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## Level 3

### Jews in UK want to leave because of hate crimes

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# THE ARTICLE

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1708/170822-hate-crimes.html>

Many Jews in Britain want to leave the country because of an increase in anti-Semitism hate crimes. Anti-Semitism is hostility towards or discrimination against Jews. It is a hate crime. A recent increase in anti-Semitism has made one third of Jewish people in Britain want to move overseas. New research shows that only 59 per cent of British Jews feel welcome in the UK, which is their home. More than 10,000 British Jews were interviewed in the large-scale study. Around 40 per cent of Britain's Jews said they felt afraid and hid their religion in public. The research is from the Campaign Against Anti-Semitism (CAA). It found there has been a 45 per cent surge in anti-Semitic crime since 2014.

The study revealed that more than three-quarters believed that Britain's largest left-wing political party, the Labour Party, has fuelled anti-Semitism. People said its negative opinions on Israel created bad feeling towards Jews. They also said its leader failed to crack down on anti-Semitism within the party. Another reason was the fact that very few anti-Semitic hate crimes go to court. Fewer than 24 such crimes go to court each year. The CAA warned that: "Without urgent change, British Jews may start to leave, as has happened elsewhere in Europe." The UK government said: "There can never be an excuse for hatred towards the Jewish community, and wherever we find it, we shall oppose and challenge it."

Sources: <http://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-4806578/One-British-Jews-considered-quitting-UK.html>  
<http://www.jpost.com/Diaspora/Poll-1-in-3-British-Jews-have-considered-emigrating-due-to-antisemitism-502920>  
<https://www.thesun.co.uk/news/4281039/jews-leaving-uk-poll-hate-crime/>

# WARM-UPS

**1. HATE CRIMES:** Students walk around the class and talk to other students about hate crimes. Change partners often and share your findings.

**2. CHAT:** In pairs / groups, talk about these topics or words from the article. What will the article say about them? What can you say about these words and your life?

country / increase / hostility / discrimination / welcome / interviewed / religion / political party / anti-Semitism / negative / opinions / reason / urgent / excuse

Have a chat about the topics you liked. Change topics and partners frequently.

**3. PUNISHMENT:** Students A **strongly** believe punishments for hate crimes should be doubled; Students B **strongly** believe not. Change partners again and talk about your conversations.

**4. SOLUTIONS:** How can we reduce hate crimes in society? Complete this table with your partner(s). Change partners often and share what you wrote.

	How?	Effectiveness?
Schools		
Police		
Internet		
Television		
Public transport		
Celebrities		

**5. HATE:** Spend one minute writing down all of the different words you associate with the word "hate". Share your words with your partner(s) and talk about them. Together, put the words into different categories.

**6. TYPES:** Rank these with your partner. Put the most difficult hate crimes to address at the top. Change partners often and share your rankings.

- bullying
- harassment
- verbal abuse
- insults
- offensive graffiti
- hate mail
- physical assault
- social media attacks

# BEFORE READING / LISTENING

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1708/170822-hate-crimes.html>

**1. TRUE / FALSE:** Read the headline. Guess if a-h below are true (T) or false (F).

- a. Many British Jews no longer want to live in Britain. **T / F**
- b. Most Jews who were questioned still feel welcome in Britain. **T / F**
- c. About 40% of British Jews said they hid their religion in public. **T / F**
- d. Anti-Semitic crime has increase by 45% in the past three years. **T / F**
- e. Most Jews in Britain believe a left-wing party fuels anti-Semitism. **T / F**
- f. Britain's Labour Party is excellent at cracking down on anti-Semitism. **T / F**
- g. Thousands of anti-Semitic crimes go to court each year. **T / F**
- h. The UK government has not commented on anti-Semitism. **T / F**

## 2. SYNONYM MATCH:

Match the following synonyms. The words in **bold** are from the news article.

- |                         |                    |
|-------------------------|--------------------|
| <b>1. increase</b>      | a. research        |
| <b>2. hostility</b>     | b. abroad          |
| <b>3. overseas</b>      | c. in other places |
| <b>4. study</b>         | d. showed          |
| <b>5. found</b>         | e. rise            |
| <b>6. revealed</b>      | f. beliefs         |
| <b>7. opinions</b>      | g. stop            |
| <b>8. crack down on</b> | h. unfriendliness  |
| <b>9. elsewhere</b>     | i. question        |
| <b>10. challenge</b>    | j. discovered      |

**3. PHRASE MATCH:** (Sometimes more than one choice is possible.)

- |  |                          |
|--|--------------------------|
| 1. Many Jews in Britain want           | a. opinions on Israel    |
| 2. hostility towards or discrimination | b. in anti-Semitic crime |
| 3. interviewed in the large-           | c. for hatred            |
| 4. hid their religion                  | d. to leave the country  |
| 5. there has been a 45 per cent surge  | e. scale study           |
| 6. Britain's largest left-wing         | f. down on anti-Semitism |
| 7. its negative                        | g. political party       |
| 8. its leader failed to crack          | h. in public             |
| 9. There can never be an excuse        | i. and challenge it      |
| 10. we shall oppose                    | j. against Jews          |

# GAP FILL

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1708/170822-hate-crimes.html>

Many Jews in Britain want to (1) \_\_\_\_\_ the country because of an increase in anti-Semitism hate crimes. Anti-Semitism is (2) \_\_\_\_\_ towards or discrimination against Jews. It is a hate crime. A recent increase in anti-Semitism has made one (3) \_\_\_\_\_ of Jewish people in Britain want to move (4) \_\_\_\_\_. New research shows that only 59 per cent of British Jews feel (5) \_\_\_\_\_ in the UK, which is their home. More than 10,000 British Jews were interviewed in the large-(6) \_\_\_\_\_ study. Around 40 per cent of Britain's Jews said they felt afraid and hid their (7) \_\_\_\_\_ in public. The research is from the Campaign Against Anti-Semitism (CAA). It found there has been a 45 per cent (8) \_\_\_\_\_ in anti-Semitic crime since 2014.

welcome  
religion  
hostility  
overseas  
scale  
leave  
surge  
third

The study revealed that more than three-(9) \_\_\_\_\_ believed that Britain's largest left-(10) \_\_\_\_\_ political party, the Labour Party, has fuelled anti-Semitism. People said its (11) \_\_\_\_\_ opinions on Israel created bad feeling towards Jews. They also said its leader failed to (12) \_\_\_\_\_ down on anti-Semitism within the party. Another reason was the (13) \_\_\_\_\_ that very few anti-Semitic hate crimes go to court. Fewer than 24 such crimes go to court each year. The CAA warned that: "Without (14) \_\_\_\_\_ change, British Jews may start to leave, as has happened elsewhere in Europe." The UK government said: "There can never be an (15) \_\_\_\_\_ for hatred towards the Jewish community, and wherever we find it, we shall oppose and (16) \_\_\_\_\_ it."

fact  
wing  
challenge  
quarters  
crack  
excuse  
negative  
urgent

# LISTENING – Guess the answers. Listen to check.

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- 1) Anti-Semitism is hostility towards or discrimination \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. again Jews
  - b. aghast Jews
  - c. against Jews
  - d. a gains Jews
- 2) made one third of Jewish people in Britain want to \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. moves overseas
  - b. moved overseas
  - c. moving overseas
  - d. move overseas
- 3) More than 10,000 British Jews were interviewed in the \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. large-scale studies
  - b. large-scale study
  - c. large-scale studied
  - d. large-scale studying
- 4) Around 40 per cent of Britain's Jews said they felt afraid and hid their \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. religion in public
  - b. region on public
  - c. religion an public
  - d. region in public
- 5) It found there has been a 45 per cent surge in anti-Semitic crime \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. since 2014
  - b. since 2015
  - c. since 2016
  - d. since 2017
- 6) more than three-quarters believed that Britain's largest left-wing \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. politics party
  - b. politically party
  - c. politic all party
  - d. political party
- 7) People said its negative opinions on Israel created bad feeling \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. too wards Jews
  - b. two wards Jews
  - c. towards Jews
  - d. to wards Jews
- 8) Another reason was the fact that very few anti-Semitic hate crimes \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. going to court
  - b. goes to court
  - c. go to court
  - d. gone to court
- 9) Without urgent change, British Jews may start to leave, as has happened \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. else wearer in Europe
  - b. else wear in Europe
  - c. else when in Europe
  - d. elsewhere in Europe
- 10) There can never be an excuse for hatred towards the \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. Jewish commune city
  - b. Jewish commune it
  - c. Jewish community
  - d. Jewish communes

# LISTENING – Listen and fill in the gaps

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1708/170822-hate-crimes.html>

Many Jews in Britain (1) \_\_\_\_\_ the country because of an increase in anti-Semitism hate crimes. Anti-Semitism (2) \_\_\_\_\_ or discrimination against Jews. It is a hate crime. A recent increase in anti-Semitism has made (3) \_\_\_\_\_ Jewish people in Britain want to move overseas. New research shows that only 59 per cent of British Jews feel (4) \_\_\_\_\_ UK, which is their home. More than 10,000 British Jews were interviewed in the large-scale study. Around 40 per cent of Britain's Jews said (5) \_\_\_\_\_ and hid their religion in public. The research is from the Campaign Against Anti-Semitism (CAA). It found there has been a 45 per (6) \_\_\_\_\_ anti-Semitic crime since 2014.

The study revealed that more than (7) \_\_\_\_\_ that Britain's largest left-wing political party, the Labour Party, has fuelled anti-Semitism. People (8) \_\_\_\_\_ opinions on Israel created bad feeling towards Jews. They also (9) \_\_\_\_\_ failed to crack down on anti-Semitism within the party. Another reason was the fact that very few anti-Semitic hate crimes (10) \_\_\_\_\_. Fewer than 24 such crimes go to court each year. The CAA warned that: "Without urgent change, British Jews may (11) \_\_\_\_\_, as has happened elsewhere in Europe." The UK government said: "There can never be an excuse for hatred towards the Jewish community, and wherever we find it, we (12) \_\_\_\_\_ challenge it."

# COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1708/170822-hate-crimes.html>

1. What proportion of Jews want to leave Britain?
2. What percentage of British Jews does not feel welcome in the UK?
3. How many British Jews took part in the research?
4. What do about 40% of British Jews hide in public?
5. How much has anti-Semitism risen since 2014?
6. What party did the article say fuelled anti-Semitism?
7. What did the article say a leader did not crack down on?
8. How many anti-Semitic crimes go to court each year in the UK?
9. What did the CAA say needed to happen urgently?
10. What did the UK government say they would challenge and oppose?

# MULTIPLE CHOICE - QUIZ

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1708/170822-hate-crimes.html>

- 1) What proportion of Jews want to leave Britain?
  - a) a fifth
  - b) a quarter
  - c) a third
  - d) a half
- 2) What percentage of British Jews does not feel welcome in the UK?
  - a) 59%
  - b) 48%
  - c) 40%
  - d) 45%
- 3) How many British Jews took part in the research?
  - a) over 10,000
  - b) fewer than 10,000
  - c) exactly 10,000
  - d) about 10,000
- 4) What do about 40% of British Jews hide in public?
  - a) their real name
  - b) their religion
  - c) their mobile phone
  - d) their address
- 5) How much has anti-Semitism risen since 2014?
  - a) 59%
  - b) 40%
  - c) 55%
  - d) 45%
- 6) What party did the article say fuelled anti-Semitism?
  - a) UKIP
  - b) the Labour Party
  - c) the Conservative Party
  - d) the Liberal Party
- 7) What did the article say a leader did not crack down on?
  - a) anti-Semitism
  - b) its members
  - c) crime
  - d) the Conservatives
- 8) How many anti-Semitic crimes go to court each year in the UK?
  - a) about 24
  - b) exactly 24
  - c) fewer than 24
  - d) around 24
- 9) What did the CAA say needed to happen urgently?
  - a) education
  - b) revolution
  - c) new laws
  - d) change
- 10) What did the UK government say they would challenge and oppose?
  - a) hatred towards the Jewish community
  - b) new laws
  - c) the Labour Party
  - d) excuses

# ROLE PLAY

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## **Role A – Hate Mail**

You think hate mail is most difficult hate crime to stop. Tell the others three reasons why. Tell them why their hate crimes aren't as difficult to stop. Also, tell the others which is the easiest of these to stop (and why): social media attacks, offensive graffiti or verbal abuse.

## **Role B – Social Media Attacks**

You think social media attacks are most difficult hate crimes to stop. Tell the others three reasons why. Tell them why their hate crimes aren't as difficult to stop. Also, tell the others which is the easiest of these to stop (and why): hate mail, offensive graffiti or verbal abuse.

## **Role C – Offensive Graffiti**

You think offensive graffiti is most difficult hate crime to stop. Tell the others three reasons why. Tell them why their hate crimes aren't as difficult to stop. Also, tell the others which is the easiest of these to stop (and why): social media attacks, hate mail or verbal abuse.

## **Role D – Verbal Abuse**

You think verbal abuse is most difficult hate crime to stop. Tell the others three reasons why. Tell them why their hate crimes aren't as difficult to stop. Also, tell the others which is the easiest of these to stop (and why): social media attacks, offensive graffiti or hate mail.

# AFTER READING / LISTENING

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1708/170822-hate-crimes.html>

**1. WORD SEARCH:** Look in your dictionary / computer to find collocates, other meanings, information, synonyms ... for the words 'hate' and 'crime'.

<b>hate</b>	<b>crime</b>
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- Share your findings with your partners.
- Make questions using the words you found.
- Ask your partner / group your questions.

**2. ARTICLE QUESTIONS:** Look back at the article and write down some questions you would like to ask the class about the text.

- Share your questions with other classmates / groups.
- Ask your partner / group your questions.

**3. GAP FILL:** In pairs / groups, compare your answers to this exercise. Check your answers. Talk about the words from the activity. Were they new, interesting, worth learning...?

**4. VOCABULARY:** Circle any words you do not understand. In groups, pool unknown words and use dictionaries to find their meanings.

**5. TEST EACH OTHER:** Look at the words below. With your partner, try to recall how they were used in the text:

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• hostility</li><li>• third</li><li>• 59</li><li>• 10,000</li><li>• 40</li><li>• 45</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• left</li><li>• negative</li><li>• feeling</li><li>• 24</li><li>• elsewhere</li><li>• oppose</li></ul>
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# HATE CRIMES SURVEY

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1708/170822-hate-crimes.html>

Write five GOOD questions about hate crimes in the table. Do this in pairs. Each student must write the questions on his / her own paper. When you have finished, interview other students. Write down their answers.

	STUDENT 1 _____	STUDENT 2 _____	STUDENT 3 _____
Q.1.			
Q.2.			
Q.3.			
Q.4.			
Q.5.			

- Now return to your original partner and share and talk about what you found out. Change partners often.
- Make mini-presentations to other groups on your findings.

# HATE CRIMES DISCUSSION

STUDENT A's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student B)

1. What did you think when you read the headline?
2. What images are in your mind when you hear the word 'hate'?
3. Why does anti-Semitism exist?
4. How much anti-Semitism exists in your country?
5. What other forms of hate exist in your country?
6. Have you ever been discriminated against?
7. Are hate crimes increasing or decreasing today?
8. How would it feel to feel unwelcome in your own country?
9. How has the Internet increased hate crime?
10. Would you ever hide your religion?

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# HATE CRIMES DISCUSSION

STUDENT B's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student A)

11. Did you like reading this article? Why/not?
12. What do you think of when you hear the word 'crime'?
13. What do you think about what you read?
14. What should happen to people who commit anti-Semitic crimes?
15. Should children learn about the dangers of hate crimes?
16. Why do so few anti-Semitic hate crimes go to court?
17. What kinds of racism exists in your country?
18. How can governments create more tolerant societies?
19. How can we oppose and challenge anti-Semitism?
20. What questions would you like to ask the researchers?

# DISCUSSION (Write your own questions)

STUDENT A's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student B)

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_
6. \_\_\_\_\_

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# DISCUSSION (Write your own questions)

STUDENT B's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student A)

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_
6. \_\_\_\_\_

# LANGUAGE - CLOZE

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1708/170822-hate-crimes.html>

Many Jews in Britain want to leave the country because (1) \_\_\_\_ an increase in anti-Semitism hate crimes. Anti-Semitism is (2) \_\_\_\_ towards or discrimination against Jews. It is a hate (3) \_\_\_\_\_. A recent increase in anti-Semitism has made one third of Jewish people in Britain want to move overseas. New research shows that only 59 per cent of British Jews (4) \_\_\_\_ welcome in the UK, which is their home. More than 10,000 British Jews were interviewed in the large-scale study. Around 40 per cent of Britain's Jews said they felt (5) \_\_\_\_ and hid their religion in public. The research is from the Campaign Against Anti-Semitism (CAA). It found there has been a 45 per cent (6) \_\_\_\_ in anti-Semitic crime since 2014.

The study revealed that more than three-quarters believed that Britain's largest left-(7) \_\_\_\_ political party, the Labour Party, has (8) \_\_\_\_ anti-Semitism. People said its negative opinions on Israel created bad feeling towards Jews. They also said its leader failed to crack (9) \_\_\_\_ on anti-Semitism within the party. Another reason was the fact that very few anti-Semitic hate crimes go to court. Fewer than 24 such crimes go to court (10) \_\_\_\_ year. The CAA warned that: "Without urgent change, British Jews may start to leave, as has happened elsewhere in Europe." The UK government said: "There can never be an (11) \_\_\_\_ for hatred towards the Jewish community, and wherever we find it, we shall oppose and (12) \_\_\_\_ it."

## Put the correct words from the table below in the above article.

- |     |               |                 |                |                 |
|-----|---------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|
| 1.  | (a) from      | (b) of          | (c) for        | (d) off         |
| 2.  | (a) hostilely | (b) hostility   | (c) hosting    | (d) hostile     |
| 3.  | (a) criminal  | (b) criminality | (c) crime      | (d) criminalize |
| 4.  | (a) be        | (b) feel        | (c) get        | (d) have        |
| 5.  | (a) terrify   | (b) frighten    | (c) scary      | (d) afraid      |
| 6.  | (a) purge     | (b) merge       | (c) surge      | (d) verge       |
| 7.  | (a) wing      | (b) tip         | (c) area       | (d) beak        |
| 8.  | (a) fuels     | (b) fuelling    | (c) fuelled    | (d) fuel        |
| 9.  | (a) along     | (b) up          | (c) over       | (d) down        |
| 10. | (a) each      | (b) per         | (c) entire     | (d) whole       |
| 11. | (a) excuse    | (b) excise      | (c) exercise   | (d) excess      |
| 12. | (a) challenge | (b) challenges  | (c) challenger | (d) challenged  |

# SPELLING

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1708/170822-hate-crimes.html>

## Paragraph 1

1. otlyitsih towards or discrimination against
2. A etnerc increase in anti-Semitism
3. want to move vseerosa
4. dtneeeiivrw in the large-scale study
5. hid their orlniige in public
6. a 45 per cent sgure in anti-Semitic crime

## Paragraph 2

7. The study vereldea that
8. Britain's largest left-wing altiilocp party
9. its negative noiopisn on Israel
10. Without urtneg change
11. as has happened wrshleeee in Europe
12. we shall spoepo and challenge it

# PUT THE TEXT BACK TOGETHER

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1708/170822-hate-crimes.html>

**Number these lines in the correct order.**

- ( **1** ) Many Jews in Britain want to leave the country because of an increase in anti-Semitism hate
- ( ) overseas. New research shows that only 59 per cent of British Jews feel welcome in the UK, which is their
- ( ) leave, as has happened elsewhere in Europe." The UK government said: "There can never be
- ( ) Anti-Semitism (CAA). It found there has been a 45 per cent surge in anti-Semitic crime since 2014.
- ( ) feeling towards Jews. They also said its leader failed to crack down on anti-Semitism within the
- ( ) party, the Labour Party, has fuelled anti-Semitism. People said its negative opinions on Israel created bad
- ( ) they felt afraid and hid their religion in public. The research is from the Campaign Against
- ( ) crimes. Anti-Semitism is hostility towards or discrimination against Jews. It is a hate crime. A recent increase
- ( ) in anti-Semitism has made one third of Jewish people in Britain want to move
- ( ) The study revealed that more than three-quarters believed that Britain's largest left-wing political
- ( ) an excuse for hatred towards the Jewish community, and wherever we find it, we shall oppose and challenge it."
- ( ) party. Another reason was the fact that very few anti-Semitic hate crimes go to court. Fewer than 24 such
- ( ) home. More than 10,000 British Jews were interviewed in the large-scale study. Around 40 per cent of Britain's Jews said
- ( ) crimes go to court each year. The CAA warned that: "Without urgent change, British Jews may start to

# PUT THE WORDS IN THE RIGHT ORDER

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1708/170822-hate-crimes.html>

1. because of an the Semitism anti- increase country Leave in .
2. move in third Britain of want Jewish overseas people One to .
3. - British interviewed large study were the scale Jews in .
4. hid their religion in public Jews said they felt afraid and .
5. anti- cent a There surge 45 has Semitic in per been crime .
6. that that revealed three- believed study over quarters The .
7. bad opinions feeling on towards Israel Jews created Negative .
8. very The go Semitic few fact to hate anti- that court crimes .
9. elsewhere start , happened may leave has Jews to as .
10. an be never can There hatred for excuse .

# CIRCLE THE CORRECT WORD (20 PAIRS)

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1708/170822-hate-crimes.html>

Many Jews in Britain want to leave the country because of an increase *on / in* anti-Semitism hate crimes. Anti-Semitism is *hostility / hostile* towards or discrimination *against / for* Jews. It is a hate crime. A *recent / recently* increase in anti-Semitism has made one *thirdly / third* of Jewish people in Britain want to move overseas. New research shows that only 59 per cent of British Jews feel *welcoming / welcome* in the UK, which is their home. More than 10,000 British Jews were *intervened / interviewed* in the large-scale study. Around 40 per cent of Britain's Jews said they felt *scary / afraid* and hid their religion *in / on* public. The research is from the Campaign Against Anti-Semitism (CAA). It found there has been a 45 per cent *sage / surge* in anti-Semitic crime since 2014.

The study *revealed / revelation* that more than three-quarters believed that Britain's largest left-wing *politics / political* party, the Labour Party, has *fuelling / fuelled* anti-Semitism. People said its *negative / negatively* opinions on Israel created bad feeling towards Jews. They also said its leader failed *at / to* crack down on anti-Semitism within the party. Another reason was the fact that very few anti-Semitic hate crimes go *to / on* court. Fewer than 24 such crimes go to court *per / each* year. The CAA warned that: "Without urgent change, British Jews may start to leave, as has *happened / happen* elsewhere in Europe." The UK government said: "There can never be an *excuse / excused* for hatred towards the Jewish community, and wherever we find it, we shall *opposition / oppose* and challenge it."

**Talk about the connection between each pair of words in italics, and why the correct word is correct.**

# INSERT THE VOWELS (a, e, i, o, u)

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l\_\_v\_, \_s h\_s h\_pp\_n\_d \_ls wh\_r\_ \_n \_\_r\_p\_." Th\_ \_K  
g\_v\_rnm\_nt s\_\_d: "Th\_r\_c\_n n\_v\_r b\_\_n \_xc\_s\_f\_r  
h\_tr\_d t\_w\_rds th\_ J\_w\_sh c\_m\_m\_n\_ty, \_nd wh\_r\_v\_r  
w\_f\_nd\_t, w\_sh\_ll \_pp\_s\_\_nd ch\_ll\_ng\_\_t."

# PUNCTUATE THE TEXT AND ADD CAPITALS

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many jews in britain want to leave the country because of an increase in anti-Semitism hate crimes anti-semitism is hostility towards or discrimination against jews it is a hate crime a recent increase in anti-Semitism has made one third of jewish people in britain want to move overseas new research shows that only 59 per cent of british jews feel welcome in the uk which is their home more than 10000 british jews were interviewed in the large-scale study around 40 per cent of britain's jews said they felt afraid and hid their religion in public the research is from the campaign against anti-semitism (caa) it found there has been a 45 per cent surge in anti-semitic crime since 2014

the study revealed that more than three-quarters believed that britain's largest left-wing political party the labour party has fuelled anti-semitism people said its negative opinions on israel created bad feeling towards jews they also said its leader failed to crack down on anti-semitism within the party another reason was the fact that very few anti-semitic hate crimes go to court fewer than 24 such crimes go to court each year the caa warned that "without urgent change british jews may start to leave as has happened elsewhere in europe" the uk government said "there can never be an excuse for hatred towards the jewish community and wherever we find it we shall oppose and challenge it"

# PUT A SLASH ( / ) WHERE THE SPACES ARE

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Many Jews in Britain want to leave the country because of an increase in anti-Semitism and hate crimes. Anti-Semitism is hostility towards or discrimination against Jews. It is a hate crime. A recent increase in anti-Semitism has made one third of Jewish people in Britain want to move overseas. New research shows that only 59 percent of British Jews feel welcome in the UK, which is their home. More than 10,000 British Jews were interviewed in the large-scale study. Around 40 percent of Britain's Jews said they felt afraid and hid their religion in public. The research is from the Campaign Against Anti-Semitism (CAA). It found there has been a 45 percent surge in anti-Semitic crimes since 2014. The study revealed that more than three-quarters believed that Britain's largest left-wing political party, the Labour Party, has fuelled anti-Semitism. People said its negative opinion on Israel created bad feeling towards Jews. They also said its leader failed to crack down on anti-Semitism within the party. Another reason was the fact that very few anti-Semitic hate crimes go to court. Fewer than 24 such crimes go to court each year. The CAA warned that: "Without urgent change, British Jews may start to leave, as has happened elsewhere in Europe." The UK government said: "There can never be an excuse for hatred towards the Jewish community, and wherever we find it, we shall oppose and challenge it."





# HOMework

**1. VOCABULARY EXTENSION:** Choose several of the words from the text. Use a dictionary or Google's search field (or another search engine) to build up more associations / collocations of each word.

**2. INTERNET:** Search the Internet and find out more about this news. Share what you discover with your partner(s) in the next lesson.

**3. HATE CRIMES:** Make a poster about hate crimes. Show your work to your classmates in the next lesson. Did you all have similar things?

**4. PENALTIES:** Write a magazine article about doubling the penalties for anti-Semitism. Include imaginary interviews with people who are for and against this.

Read what you wrote to your classmates in the next lesson. Write down any new words and expressions you hear from your partner(s).

**5. WHAT HAPPENED NEXT?** Write a newspaper article about the next stage in this news story. Read what you wrote to your classmates in the next lesson. Give each other feedback on your articles.

**6. LETTER:** Write a letter to an expert on hate crimes. Ask him/her three questions about them. Give him/her three of your ideas on how to reduce anti-Semitism. Read your letter to your partner(s) in your next lesson. Your partner(s) will answer your questions.

# ANSWERS

## TRUE / FALSE (p.4)

a T    b F    c T    d T    e T    f F    g F    h F

## SYNONYM MATCH (p.4)

- |                  |                    |
|------------------|--------------------|
| 1. increase      | a. rise            |
| 2. hostility     | b. unfriendliness  |
| 3. overseas      | c. abroad          |
| 4. study         | d. research        |
| 5. found         | e. discovered      |
| 6. revealed      | f. showed          |
| 7. opinions      | g. beliefs         |
| 8. crack down on | h. stop            |
| 9. elsewhere     | i. in other places |
| 10. challenge    | j. question        |

## COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS (p.8)

1. A third
2. 59%
3. Over 10,000
4. Their religion
5. 45%
6. The Labour Party
7. Anti-Semitism
8. Fewer than 24
9. Change
10. Hatred towards the Jewish community

## MULTIPLE CHOICE - QUIZ (p.9)

1. c    2. a    3. a    4. b    5. d    6. b    7. a    8. c    9. d    10. a

## ALL OTHER EXERCISES

Please check for yourself by looking at the Article on page 2.  
(It's good for your English ;-)