. Is injustice violence?
4. Define structural violence.
5. Look around you and identify an example of structural violence. Be sure to explain why you think it is an example of structural violence, i.e. explain how "suffering is structured" in the instance you have identified.