Population Policies: Honors Global Studies
Pronatalist/Expansive

Why would a country want to increase its birth rate?

How can Paul Ryan encourage higher birth rates in America?
Let’s Look at Japan
Conception Day (Like Valentine’s Day, but…) 

In 2005 Gov. Sergey Ivanovich Morozov of Ulyanovsk, a region about 800 kilometres east of Moscow, added an element of fun to the national campaign by declaring September 12th the Day of Conception and giving couples time off from work to procreate. The 2007 grand prize went to Irina and Andrei Kartuzov, who received a UAZ-Patriot, a sport utility vehicle made in Ulyanovsk. Other contestants won video cameras, TVs, refrigerators and washing machines.
Restrictive/Anti Natalist population policies

Range from toleration of unapproved birth control to outright prohibition of large families.

Why would this be needed?
Let’s Look at What Thailand did
China

In 1971, they started a Later, Longer, Fewer campaign, similar to this one in India.
1979 - One Child Policy

Rewards
• free medical care
• free daycare and schooling
• guaranteed job for child
• bonuses for parents
• extra maternity leave
• better housing
• bigger old age pension

Penalties
• must repay financial benefits
• educational, medical benefits withdrawn
• guaranteed jobs are withdrawn
• parents’ wages reduced
Did it work?

Let’s look at their population pyramid again

Or maybe they were just hiding?!
Eugenics population policies

- Favors one *racial* or cultural sector over others.

Here’s [backgrounder on Eugenics](#)