

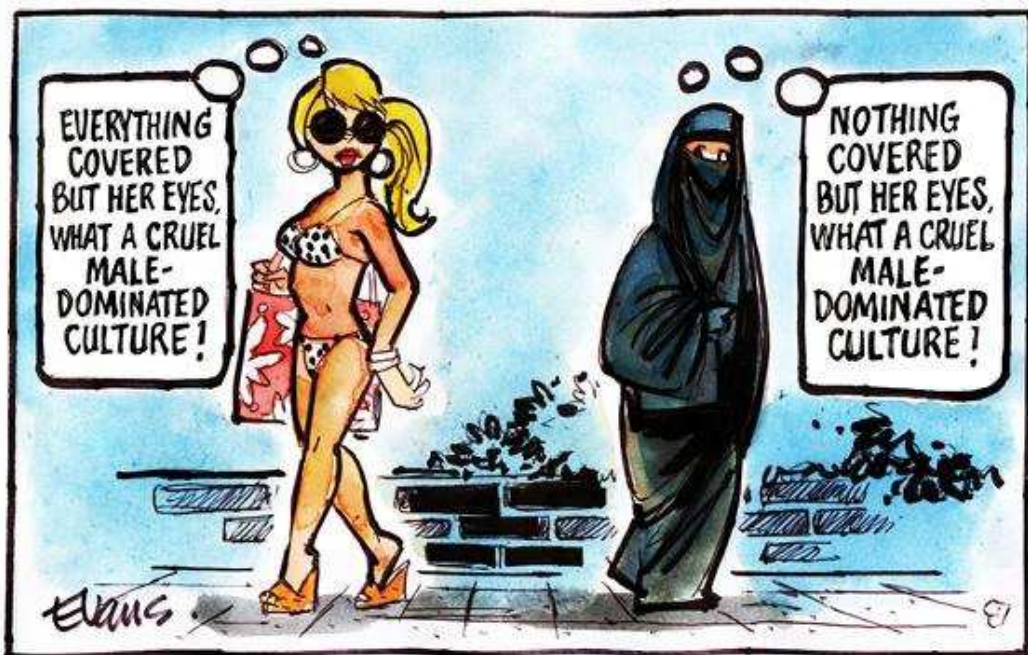
OTHERNESS

Document 1

<http://www.unige.ch/sciences-societe/geo/files/3214/4464/7634/OtherOtherness.pdf>

- 1) Draw up a short definition of otherness, using the words: us, them and norm.
- 2) What role does geography play in the division of society into different groups?
- 3) Is otherness always presented as a negative characteristic? Why not?

Document 2



- 1) In what ways are these women different? What do they have in common?
- 2) Use this cartoon to show how relative otherness is.

Document 3

<https://www.theguardian.com/politics/2016/oct/13/birth-of-populism-donald-trump>

- 1) To what extent is otherness linked to populist politics?
- 2) How does the author explain the rise of populist movements in Europe after the 70s?
- 3) How does the author explain Trump's rise?

Document 4: watch Obama warn the world of the dangers of the Us vs. Them mentality

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xsnMO0nGXkU>

- 1) What examples of division does Obama give?
- 2) Why does he believe stressing similarities rather than differences between people is the "right vision"?
- 3) When did Obama give his speech? What might have been his goal?