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## Level 5

### Trump calls immigrant nations 'sh\*thole' countries

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# THE READING

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Donald Trump has caused outrage after he reportedly made racial slurs about Haiti, El Salvador and African countries. He was in a meeting on immigration when he asked why the US let people from "sh\*thole countries" in. He also reportedly said: "We need more people from Norway." Senator Dick Durbin described Trump's words as "hate filled, vile and racist". The White House did not deny that Trump made the remarks. It said: "Certain Washington politicians choose to fight for foreign countries, but President Trump will always fight for the American people."

There has been worldwide condemnation of Mr Trump's alleged comments. Republican Senator Mia Love said he had to apologize "to both the American people and to the nations he so wantonly maligned". The UN said the comments were "shocking" and "racist". Haiti's ambassador to the US stated: "If [the statements] were made, the President was either misinformed or mis-educated about Haiti." President Trump denied making the comments. He tweeted: "Never said anything derogatory about Haitians....I have a wonderful relationship with Haitians."

Sources: <https://www.politico.com/story/2018/01/11/trump-shithole-immigration-remark-337070>  
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# PHRASE MATCHING

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## PARAGRAPH ONE:

- |                                |                          |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. Donald Trump has caused     | a. immigration           |
| 2. he reportedly made racial   | b. for foreign countries |
| 3. He was in a meeting on      | c. the American people   |
| 4. We need more people         | d. slurs                 |
| 5. described Trump's words as  | e. from Norway           |
| 6. deny that Trump made        | f. outrage               |
| 7. politicians choose to fight | g. "hate filled"         |
| 8. Trump will always fight for | h. the remarks           |

## PARAGRAPH TWO:

- |                                    |                  |
|------------------------------------|------------------|
| 1. There has been worldwide        | a. apologize     |
| 2. Mr Trump's alleged              | b. the comments  |
| 3. Mia Love said he had to         | c. derogatory    |
| 4. Haiti's ambassador              | d. comments      |
| 5. mis-educated                    | e. to the US     |
| 6. Trump denied making             | f. with Haitians |
| 7. Never said anything             | g. condemnation  |
| 8. I have a wonderful relationship | h. about Haiti   |

# LISTEN AND FILL IN THE GAPS

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# PUT A SLASH ( / ) WHERE THE SPACES ARE

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# VULGAR LANGUAGE SURVEY

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/1801/180114-vulgar-language-4.html>

Write five GOOD questions about vulgar language 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.

## WRITE QUESTIONS & ASK YOUR PARTNER(S)

Student A: Do not show these to your speaking partner(s).

a) \_\_\_\_\_

b) \_\_\_\_\_

c) \_\_\_\_\_

d) \_\_\_\_\_

e) \_\_\_\_\_

f) \_\_\_\_\_

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## WRITE QUESTIONS & ASK YOUR PARTNER(S)

Student B: Do not show these to your speaking partner(s).

a) \_\_\_\_\_

b) \_\_\_\_\_

c) \_\_\_\_\_

d) \_\_\_\_\_

e) \_\_\_\_\_

f) \_\_\_\_\_

