

Unit 4: Reading Exercise

1. Answer True (T) or False (F) on the next sentences about the lecture

- One of the examples of corruption is a police officer taking money from a driver so he doesn't give the driver a speeding ticket ()
- Some people say that power does not promote corruption and that corruption can be easily avoided ()
- One of the many causes of poverty usually range from catastrophic natural events to bad economics and agricultural policies ()
- Some social scientists don't believe that movies and television contribute to growing anger. ()
- Racism and racial and ethnic discrimination don't exist in many places ()
- People believe that education help builds tolerance of the other and may contribute to a more peaceful world. ()

2. Understand from context. Match each definition with a word from the box.

A bribe	Genocide	Poverty	Corruption	Discrimination	Racism
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- _____ a lack of necessary money to survive
- _____ the attempt to destroy all members of a racial or ethnic heritage
- _____ judging or harming people because of their racial or ethnic heritage
- _____ money paid or some other reward given to a person to perform a dishonor or unethical act or to provide a favor
- _____ the abuse of power by people government or business
- _____ the belief that racial or ethnic groups are inferior to one's own

3. Activate language from a text. Based on the information in the reading, cross out the one word or phrase in each row that is unrelated to the others. Explaing your resaoning.

1. People	Politics	Ethnic groups	Races
2. Money	Property	Income	Racism
3. Bribe	Corruption	Discrimination	Money
4. Hunger	Starvation	Domination	Lack of food
5. Racism	Business	Discrimination	Prejudice

4. Critical Thinking. Discuss each of the following.

- What are some of the causes of poverty, and what are its effect?