

UNIT 7: POLITICAL CORRECTNESS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

Complete the following sentences:

It offends me when...

People ought to...

People /men / women shouldn't be allowed to...

People should be careful about...

I don't care if... , but I do care if...

Are you careful when you speak about the following topics in order not to be offensive?

- Race and colour
- sexism
- forma of address
- kindness to animals
- crime and criminals
- smoking

Which of the following adjectives are politically correct?

- Old
- ugly
- fat
- plain
- mature
- quite slim
- unattractive
- elderly
- revolting
- scarred
- not very goo-looking
- a little overweight
- skinny
- well built

Is it possible to use the Spanish language in different ways so as to make it more politically correct? Can you give any examples?

Are there any habits or customs in Spain which are not politically correct according to British and American standards?

Write a list of ten objects noting down their functions. Use the following structures:

use+for+-ing

be+for+-ing