

Task 1: fill in the gaps using the words below the text.

Anger at TV show with big age difference couples



A TV channel in the UK is under (1) _____ from members of the public for one of its programmes that follows the lives of (2) _____ with a big age difference. Viewers have (3) _____ the Channel 5 series Age Gap Love of "normalising grooming". The complaints came after a show that documented the (4) _____ of a couple who got together when the man was 44 and his partner was 16. The man was (5) _____ a friend of the 16-year-old's mother. He became friendly with the daughter when she was a child and started dating her when she (6) _____ 16. After this episode was aired, the channel received a (7) _____ of complaints from viewers who slammed the show for "making this (8) _____ seem normal".

The (9) _____ in the show are married and have two children. He is now 47 and she is 19. The man said: "I was (10) _____ what people would think. It's a big gap. It's a (11) _____ gap. So it's like, what are people going to think?" His wife also spoke about the relationship. She said: "The age doesn't really (12) _____ me. It never has done. I don't see him as an old man, or my dad, or anything like that. He's just (13) _____ - like a big teddy bear." She added: "I've always wanted to have a family, so I just thought he would be the (14) _____ man." Life has not been easy for the couple. When they first started (15) _____, they received a lot of (16) _____ from neighbours and the local community and had to move to another city.

ABUSE ACCOMPLISHED ACCUSED BOTHER CONCEPT
CONCERNED COUPLE COUPLES DATING FIRE
FLOOD GENERATION MIND ORIGINALLY PERFECT
RELATIONSHIP SENSIBLE SENSITIVE TURNED