



Question 1

Walmart was founded by Sam ~~Wal~~ Walton in 1962. On the 2<sup>nd</sup> of July in that year the shop Walmart was built on Walnut ~~an~~ avenue and many others were built. ~~Rec~~ Recently, Walmart has extended itself in Africa. Many would be for and against <sup>so</sup> the idea because of many understandable reasons.

People like Mrs Ngoko would be against the idea. Mrs Ngoko has a small business selling ~~tomatoes~~ tomatoes at 5p each. It is difficult for her as those selling at her right and left have an identical stock this slows her business down, how much worse if a supermarket moved in. Mrs Ngoko and many others need the money the profit from their hard work to pay for their children's education and medicine as well as other vital necessities. With Walmart moving in she will be out of business and may not be able to work in Walmart because of her lack in education.

Others that would be against the idea are other supermarkets or retailers who are trying to become better, better and bigger than them. They may say that Walmart is already the largest ~~public~~ public multinational corporation, what else do they want. I need to stop growing.

An ~~ex~~ example of those that would be for the idea is Walmart. As a retailing organisation, Walmart have the right to want to expand themselves, ~~and~~ grow and to either raise or keep to the ~~the~~ standard they have achieved to



reach. By moving to South Africa they are opening new market opportunities. 50

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The government may also agree with this idea because they want South Africa to be known for good marketing <sup>and</sup> for South Africa to be a good economy. The government may also try and help those with small businesses in any way possible but that depends on how strong the government is. 50.

In my opinion Walmart will most probably a bad impact in South Africa because many small businesses will be destroyed because Walmart can probably afford to charge things for cheaper prices and many will prefer to buy from supermarkets. Small businesses can most probably still continue to run if they move right next to residential areas so residents do not have to travel to buy groceries and other things. 60

Those that may be for and against the idea are the general people that have heard of this situation through the news or from a person like me. They may think that although it is not fair on those like Mrs Ngido, Walmart need to extend themselves so that those who need many can buy groceries that are of good quality and that is affordable. instead of buy 60

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They might think it is better to buy from a supermarket than to buy from the market on the streets where there is a lot of dust and there are fumes and gases. ~~and~~ Also there could be ~~more~~ mosquitos and flies to spoil the food. ~~43~~ 43

For relatives living in South Africa I would say to try and work in Walmart if they can and support those can't. They may be of high profession already and can donate some of their money to those whose businesses have been destroyed. <sup>43</sup>

In summary I think that it ~~would~~ have been best if Walmart didn't move in but a few small shops moved in instead.